

St. Patrick's Church

Saturday 18th

6.15 pm Rena Boyle, St. Benildus Avenue
Denis Lawn, N.Y. formerly Donegal Rd
Paul Foster, Ernedale Heights & James
and Mamie Ryan, Cloghore
Bernard, Annie & Frank Fox, Legaltion
Packie, Annie & Deceased Members of
Gillespie Family, Kildoney

Sunday 19th

9.00 am Pro Populo
11 am Michael & Deceased Members of
O'Brien Family, Colledge Street

Monday 20th

9.30 am Lennie, George & Bridget Dorrian,
Cloughbolie

Tuesday 21st

9.30 am Eddie, Rita & Nora McDermott Erne St

Wednesday 22nd

9.30 am Michael Doherty, Coolcholly

Thursday 23rd

9.30 am Deceased Members of Dorrian Family,
Corlea and James & Lena Slevin,
Coolcholly

Friday 24th

9.30 am John, Bridget & deceased Members
of Heekin Family
6.15 pm Priest's Intention
8.00 pm Pro Populo

Saturday 25th

9.00 am Deceased Members of Gillespie Family,
Sheegus
11 am Betty Burke, Ashbrook Drive

Sunday 26th

9 am Pro Populo
11 am Priest's Intention

St. Mary's, Cashelard

Sunday 19th

10 am Cissie Maguire, Cashelard

Saturday 25th

10 am Priest's Intention

Sunday 26th

10 am John McGee, Carrickboy



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We Pray for the Dead

Month's Mind

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Eternal Rest Grant unto Them O Lord

Adoration of BI Sacrament

Wednesdays 10 am - 1 pm & 6 - 9 pm

Saturdays 10 am - 12 noon

*Please note if there is a funeral on a Wednesday
or Saturday morning there will be no adoration*

Confirmandi 2022

Children making their Confirmation next year, and
their families, are encouraged to tune in via the Parish
webcam to the 11am Mass this Sunday the 19th.

Mass is broadcast online at :

churchservices.tv/stpatricksballyshannon

Sacrament of Baptism

Baptisms take place on the first Sunday of the month
at 12 noon. Anyone wishing to register is asked
to contact the parish office on 071 9851295
(Numbers restricted to child, siblings, parents,
Godparents and Grandparents only for the time being)

Parish Envelopes for 2022

Are now ready for distribution and can be
collected anytime during office hours

Your Contribution to the Parish

Sunday 12th December: €1,584

Carol Service €670.55

(Donated to SVP)

Many thanks for your continued support

Christmas Mass Times

Christmas Eve:

9.30am, 6.15pm and 8pm

Christmas Day:

9am and 11am in St. Patrick's.

10am in Cashelard.

- ◆ For elderly or anyone with an underlying health condition who understandably feels more at risk during the pandemic, Masses can be viewed via the Parish webcam at: churchservices.tv/stpatricksballyshannon
- ◆ Masks must be worn coming to church, all during Mass, and leaving the Church
- ◆ Social distancing should be observed. Sit as a family but give space to next family/persons.

**Scripture, Prayer & Reflection
For The Christmas Season**

Christmas 2021 - Praying at Home

A resource for family prayer at home from the
Northern Pastoral Network. Booklet freely available
from the back of the church or the parish office

Franciscan Friary Job Vacancies

The Franciscan Friary, Rosstown are looking for
WEEKEND Staff to cover the Shop, Friary Office and
Kitchen. If interested, email your Curriculum Vitae to
hr@franciscans.ie For more information, please
contact the Friary on 071 98 51342.

S.V.P. Ballyshannon

Annual Appeal 2021

S.V.P. appeal takes place during December.

Special Freepost envelopes for making donations
will be available at the back of the church.

Any donations received will be used to help
those in need in the Ballyshannon area.

Carol Service

A community Carol Service takes place in St. Anne's
Church **this Sunday 19th Dec @ 7pm.** Carols will be
sung by Farrah Bogle accompanied by Niamh Currid.

Collection in aid of North West Hospice, Rock
Nursing Unit and St Vincent De Paul.

The Irish Catholic

Irish Catholic Newspaper is available
weekly from the back of the church

Radio Maria Ireland

An Irish-run Catholic talk-radio station offering
commercial free broadcasting - Prayer, Catechesis,
uplifting music, talks, interviews & testimonies.

Do join our growing faith family! Saorview 210,
Download free app, Stream via www.radiomaria.ie
or Listen live on the facebook page

Reflection Fourth Sunday of Advent

The Lord spoke to Ahaz, saying,
Ask a sign of the Lord your God;
let it be deep as Sheol or high as heaven.

But Ahaz said, I will not ask,
I will not put the Lord to the test.

Then Isaiah said:

"Hear then, O house of David!

Is it too little for you to weary mortals,
that you weary my God also?

Therefore the Lord himself will give you
a sign.

Look, the young woman is with child
and shall bear a son,

and shall name him Emmanuel."

Isaiah 7.10-14

COVID Support Line for Older People

ALONE manage a national support line and additional
supports for older people who have concerns or are facing
difficulties relating to COVID-19. If you or someone
you know needs support this Christmas, please call the
National Support and Referral Line on 0818 222 024
from 8am - 8pm, seven days a week. ALONE operates
365 days a year so they will be there to take your call
when you need them most.

Alzheimer Society

Anyone seeking information or wishing to talk
about a loved one with Alzheimers can contact
Josie - 087 1260501 or Maureen - 086 3694618

Prayer/Reflection

Come, Lord Jesus

Lord Jesus, Come into our weakness.

Come into our fears.

Come into our anxieties.

Come into our failures.

Come into our divisions.

Come into our grieving.

Come into our loneliness.

Come into our darkness.

Come into our doubting.

Come into our despair.

Come into our poverty of heart.

Come into our searching.

Come into our joys and hopes.

Come into our dying.

Come, Lord Jesus, come.

Flor McCarthy, S.D.B.