

# *Parish of Stranorlar*

## *Church of Mary Immaculate*

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### *11th Sunday in Ordinary Time ~ 14th June 2026*

**MASSES:** Saturday - 6pm (Vigil) Sunday - 9am & 11am  
Weekdays: Monday ~ Saturday 10am

**CONFESSIONS:** Saturday 12pm - 1pm & 5.15pm - 5.45pm.

**ADORATION:** Thursday 10.30am - 10.00pm.

**BAPTISMS:** Every Sunday - 12 noon & 1st Saturday of every month. To book contact the Parish Office on 9131135 on Fridays between 10am & 12.30pm or by email [stranorlarparish@gmail.com](mailto:stranorlarparish@gmail.com).

**\*\*Please give two weeks notice\*\***

**Month's Mind:** The 6pm Mass on Saturday June 20<sup>th</sup> will be offered for the repose of the soul of Mary Gallagher, Lettermakenny, Stranorlar.

**1st Anniversary:** The 6pm Mass on Saturday June 20<sup>th</sup> will be offered for the repose of the soul of Roseanna Mc Aleer, Ard Mc Carron, Ballybofey

**Mary's Meals Finn Valley:** are holding their annual Street Café in the Parish Centre on June 13<sup>th</sup> & 14<sup>th</sup> after all masses. Your support would be very much appreciated.

**National Pilgrimage for Life:** will take place on Saturday June 20<sup>th</sup> at Knock Shrine. Mass will be celebrated at 3.00pm in the Basilica, during which the Anointing of the Sick will take place. Main celebrant & homilist will be Bishop Niall Coll. We invite you to join us in Knock to celebrate the gift of life and to pray for the protection of all human life.

**Baptisms:** The following children were received into the Christian community of Stranorlar recently – Jack Walter Gibbons, Oisín Michael Gibbons, Millie Kay Duignam, Lottie Rose Haughey, Éabha Grace Gallen, James Samuel Brown, Dylan Patrick Houston, Adda Malone Mc Ginty, Sophia Ann-Louise Mc Gloin, Finn Patrick Gray, Molly Evie Carter, Tymon Jan Karkowski, Mia Bella Sharma Johnston, Elijah John O'Toole, Réalta Mary Hegarty, Amelie Susanna Elizabeth O'Donnel Troy, Erin Tanya Cara O'Donnel Troy, Grace Catherine Mc Nulty, Hollie Rae Crawford Mc Guire, Katie Anne Dun-ion, Oscar Green, Croia Rebecca Gallen, Cairbre Sean O'Mahony, Charlie TJ Green Reynolds & Eoghan Phillip Thomas Heapes Gibson.

**Tennis Family Fun Day:** The Butt Hall Tennis Club will hold their annual 'Family Fun Day' on Sunday June 14<sup>th</sup> from 12pm to 4pm at their tennis courts in Dreenan, Ballybofey. This is a free event that is open to individuals & families who would like to try out playing tennis with snacks & refreshments served. Everyone is welcome to come along anytime between 12noon & 4pm and stay as long as they like. This is a free event but is also a fundraiser for 'Relay for Life' so we kindly ask attendees to make a donation to this great cause on the day.

**National Synodal Pathway Update:** Preparations are continuing for the National Synodal Assembly, which will take place in October. Working groups from across the country are reflecting on the key priorities identified through the synodal process and helping to shape the next stage of the Church's journey in Ireland. To learn more and view the latest video update from Fr Declan Hurley, Chairperson of the National Synodal Pathway & Patricia Carroll, member of the National Synodal Pathway and Pastoral Coordinator for the Archdiocese of Dublin, please follow the link provided. <https://theway.ie/the-irish-synodal-pathway-progress-and-purpose/>

### **Lord Jesus, Good & Gentle Shepherd**

When You looked upon the crowds, you were moved with compassion because they were weary and abandoned. Fill our hearts with that same fervent love for your people. As we pray for your Church, we ask that you send out more labourers into your abundant harvest. Give us the courage, grace, and sincere desire to share your love and peace with every person we encounter, especially the troubled and the weary. Strengthen our parish and our community so that we may be your hands, feet, and voice in the world today. Guide our actions to bring comfort to those who are hurting and healing to those in need. Empower us to walk as faithful disciples, recognizing the Kingdom is already in our midst. We ask this through Christ our Lord. **Amen.**