

## ADVENT DIARY

Sunday 1 December	Advent Service (6 pm)*	St Mary's Church
Sunday 8 December	Advent Service (6 pm)*	St Mary's Church
Monday 9 December	Solemnity of The Immaculate Conception (10 am)	St Mary's Church
Wednesday 11 December	Walking Carol Service (7 pm)	Starting at St Mary's Church
Sunday 15 December	'Bambinelli' Sunday Blessing of 'Infant Jesus' figures	All Masses
Sunday 15 December	Advent Service (6 pm)*	St Mary's Church
Wednesday 18 December	Penance Service (7.30 pm)	Christ the King Church
Thursday 19 December	Parish Breakfast (7.30am-9.00am)	Drummond Hotel
Thursday 19 December	Penance Service (7 pm)	St Finlough's Church
Sunday 22 December	Carol Service (6 pm)	St Mary's Church

\*Sunday Advent Services will incorporate exposition of the Blessed Sacrament, Rosary, Divine Chaplet and concluding with Benediction. It will be offered for family life in the parish.

**CHURCHES RESTORATION FUND** Next draw on Monday 25 November at 8.00 pm in St Mary's School. Collection times are: 10.30 am - 11.00 am in the Parish Office and 6.00 - 8.00 pm in St Mary's School.

**ST FINLOUGH'S BIG ANNUAL COFFEE MORNING** on Saturday 7 December from 10.00 am - 1.00 pm. All donations of scones/pastries welcome. For further information contact 07745661116

**ST FINLOUGH'S QUARTERLY DRAW** Last chance tickets for our quarterly draw. £10 one off payment. Chance to win £1,500 / £300 / £200. Draw on Saturday 7 December at our Coffee morning. Contact 07745661116.

**SPUC** (The Society for the Protection of Unborn Children) will hold an Information Evening on Tuesday 3 December at 7.30 pm in the Drummond Hotel. Light refreshments served. For info: Tel - 028 9077 8018 or 07730330028.

**NIVOICELESS** Express your sorrow and Shine a Light for Life on Saturday 30 November at 3 pm in Stormont Estate. Wear black or dark colours. Carry an electric light. Strictly no banners or flyers. Bring a pebble with your tribute to the unborn written or painted on it. Visit [www.nivoiceless.com](http://www.nivoiceless.com) for information.

**ACCORD DERRY MARRIAGE PREPARATION WORKSHOPS** 17/18 January 2020, 21/22 February 2020, 27/28 March 2020 at Thornhill Ministries, Culmore Road, Derry. Booking now online at [www.accord-ni-co.uk](http://www.accord-ni-co.uk)

**STRICTLY COME DANCING** in aid of Foyle Hospice. Dancers urgently needed. Anyone interested come to a meeting in the Roe Park Hotel on Tues 26 November at 8 pm.

**DERRY DIOCESAN TRUST** - Parish of Drumragh: Part Time Sacristan: Permanent contract. 9 hrs per week (days and hours to suit liturgical celebrations). For application packs email: [payroll@derrydiocese.org](mailto:payroll@derrydiocese.org) or tel 028 71262 302. Completed applications to be returned to: Personnel, Bishop's House, St Eugene's Cathedral, Francis Street, Derry BT48 9AP or via email, no later than 5 pm on Fri 6 Dec. Derry Diocesan Trust is an Equal Opportunities Employer.

**LIMAVADY CREDIT UNION AGM** on Monday 25 November in the Alexander Arms Hotel at 7.30 pm.

**BULLETIN NOTICES** All notices MUST be either left at the Parish Office, Tel: 028 777 62522 or sent by email to: [parishoflimavady@btinternet.com](mailto:parishoflimavady@btinternet.com) before a Wednesday at 1.00 pm.

# Limavady Parish Bulletin

Christ the King

24 November 2019

## MASS TIMES

### ST MARY'S

Monday - Friday	-	10.00 am
Friday	-	7.30 pm
Sunday Morning	-	9.00 am, 11.00 am

### CHRIST THE KING

Saturday Vigil	-	6.00 pm
Sunday	-	12.00 noon

### ST FINLOUGH'S

Saturday Vigil	-	7.30 pm
Sunday Morning	-	10.00 am

## CONFESSION TIMES

ST MARY'S	Friday	-	6.30 pm - 7.15 pm
CHRIST THE KING	Saturday	-	5.30 pm
ST FINLOUGH'S	Saturday	-	7.00 pm

## Eucharistic Adoration

Every Thursday after the 10.00 am Mass - 8.00 pm in St Mary's Church.

## Prayer Group

Every Tuesday at 7.30 pm in St Mary's Chapter Room. New members welcome.

## Baptisms

**St Finlough's Church** Tel: 028 777 62522 **St Mary's Church**  
All Baptisms will take place on Saturday afternoons by arrangement with the Parish Secretary

## Weddings, Month's Mind Masses and Anniversary Masses

To book Weddings, Month's Mind Masses, Anniversary Masses, contact Janet at the Parish Office. Tel: 028 777 62522.  
Any forms to be signed by the Priest can be left at the Parish Office and collected the next day.

## Telephone Numbers

Mgr McCanny	028 777 29759
Fr Baker	028 777 62721
Parish Office	028 777 62522 (Mon - Fri: 9.00 am - 1.00 pm)
	Email: <a href="mailto:parishoflimavady@btinternet.com">parishoflimavady@btinternet.com</a>
	Website: <a href="http://www.limavadyparish.org">www.limavadyparish.org</a>
	Facebook: <a href="https://www.facebook.com/limparish">facebook.com/limparish</a>

### Deaths

We extend our sympathy to the family and friends of:  
**George Canning, 40 King's Lane, Ballykelly**  
**Agnes Clarke, Manchester**  
who died recently.

### Month's Mind Masses

The Month's Mind Mass for **Mary Doherty** will be celebrated on  
Friday 29 November at 7.30 pm in St Mary's Church.  
The Month's Mind Mass for **Marie McCusker** will be celebrated on  
Saturday 30 November at 6.00 pm in Christ the King Church.

### Anniversaries

**Fr James Duffy, Felicity Deighan, Terry & Dympna Gallagher, Bridie & Cliff Wainwright, Alice Clarke, Paddy McDevitt, Denis McCann, Susan Lafferty, Sean Devlin, Bridie Doherty, Annie Mulhern, Jiohny McLone, William Anderson, Danny Ferris, Letty Doherty, Annie Mary Daly, John O'Kane, Billy Toner, Patricia McFeeley, Mick Gotfrey, John Harkin, J B McNicholl, Jippy Boucher, Thomas & Johnny Clarence**

### Derry Diocesan Society

Pray for all deceased members of the Derry Diocesan Society, especially for the following  
who have been recently enrolled:

**Gregory Devine, Tony Mullan, Jude Vowles, Melvin Rose, Sally McLaughlin, Mary McQuiston, Cyril McClean, Brendan Mullan, Jessie Gilloway, Vincent Magee, Kathleen McElhinney, Margaret Devine**

### MAY THEY REST IN PEACE

### Baptisms

We welcome into the parish community through the Sacrament of Baptism:  
**Cormac Gregory O'Connor, Sophia Ellen Caffrey**  
**Theo Patrick Elder, Harry Patrick Moore, Quinn Moore**

**PIONEERS** Presentation of Gold and Silver Jubilarian pins will take place on Friday 13 December at 7.30 pm Mass in St Mary's Church.

**ALL NIGHT VIGIL AT KNOCK** To celebrate and honour the Feast of the Immaculate Conception of the Blessed Virgin Mary, the 49th All-Night Vigil of Atonement and Reparation will take place on 7 / 8 December from Saturday midnight to Sunday morning. Main celebrant: His Excellency Archbishop Okolo, Papal Nuncio. Details from Knock Shrine Office: 00 353 94 93 88100.

**MASS IN HONOUR OF BLESSED ALEXANDRINA** in Termonbacca on Sunday 24 November at 7.30 pm.

**MASS FOR THE SICK** will take place in the Carmelite Retreat Centre, Termonbacca on Tues 26 Nov at 7.30 pm.

**DISCERNMENT HOLY HOUR** on Thur 28 Nov at 6 pm in Our Lady's Chapel in St Joseph's Church, Galliagh.

**DERRY DIOCESAN PILGRIMAGE TO LOURDES 2 - 7 July 2020** Applications are now being sought for the 2020 Youth Pilgrimage, from those who will be age 17 at time of travel. Forms can be requested through schools or directly from the Lourdes Pilgrimage Office, 164 Bishop Street, Derry BT48 6UJ, email: derrypilgrim@outlook.com. Gift vouchers for all pilgrims to the value of £25 or £50 can be ordered via these same contact details.

**DERRY DIOCESAN YOUTH PILGRIMAGE TO MEDJUGORJE 28 July - 4 August** (7 nights) for young people aged 16 - 18. Cost is £599 and there will be a budget plan to help with this. Names and deposit of £100 are due by 1 December. For more information or to book contact: lizzie.rea@derrydiocese.org or Tel: 028 71 264087.

**HOLY LAND PILGRIMAGE RETREAT September 2020** 8 days. Contact Thornhill Ministries 71 351233, or thornhillministries@derrydiocese.org or visit www.thornhillministries.co.uk.

**COLLECTION FOR SUNDAY 17 NOVEMBER** Town Churches £ 3,497.5 Ballykelly £478.50

### EXTRAORDINARY MINISTERS OF HOLY COMMUNION FOR DECEMBER

<b>St Mary's</b>	9.00 am	Anne Marie Loughery, Geraldine Carlin, Mairead McVeigh
	11.00 am	Bernie Mullan, Jacqueline Toner, Rosaleen Toner
<b>Christ the King</b>	6.00 pm	Catherine Campbell, Angela Hamilton, Mary McCloskey, Luke Welsh Rush, Margaret Welsh Rush
	12.00 noon	Ronan Curley, Liam O'Kane, Sean O'Neill
<b>St Finlough's</b>	7.30 pm	Susan Kerr
	10.00 am	Linda Rice

### WEEKDAY EXTRAORDINARY MINISTERS OF HOLY COMMUNION FOR DECEMBER

Monday	J Kerr	Wednesday	B Mullan	Friday	G Carlin
Tuesday	A McCambridge	Thursday	G White		T Karczewski

### READERS FOR DECEMBER

<b>St Mary's</b>	9.00 am	Emma Loughrey
	11.00 am	St Mary's School
<b>Christ the King</b>	6.00 pm	John McCloskey
	12.00 noon	James McGuinness, Peter McCann
<b>St Finlough's</b>	7.30 pm	Lucille Loughrey
	10.00 am	Martha McGee

### WEEKDAY READERS FOR DECEMBER

Monday	Rose McGuigan	Thursday	Seamus Gallagher
Tuesday	Clare Dunne	Friday	Termoncanice Primary School
Wednesday	Deirdre McKeever		

### ALTAR SOCIETY FOR DECEMBER

**St Mary's** - Angela McClarey

**Christ the King** - Pat Mullan

**St Finlough's** - Bridget O'Kane

**INTERNATIONAL YOUTH CONFERENCE** Fri 27 December at 2 pm - Mon 30 Dec at 4 pm. Inviting all young people (16+) to come and experience this 4 day special event at Congowes Wood College, Castlebrown, Clane, Co Kildare. Cost is 150 euro inclusive. For details contact: 00353 8790412, 003538706988, 003538634088/

**YOUTH 2000 CHRISTMAS RETREAT** from Friday 6 - Sunday 8 December in Newbridge College, Co Kildare. For more information call: 00 35316753690, email office@youth2000.ie or book online at www.youth2000.ie

**TROCAIRE GIFTS OF LOVE** If you want to help make the world a better place this Christmas give a Trocaire Gift. Tel: 0800 912 1200, www.trocaire.org/gifts or from 50 King Street, Belfast BT1 6AD. Leaflets in church porches.

**CHRISTMAS FAMILY APPEAL** Each year the St Vincent de Paul Society and the Salvation Army organise the distribution of toys and gifts to help local families who are struggling at Christmas. If you would like to donate a **NEW** toy or gift suitable for a child up to age 16, they can be left at any of the collection points listed below, up until Friday 13 December. The Family Appeal has enabled hundreds of gifts to be distributed to needy families in the past. Please leave your gifts at Tesco, Gordons Chemists, Bank of Ireland or the Salvation Army Centre in Limavady before Friday 13 December. There will also be collection points in all the parish churches from 23 November - 16 December. All gifts must be received before this date.

**ST VINCENT DE PAUL CHRISTMAS CARDS** are now available from the Parish Office, Gormley Pharmacy or any member of the SVP Society.

**ST VINCENT DE PAUL ANNUAL COLLECTION Saturday 30 November & Sunday 1 December 2019** Once again we ask for your support for our Annual Collection which will be held on weekend 30 November / 1 December after all the Masses in the parish. Each year our conference make over 500 visits to families and people in need in this community. The funds raised will be spent in this community helping those who need it most with food, heating and household items. We rely entirely on the support of you, our generous parishioners and we thank you in advance for your continued support.