Parish of Stranorlar Church of Mary Immaculate

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7th Sunday in Ordinary Time ~ 23rd February 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 Deaths: We offer sympathy to the families, relatives and friends of Hugh Walsh, Chapel Street, Stranorlar whose funeral took place on Tuesday & Lucy Mc Cafferty, Admiran Park, Stranorlar whose funeral took place on Wednesday. May their souls and the souls of all the faithful departed rest in peace.

Month Minds: The 6pm Mass on Saturday March 1st will be offered for the repose of the soul of Josephine Doherty, Drumboe Cottage, Stranorlar & the 9am Mass on Sunday March 2nd will be offered for the repose of the soul of Darius Mc Ateer, Admiran Park, Stranorlar.

1st Anniversary: The 6.00pm mass on Saturday March 1st will be offered for the repose of the soul of Rory Lee Wilson, Carrick Crescent, Ballybofey.

Choir Practice: Friday 28th at 8pm in the church. All welcome.

Ministers of the Word for March: Saturday 6pm – Kathy Taaffe. Sunday 9am – Eamon Mc Ginley. Sunday 11am – Jonathan Kelly.

Ministers of the Eucharist for March: Saturday 6pm - Ann Marie Sweeney, Lizzie Laverty & John Patton. Sunday 9am - Laurence Devenney, Martin Bonnar & Molly Marley. Sunday 11am – John Lyons, Colm O'Dwyer & Ann Mc Gowan.

Seeds Community Employment Scheme: currently have vacancies for general workers & a GAA coach in Sean Mac Cumhaill Park, Ballybofey. For more information contact Shane on 085 8631853

Donegal ETB's 2025 Further Education & Training Fair: will be held in the Radisson Blu Hotel, Letterkenny on Tuesday March 4th from 7.00pm - 9.00pm & Wednesday March 5th from 10am to 2pm. The Fair is free and open to everyone who would like information on the wide range of full-time, part-time, evening and online education and training opportunities offered by Donegal ETB's FET Service. Tutors and advisers will be available to talk through the ETB's comprehensive range of opportunities.

Attention if you have a child on the Autism Spectrum: an information meeting for parents with children on the autistic spectrum will be held on Thursday 6th March at 7.30pm in the Mount Errigal Hotel Letterkenny. Everyone welcome. For more information contact 047 71556

The Catholic Marriage Enrichment Programme: Restore, Renew, Rekindle. We welcome you to our next Marriage Enrichment Weekend Friday 28th to Sunday 30th March 2025 in Knock, Co. Mayo. Please see website for more details. www.marriageencounter.ie

Eucharistic Adoration: Calling All Adores of the Blessed Sacrament in the Raphoe Diocese to the National Eucharistic Adoration Pilgrimage to Knock on Sunday April 6th for more details see <u>www.eucharisticadoration.ie</u> or contact Fiona McFadden for West Donegal on 087 6578483, Cait McGlynn Letterkenny Area on 086 3074435 or Kathleen O'Donnell South Donegal on 087 6579222 to enquire or book a seat on the bus.

Pilgrimage to Medjugorje 2025: (Marian Pilgrimages) June 18th 7 nights ex Dublin - Mostar Airport €855 p.p. sharing. August 13th 7 nights ex Belfast - Mostar €875 p.p. sharing. Deposit €200 to secure your booking. Limited places available. For more information on joining the group please contact Ursula O Faodhagain Castlefin 087 2960562

Naíonra an Choimín: located in Comeen National School, Glenfinn F93 CF67, is now open for enrolments for August 2025. Naíonra an Choimín offer a Playschool service from 9am to 12pm & an extended Part-time service from 12pm to 2pm Monday to Friday. For more information & enrolment queries, please phone 087 1616492 or email coimin@cnng.ie