

# *Parish of Stranorlar*

## *Church of Mary Immaculate*

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### *26th Sunday of the Year - 29th September 2019*

#### *World Day of Migrants & Refugees*

**MASSES:** Weekdays - Monday, Tuesday, Wednesday, Thursday & Saturday 10am. Friday 10am & 7.30pm.  
Saturday - 6pm (Vigil) Sunday - 8am, 9.30am & 11am

**CONFESSIONS:** Thursday 7pm - 7.30pm  
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 John McGinley, Barnes Court who was buried in Fintown on Tuesday. May his soul and the souls of all the faithful departed rest in peace.

**Rosary:** During the month of October the Rosary will be recited in the church after the 10am Mass each morning.

**Choir Practice for October:** Practices will take place on Friday 11th and Friday 25th October at 8pm in the church.

**Ministers of the Word for October:** **6pm - Vigil** - Brid McGinty.  
**8am** - Michael Scanlan. **9.30am** - Catherine Gillooley.  
**11am** - Mary Grace Allegarme.

**Eucharistic Adoration:** Mass for adorers, their family and friends will be celebrated in the church on Monday 7th October at 7.30pm followed by a short information meeting and light refreshments in St. Mary's Parish Centre. Everyone welcome.

**Parish Draw:** The draw committee will meet in St. Mary's Parish Centre on Tuesday 1st October from 7pm - 8pm. Anyone who has ticket money or who has yet to get their tickets is asked to come along.

**A Day in Honour of Our Lady:** "Calling all Families" - Consecrate your Families to Our Lady on Saturday 5th October in Knock Shrine at the 3pm Pilgrimage Mass celebrated by Fr Fidelis, CFR. Music and praise led by Cormac Buckley from 'Living Waters' in Dublin. To book your seat on the subsidized bus (€10.00 return) from McElhinney's at 9.45am please contact Human Life International in Knock on 094 9375993. Booking essential or Email: [mail@humanlife.ie](mailto:mail@humanlife.ie)

**Donegal Voices & Orchestra Concert:** A Concert conducted by Andrew Batchelor with Donegal Voices & Orchestra will be held on Sunday 6th October at 8pm in the church. Pieces include Haydn's Nelson Mass. Also, congregation invited pieces from The Creation (Haydn) - "The Heavens are telling the Glory of God" & "The Marv'lous work beholds amazed". Donations welcome.

**Special Donegal Christmas Pilgrimage to the Holy Land:** Taking in Bethlehem, Jerusalem, Mount Tabor, Cana, Nazareth, Jericho, River Jordan, Dead Sea and Sea of Galilee leaving from Dublin. Contact James Treacy on 0860572216 for more information.

**GROW:** Are you feeling sad, depressed or suicidal? GROW provides support services to individuals managing depression or bipolar disorder. GROW Groups offer an opportunity for people, over the age of 18 years, to talk openly about depression, bipolar disorder, other mood conditions and their impact. Peers share their experience and understanding and offer an exchange of thoughts and techniques around self-care and resilience in a supportive, confidential and pro-active environment. "You alone can do it, but you can't do it alone". If you would like to talk to somebody call our info-line on: 1890 474 474. Meetings will take place in The Finn Valley Family Resource Centre, Stranorlar on Tuesdays at 7.30 pm (previously The Family Enrichment Centre) Wheelchair accessible.