

TICKETS FOR CHRISTMAS MASSES: A reminder that all Masses are now booked up for Christmas Eve and Christmas Day. Please take careful note of the Mass your ticket has been allocated for, and remember to **bring your tickets** to the Mass. When you arrive, please show your ticket(s) to the stewards who will show you where you are to be seated. We would ask you to arrive in plenty of time. We also request that you leave promptly after the Mass, to give time for preparation for the next Mass, and not to congregate in large numbers inside or outside the church. We wish you all a safe and holy Christmas.

ADVENT SAFEGUARDING MESSAGE 2020: The last nine months have been very difficult for many people with the continuing threat to health, lives and livelihood. As we prepare for Christmas during this season of Advent we remember that Jesus Christ was born into a family and there he grew up. Although Church activities have been restricted for most of this year our commitment to safeguarding children continues. I thank Parish Safeguarding Representatives and our priests for their thorough and vigilant work in ensuring the safety of children and adults at risk in our Church related activities. I encourage anyone with concerns regarding the safety of children or anyone who suffered in the past to contact our Designated Liaison Person, Sean Leydon (087 743 1649) or our Deputy Designated Liaison Person, Róisín O' Doherty (087 705 7516). [Bishop Francis Duffy]

SVP CHRISTMAS APPEAL: Due to the Covid restrictions our conference Ozanam House Shop has been closed and our Church Gate Collections have stopped since early March. We are asking for your financial support coming up to Christmas so that we can continue to support families & individuals in need in the Carrick on Shannon and surrounding areas. To donate you can ring our Conference phone number 087-4660965 where arrangements can be made to accept your donation. Thank you for your Support, anyone seeking assistance please ring our Mobile Number above in Strict Confidence. Wishing you all a very happy Christmas.

KILTOGHERT ADULT CHRISTMAS PARTY CANCELLED: The Organising Committee of the Annual Kiltoghert Adult Christmas Party regret to announce its cancellation due to the Covid-19 pandemic. This is the first break in the party's long and distinguished history spanning many decades, and we are hopeful that it is only a temporary glitch. We hope to be able to hold the deferred 46th party in January 2022. In the meantime the organising committee wishes all the compliments of the festive season, a happy and holy Christmas, and every blessing in the New Year.

SATURDAY 19th SUNDAY 20th DECEMBER
4rd Sunday in Advent
PRIEST ON DUTY: FR. FRANK GARVEY P.P. 071-9620118

MASSES FOR SATURDAY 19th & SUNDAY 20th DECEMBER

ST.MARY'S

Sat Vigil 8pm: Margaret Moolick (1st Anniv)

Sunday 9am: Michael Kelly (Months Mind)

10.30am:

12noon: Angela Mullarkey (1st Anniv)

MASSES FROM MONDAY 21st – SATURDAY 26th DECEMBER

Monday 8pm: Private Intention

Tuesday 10am: Bernie Joe Healy & deceased members of the Healy family

Wednesday 10am: Gemma Luskin (Anniv)

Leitrim Tuesday 8pm: Evers & McCormack families

MASSES FOR CHRISTMAS EVE

Thursday 10am:

8pm: Matthew Armstrong his grandparents Tony & Teresa & their daughters Anne & Aileen

10pm: Fr. Joe & Kathleen O'Dowd & deceased members of the O'Dowd & McSharry families

CHRISTMAS DAY

St.Mary's 8pm: Mary Josephine & Danny Lannon (Anniv)

10.30am: Margaret Kelly & deceased members of Kelly & McNulty families

12noon: Sarah, Patrick & William Feely (Anniv)

MASSES FOR SATURDAY 26th & SUNDAY 27th DECEMBER

Sat 10am: Margaret McCorry (Birthday Remembrance)

8pm:

Sun 9am:

10.30am: Maura Devine (Months Mind)

12noon:

DEATHS: We pray for the happy repose of the soul of Paddy Duignan (Dublin, brother of Bernadette Regan, Auhgrimin South) who died recently. May he rest in the peace of Christ.