



Advent in Drumragh Parish

Annual Carol Service

The Annual Carol Service will take place in the Sacred Heart Church today (Sunday) at 6 pm. The service should last no longer than one hour. All welcome.



Advent Penitential Service

The Advent Penitential Service will take place on Monday 16th December at 8 pm in the Sacred Heart Church. A number of priests will be available to hear confessions. There will also be a Penitential Service in Christ the King Church, Strathroy on Wednesday 18th December at 8 pm.



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Mass & Confession Times

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(Only to be used in case of emergency)

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Mass Times
Sacred Heart Church
Vigil : Saturday at 6.00 pm
Sunday : 9 am, 11 am & 12.30 pm
Monday - Friday: 10 am & 7.30 pm
Saturday: 10 am Mass
St Mary's Drumragh: Sunday at 10 am

Adoration: Wed @ 10.30 am - 7.15 pm
Rosary: 9.30 am & 7 pm

Confession Times
Friday: 6.30 - 7.15 pm
Saturday: 10.30 am - 12.30 pm & After Vigil Mass

<p style="text-align: center;">Feasts of the Week Week Beginning Sunday 15th December Wednesday 18 – St Flannan, bishop Friday 20 – St Fachanan, bishop Saturday 21 – St Peter Canisius, priest and doctor of the Church</p>	<p style="text-align: center;">Holy Communion to Sick & Housebound</p> <p>The Eucharistic Ministers will bring Holy Communion to the sick and housebound who have requested it, today (Sunday) after 9 am Mass and 11 am Mass and after 10 am Mass in Drumragh.</p>
<p style="text-align: center;">Sacred Heart Church 7.30 pm Mass Intentions Wednesday Kathleen Fox – Month’s Mind Thursday Deceased Members of the DDS</p>	<p style="text-align: center;">Eucharistic Adoration</p> <p>Eucharistic adoration takes place every Wednesday from 10.30 am to 7.15pm in the Sacred Heart Church. In December, we pray that every country takes the measures necessary to prioritise the future of the very young, especially those who are suffering.</p>
<p style="text-align: center;">Recent Weddings</p> <p>We congratulate the following couples who were married here recently:</p> <p style="text-align: center;">Ailish Loughran & Darren Armstrong May the grace of the sacrament remain with them all their lives.</p>	<p style="text-align: center;">Used Postage Stamps Appeal</p> <p>At this time of year, can we appeal for your used postage stamps? They can be used to raise money for charity. There are small clearly marked boxes in the entrance porches to the Church where you can leave any stamps you may have. Thank you.</p>
<p style="text-align: center;">Recent Deaths</p> <p>We pray for the families of the following who died recently:</p> <p style="text-align: center;">Tom Rodgers Patrick (Leo) McKenna Dessie McGale John McDermott Dessie McTeague Sean McNamee Bernadette O’Neill May they rest in peace.</p>	<p style="text-align: center;">Sacred Heart P.S. Tattyreagh</p> <p>Would you like your child to be educated in a tranquil, rural environment just 5 minutes away from the hustle and bustle of Omagh Town Centre? Sacred Heart PS, Tattyreagh, are now accepting applications for next year’s Primary 1 enrolment.</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Large spacious classrooms in a recently renovated school • High standards of academic, sporting, and artistic achievement • Wonderfully calm and caring ethos throughout the school • Wrap Around Care now available to suit working families <p>Should you wish to call and visit the school to see for yourself what Sacred Heart PS has to offer, please call the school on 02882 244614 to arrange a mutually convenient date. Check out our website www.sacredheartprimary.com or find us on Facebook.</p>
<p style="text-align: center;">Prayer for Priests</p> <p>We pray for the following priests this week: Sunday 15th December – Fr James McGrory Monday 16th December – Fr Edward McGuinness Tuesday 17th December – Bishop Donal McKeown Wednesday 18th December – Fr Con McLaughlin Thursday 19th December – Fr George McLaughlin Friday 20th December – Fr Peter McLaughlin Saturday 21st December – Mgr Ignatius McQuillan</p>	



Mass & Confession Times for the Christmas Period

Monday 16th December	Sacred Heart Church	Mass @ 10 am & 7.30 pm Penitential Service after 7.30 pm Mass
Tuesday 17th December	Sacred Heart Church	Mass @ 10 am & 7.30 pm
Wednesday 18th December	Sacred Heart Church	Mass @ 10 am & 7.30 pm Penitential Service in Christ the King @ 8 pm
Thursday 19th December	Sacred Heart Church	Mass @ 10 am & 7.30 pm Confessions: After 10 am Mass
Friday 20th December	Sacred Heart Church	Mass @ 10 am & 7.30 pm Confessions: After 10 am Mass & 6.30 pm – 7.15 pm
Saturday 21st December	Sacred Heart Church	Mass @ 10 am Vigil Mass @ 6 pm Confessions from 10.30 am - 12.30 pm
Sunday 22nd December	Sacred Heart Church	Mass @ 9 am, 11 am & 12.30 pm St Mary's Drumragh Mass @ 10 am 4 th Tyrone Scouts Will Bring Peace Light to 12.30 pm Mass
Monday 23rd December	Sacred Heart Church	Mass @ 10 am & 7.30 pm Confessions: After 10 am Mass & 6.30 pm – 7.15 pm
Tuesday 24th December (Christmas Eve) - No Confessions Today		
Mass @ 10 am		
Mass for Elderly & Families (SHC)	6 pm	
Mass of Midnight (SHC)	10 pm	
Mass of Midnight (Drumragh)	8 pm	
Wednesday 25th December (The Nativity of Our Lord Jesus Christ)		
Sacred Heart Church	Masses @ 9 am, 11 am, 12.30 pm	
St Mary's, Drumragh	Mass @ 10 am	
Thursday 26th December	Sacred Heart Church	Mass @ 12 Noon only
Friday 27th December	Sacred Heart Church	Mass @ 12 Noon only
Saturday 28th December	Sacred Heart Church	Mass @ 12 Noon only



Schedule returns to normal Sunday Mass times on 29th December and normal weekday schedule from Monday 30th December

CBS Christmas Charity Car Park Collection

The Christian Brothers School will be making their school car park available to the public for parking from Saturday 21st December until Tuesday 24th December inclusive. Members of the public will be offered the opportunity to make a donation to the school for use of the car park. Proceeds will be distributed between St Vincent de Paul and other CBS charities. Opening times are as follows:

Saturday 21st Dec 10 am - 6 pm
Sunday 22nd Dec 12 pm - 6 pm
Monday 23rd Dec 10 am - 9 pm
Tuesday 24th Dec 10 am - 5 pm

Christmas Switch-On

Switch on of Christmas lights at Lynch's Vivo on Sunday 15th December at 4.30 pm. Everyone welcome, especially Choir members. Santa will of course be in attendance. Refreshments will be served.



Thornhill Ministries, Derry

Tuesday 17 December: Advent Retreat: 'With Mary we Ponder the Mystery' (9:30 am to 1:00 pm). Includes Mass and light lunch. Booking essential. Suggested Offering £20.

Wednesday 18 Decemberr: Reflection Morning (9:30 am to 12:00 pm) Includes Mass and light lunch / Meditation Hour (6:30 pm to 7:00 pm).

Thursday 19 December: Décor Workshop (7:30 pm): Create a Table Centrepiece. Suggested Offering £30. Includes all materials.

Christmas Novena Prayer

Hail and blessed be the hour and moment in which the Son of God was born of the most pure Virgin Mary at midnight in Bethlehem in piercing cold. In that hour promise, oh my God, to hear my prayer and grant my desires, through the merits of our Saviour, Jesus Christ, and of His Blessed Mother. Amen.

Tattysallagh's Nativity Crib Festival



Babs Barrett will put on Tattysallagh's Nativity Crib Festival at her home at 33 Corradinna Road and all donations will go directly to Mellon Educate's building programme of renovating and building schools in the townships of South Africa, where children live in shacks in abject poverty. Babs invites everyone to come along Sunday 15th December from 10 am to 7 pm and has extended the exhibition to include a depiction of the nativity in a live crib performance showing at intervals throughout both days, at 11.30 am, 2pm and 4.30pm. Come and enjoy a cup of tea/coffee and Babs assures visitors that there will be ample car parking.

Useful Telephone Numbers

PIONEERS	07775810297
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ALCOHOLICS ANONYMOUS	9043 4848
AWARE	7126 0602
CARE FOR CANCER	8224 6599
CRUSE	8224 4414
DRUG AWARENESS	0800 776600
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