

### Mass Intentions for Sunday 8th December

**10am Kilmacanogue:** Kathleen Connolly (A)  
Pat & Brigid Carey (A), Davy & John Kavanagh A  
Tony Prendergast (A)

**10am Curtlestown:** May & Jack Whiston (A)  
Catherine Clinch (A)

**11.am Enniskerry:** Joe & Rita Chadwick (A)

### Mass Intentions for Sunday 15th December

**10am Kilmacanogue:** Thomas Mulligan (A)  
Darren Kearns (A), Dominic Fallon Jnr (A)

**10am Curtlestown:** Joe & Maeve Burton (A)  
John & Kitty Kavanagh (A), Muriel O'Connor (A)

**11am Enniskerry:** Eleanor Quinn (2nd A)  
Lil Callan (13th A), Michael Walsh (Rec Dec), Ann  
McCaffrey (Rec Dec), Mairead Walsh, Barbara & Colin  
Walsh (A) Liam Murphy (A), Breda Hickey (10th A)

#### **Thank You and Farewell**

Today we are saying farewell to one of our long serving ministers of the Eucharist Neil McIvor. Thank you Neil for your service and dedication to St.Mochonog's Church over the past 30 years. What a blessing to be one who shares the great sacrament of Jesus with members of the Parish community. We wish you well Neil.

A special word of thanks to Jackie Britton who has kept our church grounds and adjoining cemetery here in St.Mochonog's looking so well over the past 3 years. We wish you well in your retirement Jackie.

**Annual Collection for St. Vincent de Paul will replace the SHARE collection at all Masses TODAY, 8th December**

#### **Christmas Raffle in aid of Purple House**

Will take place in Purple House Cancer Support Centre, Bray on Friday 13<sup>th</sup> December at 12 noon.

Please see poster in Church Porch for list of Wonderful Prizes. Winners Notified. Tickets €2 each – book of 6 tickets €10 may be purchased at Purple House, Main Street, Bray.

#### **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.

Carols by Candlelight Concert—Habaemus Choir Present 'Gather Together - Carols by Candlelight' at 7.30pm on Sunday December 15th in St. Anne's Church, Shankill, Co. Dublin. Tickets, €10, available at the door. Proceeds go to the St. Anne's Fund. Mince pies and mulled wine will be served after the concert in St. Anne's Resource Centre.

#### **HOLY LAND PILGRIMAGE**

11 Day Pilgrimage to The Holy Land Feb 12<sup>th</sup> to Feb 22<sup>nd</sup> 2020 cost €1,475.00 deposit €450.00. Early booking is essential, to avoid disappointment. For further details contact Brenda Murray -Flynn on 041 6863390 or [brenda.murray-flynn@travelcounsellors.com](mailto:brenda.murray-flynn@travelcounsellors.com)

Philip on 087 250 8043 or pmcardle006@gmail.com

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

#### **Support our Parish—buy beautiful unique Christmas Cards**

Our special designed Parish Christmas Card with a beautiful print of the four Churches of the Parish are available from Margaret or Joyce in the Parish Offices and will be on sale in all Churches at Sunday Masses. This is a Fundraising project for our parish so please support it.

#### **A VERY SPECIAL ADVENT CALENDAR ONLINE**

Help yourself and your children get ready for Christmas with seasonal activities and nourishment for your souls. Check out our Parish Website ([enniskerryparish.ie](http://enniskerryparish.ie)) for links to the Irish Catholic Bishops Advent Calendar 2019. You will find a treasure of resources that are different every day during this beautiful Season of Preparation.

St Mary's & St Gerard's N.S.,  
Enniskerry,

#### **Senior Christmas Concert**

Thursday, 12th December at 7:30pm  
Followed by a raffle and Christmas Carols.

Tickets available from the School Office or on the door on the night.

#### **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.



**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. Mochonog'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 Glenree**

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

**CHRISTMAS CONCERT**

Niamh Murray, Soprano and The Enniskerry Concert Choir invite you to 'A Choral Christmas Feast' **NEXT Saturday Dec 14th and Sunday Dec 15th**

**St. Mary's Church 7pm**

Proceeds in aid of St Agnes Centre for Music and the Arts and St. Marys Parish fundraising campaign.

Tickets €20.00 Available from choir members, **on sale at 11am Mass**

**TODAY** or from Margaret or Joyce in the parish offices 10am-1pm Mon./Fri 01 276 0030/01 202 1882 or contact 087 319 0595.

**Christmas Shoebox Appeal**

**in aid of Inner City Helping Homeless**

**If you would like to donate to above please see Poster in Porch or contact 086 224 5080**

**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/volunteer@svp.ie](http://www.SVP.ie/volunteer@svp.ie)

**EXPOSITION OF THE BLESSED SACRAMENT**

**Kilmacanogue:** First Wed of each month in

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

The Solemnity of the Immaculate Conception is normally a Holyday of Obligation. However TODAY is 8th December is the Second Sunday of Advent, the Solemnity is transferred to tomorrow, Monday 9th December, but is then no longer a Holyday of Obligation.

**Useful Help Lines:- Society of St. Vincent de Paul: 01 8550022- Samaritans: 1850 609090 Recovery: 01 6260775 Accord: 01 5053112**