

Parish of Stranorlar
Church of Mary Immaculate

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2nd Sunday of Advent - 5th December 2021

MASSES: Weekdays: Monday, Tuesday, Thursday, Friday & Saturday
10am. Wednesday 10am & 7.30pm.
Saturday - 6pm (Vigil) Sunday - 9am & 11am.

All masses can be viewed on churchservices.tv/stranorlar

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

ADORATION: Thursday from 10.30am - 7.30pm.

BAPTISMS: Every Sunday & 1st Saturday of the Month.
To book contact the Parish Office on 9131135 on Mondays, Tuesdays
or Fridays between 10am - 12.30pm.

Wednesday 8th December is the Feast of the Immaculate Conception.
Masses will be at 10am & 7.30pm.

Advent Holy Hour: There will be an hour of quiet prayer and adoration
in the church this Sunday from 7pm - 8pm in preparation for Christmas.
We invite you to join us in the church or on our live streaming.

Recent Deaths: We offer sympathy to the families, relatives and friends
of Marie Doherty, Corraine and Pauline Hynes, Donegal Rd who died
during the week. May their souls and the souls of all the faithful departed
rest in peace.

Months Mind's: The 7.30pm Mass on Wednesday 8th December will be
offered for the repose of the soul of Hugh McDevitt, Ard McCool.

The 9am Mass on Sunday 12th December will be offered for the repose
of the soul of Martin Griffin, Silverwood.

Visitation of the Sick: Tuesday Ballybofey Town & Country
Wednesday Stranorlar Town & Country

Parish Draw: Our parish draw takes place this Sunday 5th December
after 11am Mass on the parish Facebook page.

St. Vincent de Paul: St. Vincent de Paul Christmas annual appeal
collection will take place each weekend until Christmas. Your help
would be very much appreciated. Any family requesting help please
ring 087 9955351.

Cunamh: Cunamh would like to let the families know that they are still
here and working away in the background. This year they have helped to
the value of €30,000 approximately. They will not be holding their
church gate collection this year due to covid. If anyone finds themselves
in trouble and would like a little help please feel free to ring any of the
following numbers and some one will make contact with you -
Terry O Reilly 0866095347. Sean Flanagan 0868385585. Kathleen Mc
Glynn 0877952880. Cathal Faulkner 0876843788. Mary McGinley
0868509836.

If anyone knows of a family that may need help please contact any of the
above numbers. If you would like to make a donation to Cunamh you
can give them a ring also. Your support would be much appreciated.

Reflection - Lonely Voices

*The voice of John the Baptist was a lonely voice
which many of his contemporaries ignored.
There are many lonely voices in our world.
Somewhere at this moment a child is crying-
crying for love or maybe simply for bread.
Somewhere a young person is crying -
crying for a listening ear or an understanding heart.
Somewhere an old person is crying -
crying for a visit or a word from his / her children.
There are a thousand unheard cries in our world,
coming from the victims of injustice and neglect.
Lord, help us to listen to these voices.
Above all, help us to listen to your voice,
whispering to us in the wilderness of our hearts,
telling us that we are loved by you,
and that we are to love one another.*