

Parish of Stranorlar

Church of Mary Immaculate

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Christ the King - 24th November 2019

MASSES: Weekdays - Monday - Saturday 10am

Saturday - 6pm (Vigil) Sunday - 8am, 9.30am & 11am

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)

Recent Death: We offer sympathy to the family, relatives and friends of Paddy Carr, The Grove, Stranorlar who was buried on Monday. May his soul and the souls of the faithful departed rest in peace.

Month's Mind: The 6pm Mass on Saturday 30th November will be offered for the repose of the soul of Michael Heeney, Dunwiley.

Choir Practice: Practice will be held on Friday 29th November at 8pm.

Eucharist Adoration: All regular adorers are invited to a meeting in the Parish Centre on Monday 2nd December at 8pm with the view of electing a new Adoration Committee.

St. Columba's College: An open evening for 6th Class Primary Students and their Parents / Guardians will be held on Tuesday 26th November at 7pm in the School Hall.

Finn Valley College: Open Night for Parents of 6th Class students will be held on Thursday 28th November at 7pm. Everyone Welcome.

Ministers of Word - December: 6pm - Vigil Warren Thompson. Sunday - 8am Sarah McMenamin. 9.30am - Sally Carr 11am - Jonathan Kelly.

Concern Bazaar: The Concern Bazaar will take place this year on Sunday 8th December in the Villa Rose Hotel at 3pm. Members of the group will be calling on businesses in the area as usual over the next few weeks. We hope that you will continue to support this annual event. All monies raised goes to Concern for their work with some of the poorest people in the world.

Ballybofey/Stranorlar Historical Society: The next meeting of the group takes place on Monday 25th November at 7.30pm in the Henderson Hall.

The Base Enterprise Centre: You are invited to a Workshop to Explore the Regeneration Potential of Ballybofey & Stranorlar on Tuesday 26th November at 7pm Kee's Hotel, Stranorlar.

Magical Christmas Craft & Gift Fair: The Villa Rose Hotel on Saturday 30th November from 10am – 5pm. Free admission. Draw for a night away with every purchase made.

Twin Towns Social Services & Care of the Aged: The Senior Citizens Christmas Party will be held on Sunday 1st December in The Villa Rose Hotel at 1pm. To book contact Patsy 9131102 or Ethna 9131262.

Light up a Memory: Remember someone special this Christmas by dedicating a light on the 'Memory Tree'. A light can be lit to remember both living and deceased relatives who won't be with us this year. This 'Light up a Memory' ceremony will be held on Thursday 5th December at 6.30pm in St. Joseph's Hospital, Stranorlar. To sponsor a light on the tree the cost is €5 and sponsor cards are available in the local shops and from Barnes View Ward, St. Joseph's Hospital. The ceremony will incorporate carol singing with special guests The Donegal Choir prior to the illumination of the tree and followed by refreshments in the hospital dining room. All proceeds in aid of St. Joseph's Hospital Patient Comfort Fund.

All Night Vigil, Knock: An All Night Vigil will take place in Knock on Saturday 7th December starting at 12 midnight with confession and finishing with concelebrated Mass at 4am. The Auberge of Knock, pilgrim accommodation, operated by the Order of Malta are now taking bookings for this night. The Auberge was blessed by St John Paul in 1979 and offers a variety of accommodation types, with facilities for all individual requirements. For bookings contact Noel on 01 6430060 or 087 3387410.