

Parish of Stranorlar ***Church of Mary Immaculate***

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

CONFESSIONS: Thursday 7pm - 7.30pm
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 - 27th January 2019

Recent Deaths: We offer sympathy to the families, relatives and friends of Brigid Patton, Ard McCarron who was buried on Thursday, Seamus Thompson, formerly of Ard McCarron who was also buried on Thursday, Vincent McCool, Main St., Stranorlar who was buried on Friday and J. J. Reid, Knockfair who will be buried after the 11am Mass this Sunday. May their souls and the souls of all the faithful departed rest in peace.

Months Mind: The 7.30pm Mass on Friday 1st February will be offered for the repose of the soul of Joe McGlinchey, Mullindrait.

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 this Sunday at 7pm. Everyone welcome. We hope it will be an enjoyable occasion and we invite young and old to come along.

Presentation of the Lord: Saturday 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 this weekend.

Irish Catholic: The Irish Catholic Paper is available in the porches every weekend. The price is €2. We encourage you to buy this paper. If you want to make sure you get one every week please give in your name in the sacristy as a few people have already done.

St. Columba's College 50th Celebrations: St. Columba's College is celebrating its 50th Anniversary this school year. To mark the occasion, there will be a Gala Celebration Ball on Saturday 16th February in the Finn Suite, Jackson's Hotel. Tickets are now on sale from the school office on 9131246 and are priced at €45 each or a table of 10 for €400.

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 2019/2020. Closing Date for First Round Consideration is 18th February. Contact the school on 9131471 or dooish@hotmail.com

St. Mary's N.S. : Enrolment for September has now commenced and will continue until Friday 12th April. 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.

Envelope Boxes for 2019: 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.

The Three Tenors in Concert: Sunday 24th February at 8pm in our Church. Tickets are €25 and are on sale in Alexanders Shop 074-9131007, The Book Centre 074-9592126 and Andies Superstore 074-9132238.

Raphoe Diocesan Pilgrimage to Lourdes: Departing from Belfast on Sunday 26th May and returning on Friday 31st May led by Fr Michael McKeever, VG. The director is Fr. Patrick McHugh P.P. The package includes 5 nights full board in selected hotels in Lourdes, return flights from Belfast, all taxes, complimentary comprehensive travel insurance and costs €725.00 per person sharing. Optional transport to Airport is €25.00. Bookings and payments to Joe Walsh Pilgrim Tours Ltd, c/o Lourdes Pilgrimage Office, Archive House, Bishop's Palace, Letterkenny. A deposit of €200.00 per person will secure a place. Anyone wishing to travel as part of the sick (assisted pilgrims) staying in the hospital in Lourdes should apply in writing to Lourdes Pilgrimage Director, c/o Brenda Barrett, Secretary, Archive House, Bishop's Palace, Letterkenny. You can contact Brenda on 9125090 Monday - Friday 12.30 - 3.30pm for more information.