

### Mass Intentions for Sunday 29th December

**10am Kilmacanogue:** Desmond Banks (A)  
Owen Roche (A), Joseph Fisher (A)

**10am Curtlestown:**

**11am Enniskerry:** Nancy Walsh (10th A)

### **Seeing your life through the Lens of the Gospel.**

1. The threat to the child Jesus put Joseph in a situation where he had to make a quick yet wise decision. Perhaps you have also had to make a speedy response to an unexpected crisis.  
Who were the 'angels' who guided you to wise decisions?  
  
Remember them and give thanks.
2. The whole narrative is designed to bring out the guidance of God's providence for the child Jesus. Have there been times when you have been grateful that things worked out well for you despite adverse circumstances or experiences?
3. 3. External forces imposed migration on Joseph and his family, until he came to establish a home in Nazareth. Where have you lived before coming to the place you now call home? How has this journey helped to fashion the person you are now? Perhaps you have a mixture of gratitude and regrets as you look back. Give thanks for the good memories. What helps you to deal with the disappointments and hurts in the past? Bring them to God with a prayer for further healing.
4. 4. The story and today's feast remind us of the importance of the family in nourishing and fostering new life. Recall and give thanks for those in your own childhood who helped you to find your way in life.

### Mass Intentions for Sunday, 5th January

**10am Kilmacanogue:** Sean Devlin (A)

**10am Curtlestown:** Mary King (A)

**11am Enniskerry:** Frances Callan (A)  
Molly Nolan (A)

### **PARISH COLLECTIONS**

(Curtlestown, Enniskerry, & Kilmacanogue  
**22nd December .**

1<sup>st</sup> Collection: Diocesan & Retired Priests Fund: €430

2nd Collection: SHARE €375

Family Offering Envelopes & Pink Envelopes: €560

*We thank you for your continued generous support of our Parish and the Diocese.*

**Volunteers:** St Vincent De Paul urgently need volunteers in the areas of Dublin, Wicklow and Kildare to work in assisting individuals and families once a week. This will be for about 3 hours, day or night, (whatever suits you best). Full training and support provided - for more information Tel: 01 8198405 or [www.SVP.ie](http://www.SVP.ie) / [volunteer@svp.ie](mailto:volunteer@svp.ie)

**Legion of Mary—Kilmacanogue Presidium -**  
Meet at 11.30am every Tuesday in the Sacristy of St. Mochonog's. Group recite the Rosary on the first Saturday of each month at 12 noon at the Grotto in Church Grounds. New members are most welcome.

### **EXPOSITION OF THE BLESSED SACRAMENT**

**Kilmacanogue:** Wednesday 8th January in St. Mochonog's Church 6pm. **Enniskerry:** After 10:15am Mass each Friday morning in St. Mary's Church.

### **Parish of Immaculate Heart of Mary Fund Raising Appeal.**

Parishioners have received an invitation to donate to the Parish Fund Raising Appeal either by increasing their Direct Debit/ Family Offering Envelope donation or by donating through our website.  
Envelopes are available at the rear of Church.



**Immaculate Heart of Mary Parish**

*Four Churches One Faith Community*

**Parish Website:** [www.enniskerryparish.ie](http://www.enniskerryparish.ie)

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**Mass Times**

**St. Patrick's Curtlestown**

Sundays 10am

Choir sing at 10am Mass (Sept-June)

**St. Mary's Enniskerry**

Sundays 11am

Holy Days - 10:15am

Morning Mass: 10:15am Mon, Tue, Thurs, Fri & Sat.

Prayer Service each Wednesday at 10.15am

Exposition of the Blessed Sacrament after 10.15am

Service each Friday Morning

Mass and Anointing of the Sick will be in St. Mary's each

First Friday at 10.15am Mass

Confessions after 10.15am Mass on Sat. morning

**St. Mochoonog's Kilmacanogue**

Sundays 10am

Wednesdays/& Fridays 10am

(Holy Days as announced)

Exposition of the Blessed Sacrament First

Wednesday of each month 6pm-7pm.

**St. Kevin's Glencree**

1<sup>st</sup> Sunday of the Month, Christmas Day & Easter Sunday.



**New Years Day Wednesday 1<sup>st</sup> January**

**Kilmacanogue: 10.00am**

**Enniskerry : 10.15am Prayer Service**

**Parish Offices closed Fri 20th December- Tues 7<sup>th</sup> Jan**

**Former ICA Annual Party will take place on Saturday 11th January 2020 at 3pm in the Parochial Hall (opposite Kingfishers).**

All Enniskerry senior citizens are invited. We look forward to seeing you all and hope you have a lovely Christmas and a happy new year.

Phone Rosemary 087 2608933/  
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**Pilgrimages** - in 2020 we hope to organise a number of pilgrimages- Lourdes, Garabandal, Medjugorge, Rome/ Assisi- Pietrelcina- as well as Knock. If you have an interest in travelling please talk to Fr.Hyacinth or Sadie in St. Mary's Sacristy after Sunday masses.

**St Mary's & St Gerard's N.S** are looking for a school cleaner, starting on 6th January 2020, (Monday- Friday, 2pm - 6pm daily). If you are interested please contact the school by phone on 01 2868851 or email: [in-](mailto:in-)

Like something included in Parish Link? All items for Link should be with the Parish Office, before Wed. of each week. (see contacts opposite )

**Useful Help Lines:- Society of St. Vincent de Paul: 01 8550022- Samaritans: 1850 609090  
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