

First Sunday Of Advent

03.12.2017

St Patrick's Church

Saturday 2nd

6.15 pm Michael, Loretta & Deceased Members of Tunney Family, Tullymore Annie & Patrick & Deceased members of the Gillespie family, Kildoney Willie Bromley, Chapel St., Herbie Bromley, formerly Erne St. & Eddie Gallagher, Ballintra

Sunday 3rd

9am Pro Populo

Monday 4th

9.30am Kevin, Nora, Kevin Jnr & Christy Devaney St. Benildus Ave.

Tuesday 5th

9.30am Priest's Intention

Wednesday 6th

9.30am Kelly Foundation

Thursday 7th - St. Ambrose

9.30am Priest's Intention

Friday 8th Immaculate Conception

9.30am William & Elizabeth Hoey, Abbey View
6.15pm Bridie & Sean McNulty, Market St

Saturday 9th

6.15 pm John Larkin, Assaroe View
Patricia Gavigan, Tonragee
Tom Tuohy, Donegal Road
Patrick McFadden, The Mall
Jim Flynn, Lisahully & James & Margaret Slevin
Charlie Maguire, Chapel Street

Sunday 10th

11 am Patricia (Patty) McCrea, Abbeylands

St. Mary's Church, Cashelard

Sunday 3rd

10 am Eddie McCool, Cashelard
James & Deceased Members of Monaghan Family, Cashelard

Sunday 10th

10 am Margaret & James Ward, Cashelard
Deceased Members of Cavanagh Family, Carricknahorna

Parish of Kilbarron Ballyshannon



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We Pray for the Dead

Died Recently

Kathleen Hennessy, Stradbally, Co. Laois
(Mother of Catriona Doogan, Kildoney)

Eternal Rest Grant unto Her O Lord

Adoration of BI Sacrament

Wednesdays: 10 am - 9 pm
(Please note change of time on Wed)
Saturday 10 am - 12 noon
Cashelard: Monday 7pm - 8 pm

Confessions:

Before and after 6.15 pm Mass

Healing Service

Franciscan Friary, Rosstownlough
This Sunday 3rd December at 3 pm
There will be an opportunity to receive
the Sacrament of Reconciliation

Parish Pastoral Council

Meeting this Tuesday 5th December at 8 pm

Monthly Mass to Our Mother of Perpetual Help

Friday 8th December at 9.30 am & 6.15 pm
in the Parish Pastoral Centre
with prayers of petition and thanks
giving to Our Mother of Perpetual Help at each Mass

Choir Practice for Christmas

Wednesday at 10am in the Pastoral Centre
Everyone including new members
welcome to come along

Your Contribution to the Parish

26th November : €2,070
Many thanks for your continued generosity & support

PARISH NOTICES

**Feast of the Immaculate Conception
of the Blessed Virgin Mary**
Fri. 8th December - Holy Day of Obligation
Masses: 9.30 am & 6.15 pm in St. Patrick's
6.30 pm in Cashelard

A Blessing of the Advent Wreath in the Home

This blessing might be used when the Advent Wreath
is lit on each of the four Sundays of Advent:

All make the Sign of the Cross

*A member of the family recites the following blessing
while another lights the first candle on the Advent
Wreath:*

Lord God,
Let your blessing come upon us
as we light the candle (s) of this wreath.
May the wreath and its light be a sign of
Christ's promise to bring us salvation.
May he come quickly and not delay.
We ask this through Christ our Lord. Amen

Advent: from the Latin word adventus, meaning
"coming", is a season of the Christian Church, the
period of expectant waiting and preparation for the
celebration of the Nativity of Jesus, the period
immediately before Christmas

Advent Challenge

Take the Short-Term Pledge for the season of Advent
in preparation for Christmas. Contact 9851378 or
join online at www.pioneerassociation.ie

ADVENT RETREAT

in the Pastoral Centre, Letterkenny
13th of December, from 7.00 pm-9.30 pm by
Fr. Eddie Dowley, Capchin Friar.
Some light refreshments will be served. All welcome.
Please book a place at the Pastoral Centre: 074-9121853.

All-Night Vigil, Knock Shrine

Thursday 7th - Friday 8th December. The programme
begins on 7th at 10pm with confessions until 12 mid-
night. The vigil will begin at 12 midnight in the Basilica
with Rosary, Candlelight Procession, Holy Hour and
Stations of the Cross. Mass will take place at 4am on
Dec 8th with main celebrant Fr Freddy Warner and con-
celebrant Fr Brendan Walsh. For more information
please contact Knock Shrine (094) 93 88100.

Training for Ministers of the Word and Eucharist (new & existing)

Monday 11th December at 7.30 pm
in the Pastoral Centre.



DUBLIN, IRELAND
**WORLD
MEETING OF
FAMILIES**

21-26 AUGUST 2018

World Meeting of Families

As part of our preparations for
the World Meeting of Families
2018, the organisers have given
each diocese a beautiful wooden
petition box.

This box will be in our parish
from this weekend to
Sunday 10th December

You are invited to write a

petition and place it in this box. All petitions will
be prayed for by religious communities across
Ireland and brought to the final Mass of the World
Meeting of Families in Dublin on 26th August
2018, at which, it is hoped that Pope Francis will
preside. See <http://www.worldmeeting2018.ie>
for more details.

Christmas Carol Service

Wednesday 20th December at 7 pm
in St. Patrick's Church

Everyone is invited to come along and join in this
festive season celebration

St. Vincent de Paul Annual Appeal 3rd - 10th Dec

Conference of St. Columba, Ballyshannon
Envelopes will be distributed at all masses this
weekend and you are asked to give generously.
All funds raised will be spent in this community,
helping those who need it most with food, heating
and education costs.

*Much of what is done would be simply
impossible without your generous support*

Christmas Appeal

Coffee Morning - December 8th
Help bring a smile to children
in our local community

AIB in partnership with SVP Christmas Appeal
Donate or drop in a new toy / non perishable food
in any AIB branch in Co. Donegal on Dec.8th

Coffee Morning

Homeland Agri, Cashelard
are hosting a coffee morning in store on
Wednesday 6th December from 10 am - 2pm
All welcome. Proceeds in aid of Acquired Brain
Injury Ireland (nominated charity for 2017)

Christmas Bake & Craft Sale

Ballyshannon Agriculture Show
Sunday 3rd December
in Dorrian's Imperial Hotel, starting at 1pm.
Fundraising Draw will take place on the day.
Tickets available from any committee member or
Ferguson Jewellers, tickets €2 each or 3 for €5