

# *Parish of Stranorlar*

## *Church of Mary Immaculate*

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**MASSSES:** Saturday - 6pm(Vigil). Sunday - 8am, 9.30am & 11am  
Weekdays: Monday, Tuesday, Wednesday & Saturday 10am.  
Thursday, & Friday 10am & 7.30pm

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

**ADORATION:** Thursday 10.30am - Friday 10am

**BAPTISMS:** Every Sunday 12.15pm & 1st Saturday of every Month.  
(Please give two weeks notice)

### *3rd Sunday of the Year - 21st January 2018*

**Recent Death:** We offer sympathy to the family, relatives and friends of Terence Murray, Trusk Rd who was buried on Thursday last. May his soul and the souls of all the faithful departed rest in peace.

**Months Mind's:** The 7.30pm Mass on Thursday 25th January will be offered for the repose of the soul of Mary McNulty, Ard McCarron.

The 7.30pm Mass on Friday 26th January will be offered for the repose of the soul of Donna Friel, Ard McCool.

The 9.30am Mass on Sunday 28th January will be offered for the repose of the soul of Jack Hannigan, Main St., Stranorlar.

**1st Anniversary:** The 6pm Mass on Saturday 27th January will be offered for the repose of the soul of Jeannie McGavigan, Donegal St.

**Legion of Mary:** The Legion of Mary invite all auxiliary members and friends to a PPC Conference in St. Mary's Parish Centre on Sunday 28th Jan. from 3pm - 5pm. Members will be speaking of the work undertaken abroad last year and finishing with light refreshments.

**Envelope Boxes for 2018:** The Sunday Collection Envelopes have now been distributed. If you did not receive a box and would like one, please call to the sacristy after any of the Masses.

**Mission Awareness:** Fr Tommy Faherty SMA will speak at all the Masses next weekend about the work of the SMA Fathers in Africa.

**World Meeting of Families:** There will be a meeting on Wednesday 24th January in St. Mary's Parish Centre at 8pm to plan for the year ahead. Your presence would be very much appreciated.

**Blood Transfusion Service:** The Blood Transfusion Service Board's mobile unit team will visit Jackson's Hotel on Monday 22nd January from 6.30pm to 9.30pm and on Tuesday 23rd & Wednesday 24th January from 3pm - 5pm and 7pm - 9.30pm each day.

**Used Clothing Collecting:** Tuesday 23rd January in the church car park from 9.30am - 12 in aid of the children of St. Patrick's Parish, Kitui, Kenya.

**Table Quiz:** A table quiz in aid of 'Save our St. Joseph's Hospital Action Group' will take place in the Villa Rose Hotel on Thursday 25th January at 9pm. Your support would be much appreciated.

**St. Brigid's Night:** The celebration of St. Brigid's Feast with the making of crosses will take place in St. Mary's Parish Centre on Sunday 28th January at 7pm. Everyone welcome. We hope it will be an enjoyable occasion and we invite young and old to come along.

**Dooish N.S.:** Enrolment Application Forms are now available for Junior Infants & Special Class for Pupils with Autism ~ Abbey Class for the coming school year 2018/2019 Closing Date for First Round Consideration is 19th February. Contact 9131471 or [dooish@hotmail.com](mailto:dooish@hotmail.com)

**St. Mary's N.S. :** Enrolment for September has now commenced and will continue until Friday 23rd March. Parents are asked to call to the school secretary Pearl Davis at the office to complete an enrolment form. Please bring your child's Birth Certificate and PPS Number.

**St. Vincent de Paul:** Conference of Mary Immaculate would like to sincerely thank everyone for your generosity, kindness and support in 2017 and especially at Christmas. The income for 2017 was €31,694.10 (this includes Christmas collection and donations amounting to €11,727). The amount paid out to assist people during the year in the parish was €45,706.17. The conference would especially like to thank the collectors.

**Presentation of the Lord:** Friday 2nd February is the Feast of the Presentation of the Lord. Candles will be blessed at both Masses. Candles will be on sale in the porches next weekend 27th & 28th January.