

Parish of Stranorlar

Church of Mary Immaculate

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25th Sunday in Ordinary Time ~ 20th September 2026

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 Deaths: We offer sympathy to the family, relatives & friends of Vivian Deery, Blue Cedars, Ballybofey, whose funeral took place on Monday. May his soul and the souls of the faithful departed rest in peace.

Month's Minds: The 10am Mass on Monday September 21st will be offered for the repose of the soul of Joe Burns, Sessiagh View, Ballybofey.

1st Anniversary: The 6pm Mass on Saturday September 26th will be offered for the repose of the soul of Michael Murphy, Woodlawn, Stranorlar.

Ards Friary: Church Gate Collection for the Re-Development of Ards Friary will take place on Saturday 26th & Sunday 27th September. Your support would be greatly appreciated.

Family Mass: The First Family Mass of this school year will take place next Sunday September 27th at 9am mass. We encourage as many families as possible to attend.

Choir Practice: will take place on Friday September 25th at 8pm.

Parish Youth Choir: The Parish Youth Choir are looking for an adult piano player, who could volunteer to accompany the choir one hour a week on Wednesdays from 6.15pm for practice & the last Sunday of each month at 9am Mass, with a few exceptions throughout the year. If you are interested, please contact Shauna 087 918 7510 or Marlene 086 859 4077

Legion of Mary: The Annual Pilgrimage to Knock Shrine will take place on Sunday September 27th. To book please contact Anne on 087 271 0621 or Bridget 085 188 1048

SEED Community Employment Project: have a vacancy for Seed Community Employment Supervisors. For more information contact Shane on 085 8631853.

Coffee Morning: Annual Hospice coffee morning in memory of the late Ailish Gallinagh will be held on Thursday Sept. 24th from 10.00am to dark in the home of Hazel Kee Backleas, Stranorlar. On this the 20th time for this event there will also be a coffee morning in Brentwood Manor nursing home, Letterkenny Road, Convoy. Everyone welcome.

Harvest Thanksgiving 2026: will take place in Meenglass Church on Sunday September 20th at 7.00pm. Kiltievogue Church on September 23rd at 7.00pm and Stranorlar Church October 7th at 7.00pm

Finn Valley Family Resource Centre: is holding its final 8 week Gardening Course of the year, starting on Friday September 25th from 11am to 1pm. Cost is €20 for the course. Everyone welcome. Learn & share practical hands-on gardening skills, in a supportive & welcoming environment. Participants will learn about seeds, soil preparation, growing various plants, pest control, biodiversity & using the polytunnel. Please call 074 9131245 to reserve your place

Donegal Hospice Annual Remembrance Service: will take place on Sunday September 27th at 3pm in Conwal & Leck Church of Ireland, Letterkenny.

Ballybofey & Stranorlar Golf Club: are hosting a Men's Health Evening on Thursday October 1st. The evening will focus on men's health & well-being, with a number of informative speakers covering important health topics. There will also be an opportunity to avail of health checks, including blood pressure & blood screening, along with other useful health information.

Donegal Group 173 Rise & Shine Trust: (formerly The Irish Handicapped Children's Pilgrimage Trust & The Irish Pilgrimage Trust) are celebrating 40 years of taking young people with special needs to Lourdes each Easter. We are celebrating with a special Mass on Saturday September 26th at 12noon in the Church of the Irish Martyrs, Letterkenny.