

# *Parish of Stranorlar*

## *Church of Mary Immaculate*

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### **Corpus Christi 11th June 2023**

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

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

**ADORATION:** Thursday 10.30am - 7.30pm.

**BAPTISMS:** Every Sunday - 12 noon & 1st Saturday of every month.  
To book contact the Parish Office on 9131135 on Fridays between 10am & 12.30pm. (Please give two weeks notice) The Baptism Teams are available to visit families again.

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

**Month Mind:** The 7.30pm Mass on Friday 16th June will be offered for the repose of the soul of Margaret Kelly, Upper Tivockmoy, Stranorlar.

**1st Anniversary:** The 6pm Mass on Saturday 17th June will be offered for the repose of the soul of Maura Patton, Mullindrait, Stranorlar.

**World Youth Day Church Gate Collection 10<sup>th</sup> & 11th June:** 25 young adults from the Diocese of Raphoe will travel to Lisbon and Fatima to join with Pope Francis as part of World Youth Day 2023. Any assistance in helping them take part in this pilgrimage would greatly be appreciated.

**The Alzheimer Café:** will take place on Wednesday 14th June at the Villa Rose Hotel from 11.30am to 1pm. Everyone is welcome. Our guest speaker is Patricia Condon from NCBI, working for people with sight loss. Hope to see you there.

**Graveyard Services:** There was a wonderful turn-out at the graveyard services last Monday. A sincere thanks to all concerned. A special thanks to the graveyard committee and the caretaker for all their preparation and hard work and to those who helped with the service. Thanks also to the Gardaí and the stewards.

**Illuminating Colmcille / Léargas ar Cholm Cille:** Friday, June 9 was the feast day of St. Colmcille. The County Donegal Heritage Office has produced a free, bilingual, 32-page, colouring book entitled 'Illuminating Colmcille / Léargas ar Cholm Cille' that highlights some of the heritage sites, places, objects and archives associated with St. Colmcille's life and legacy. Copies are available free-of-charge from your local library.

**Donegal Pilgrimage to the Holy Land:** Last remaining places for the Pilgrimage to the Holy Land at Christmas 2023 EX Dublin taking in Bethlehem, Jerusalem, Nazareth, Dead Sea, Sea of Galilee, Last Supper Room, Garden of Gethsemane, Mount of Olives with full day in Bethlehem on Christmas Day contact James Treacy 061 921470 [jamestreacyphotography@gmail.com](mailto:jamestreacyphotography@gmail.com)

**A Day of Prayer and Healing with Eddie Stone:** will take place on Saturday 17<sup>th</sup> June in Clonfert House of Prayer. A priest will travel with the group. The bus will leave Letterkenny stopping at Ballybofey, Donegal Town and Ballyshannon. For more information or to book please call 086 0792655.

**Marys Meals Finn Valley:** are having a Street Café in the Old Parish Centre, on Saturday 17<sup>th</sup> June from 10.30 am to 7.30p.m. and Sunday 18<sup>th</sup> from 9.30am to 1pm. All support greatly appreciated.

**Parents With Small Children:** We would appeal to parents with small children to consider using the Adoration Chapel again. This Chapel is now available and is located on the left of the altar. There is a door entrance from the car park.

### **Student's Prayer**

O, Holy Spirit, shower upon me the choicest gifts of wisdom, understanding and knowledge. Enlighten my mind and inspire me to work hard so that I may be successful in my examinations. Guide and direct me in all my undertakings and help me to especially discover my true vocation in life. Take away my fears and teach me always to live in your light, your love and your truth. I make this prayer through Christ Our Lord. Amen.