

Parish of Stranorlar

Church of Mary Immaculate

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14th Sunday in Ordinary Time ~ 7th July 2024

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****

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

Visitations will take place on Tuesday 16th & Wednesday 17th July
Please note the change of week.

1st Anniversary: The 6.00am Mass on Saturday 13th July will be offered for the repose of the soul of Kathleen Irwin, Mulreany Terrace, Stranorlar. The 10am Mass on Saturday 20th July will be offered for the repose of the soul of Ruby Holmes, Drumboe Upper, Stranorlar.

Months Mind: The 6.00pm Mass on Saturday 20th July will be offered for the repose of the soul of Nan Doherty, Dooish.

Miraculous Medal: We welcome Sr. Claire Sweeney of the Daughters of Charity who will speak to us at the Masses this weekend about the Miraculous Medal. The Miraculous Medal was originally called the Medal of the Immaculate Conception, but, because to of the numerous accounts of miracles by those who wore it, people began to call it the Miraculous Medal and the name stuck.

Fr. Kevin O' Hara: Fr Kevin is a native of Main St, Stranorlar, and has been working as a missionary in Africa for over 40 years. He has been involved in projects to better the lives of very poor people. Some of these projects have made a huge difference but they need ongoing funding. Fr. Kevin is currently on a break, but is returning to Africa in July. He is appealing for our help & support. These are two ways that help can be given. You can give a donation to Fr. Vincent or Fr. Kieran for him or you can donate through the bank at :-

Account Name: Fr. Kevin O'Hara, Allied Irish Bank, Ballybofey.
ACCOUNT NUMBER: 23942109 SORT CODE : 937363
BIC: AIBKIE2D IBAN: IE11AIBK93736323942109

Any help we could give would be very much appreciated and would make a real difference

Quiz in aid of Vision Ireland: will take place in the Cloghan Day Centre on Friday July 12th at 8.30pm. Entry €5 per person. Cash prize for winning team. There will be a raffle and refreshments on the night

St. Thérèse International Day at Knock: is on Sunday July 14th. Anointing of the sick at 2.30pm. Concelebrated Mass at 3pm. Blessing with the Relic of St. Thérèse and veneration of the Relic from 10am to 5.30pm.

Pilgrimage to the Shrine of Matt Talbot: will take place on Sunday July 14th. Buses will leave Kilmacrenan & Ballybofey/Raphoe. Anyone interested in booking a seat please contact:- Brid Toner on (087) 120 0242 (Ballybofey/Raphoe) or Caroline Dorrian on 0876223036 Kilmacrenan. The cost of the pilgrimage including refreshments is €50 per person.

Pioneer Pilgrimage to Knock: will take place on Sunday July 21st. Mass at 3pm will be followed by Eucharistic Blessing and Procession to the Shrine. Pioneers along with friends and relations of people who are living "one day at a time" with addiction are welcome.

The Relics of St Philomena: are returning to Emmanuel House Clonfert, Co. Galway. Bus leaving Letterkenny Wednesday August 7th at 7am sharp. Day of Prayer consists of Holy Mass & Confession. Blessing with 1st Class Relic of St Philomena. Please contact Sarah 086 8856254. Please bring a packed lunch (Tea is provided)

MEDJUGORJE IRISH CENTRE PILGRIMAGES APRIL - OCT 2024:
7 Nights Apartment B&B from €273 per person sharing. Airport transfer available on request. Contact us for details and book the dates that suit you. Tel. 01 4434510 or website www.med-irishcentre.com

Sunday Newsletter: We are taking a break from the newsletter for the months of July & August.

We hope you all have a very safe and enjoyable summer.