## Parish of Stranorlar Church of Mary Immaculate

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## 33rd Sunday in Ordinary Time ~ 16h November 2025

MASSES: Saturday - 6pm (Vigil) Sunday - 9am & 11am

Weekdays: Monday ~ Saturday 10am

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

**ADORATION:** Thursday 10.30am - 10.00pm.

**BAPTISMS:** Every Sunday -12 noon & 1st Saturday of every month. To book contact the Parish Office on 9131135 on Fridays between 10am & 12.30pm or by email stranorlarparish@gmail.com.

\*\*Please give two weeks notice\*\*

**Recent Death:** We offer sympathy to the family, relatives and friends of Fergus Mc Nulty, 9 Drumboe Lower, Stranorlar, whose funeral took place on Monday. May his soul and the souls of the faithful departed rest in peace.

**Months Mind:** The 6pm mass on Saturday November 22<sup>nd</sup> will be offered for the repose of the soul of Breid Mc Glinchey, Ard Mc Cool, Stranorlar.

**World Day of Remembrance Road Traffic Victims:** will take place in the Mount Errigal Hotel, Letterkenny on Sunday November 16<sup>th</sup> commencing at 1pm.

**November Novena:** There was a very good response for the Novena. We would like to say a special word of thanks to those who prepared the sanctuary so appropriately for the Novena, the Ministers of the Word & Eucharist, those who provided the music, those who provided the refreshments in the Parish Centre on Friday night and to all who helped in any way.

Parish Draw 2025: Our annual parish draw will take place on Sunday December 7<sup>th</sup> with 30 prizes to be won. Online entry can be found on St Mary's RC Parish Stranorlar Face-book Page or via https://www.idonate.ie/raffle/StMarysChristmasParishDraw Envelopes are also available in Andies, Stranorlar & Alexanders, Ballybofey and in the church porches. There will be no ticket sellers going around the doors. You can return your money in the completed envelope to Fr Kieran, Fr Vincent or the church collection box. The draw has been very well supported over the years and we hope that it will be a success this year also.

**Table Quiz:** in aid of Mary's Meal Finn Valley will take place in the B & S Golf Club on Wednesday November 19<sup>th</sup> at 9pm. Everyone welcome.

**P.P.C. Meeting:** will take this Thursday November 20<sup>th</sup> at 8pm in the parish centre.

Choir practices for November: Friday 21<sup>st</sup> & 28<sup>th</sup> at 8pm in the Church.

**Service of Thanksgiving:** A thanksgiving service in appreciation of all who minister in our parish in a voluntary capacity takes place on Sunday November 30<sup>th</sup> at 7pm. All are encouraged to attend. Refreshments will be served in the parish centre after the service. All welcome

Mary's Meals Annual Christmas Fayre: will take place on Saturday November 22<sup>nd</sup> in the Trinity Hally, Letterkenny from 10.30am until 4pm. Many Christmas crafts, decorations, wreaths & many good ideas for presents available. Mary's Meals appreciates all your kindness and support.

**Tusla Foster Carer:** Have you ever thought about fostering? Change a child's life by becoming a Tusla Foster Carer. Talk to Tusla Fostering today by freephone 1800 226 771 or visit www.fostering.ie to learn more.

Caring for people with Dementia: A one-day retreat will take place on Wednesday December 10<sup>th</sup> from 10.30am to 3.30pm at Ards Friary. Cost is €50 which includes tea/coffee and a light lunch. For bookings contact Ards on 074 9138909 or email: info@ardsfriary.ie. For more information contact Caroline at carolinebrown268@gmail.com

**The Twin Towns Concern Bazaar:** is taking place on Sunday December 14<sup>th</sup> at 3pm in the Finn Suite, Jackson's Hotel, Ballybofey. This year Carol Singing in McElhinney's is on Saturday morning December 20<sup>th</sup> & in Super-Valu on Sunday morning December 21st. Thank you all for your continued support and generosity over the past 40 years plus. If you would like to know more about Concern's work you can visit www.concern.net