



Saturday 24th December
Christmas Eve
Parish Church 9.00 p.m.
Convent 11.00 p.m.

Saturday 18th Dec 7.00 p.m. O'Connor Family , & Denise Elliott.
Sunday 19th Dec 9.00 a.m. Felix Lynch.
Sunday 19th Dec 11.30 a.m. Lorraine Lynch.

Sunday 25th December
Christmas Day.
Convent 9.00 a.m.
Parish Church 11.30.



Fourth Sunday of Advent: 19th December to 25th December 2022

Mon 9.00 a.m (Convent) Edward Stokes & decd Stokes, Reilly & Mongan families.
 Tue 7.00p.m. (Convent) The deceased members of Lynch family (Lustia)
 Wed 7.00p.m(Convent) Breda Heffernan.
 Thu 7.00 p.m. (Convent) Packie Hackett.
 Fri 9.00 a.m. (Convent)
 Fri. 7.00 p.m. (Church) Mary & Patrick Plunkett.
 Sat 10.00 a.m (Convent) Pro Populo



Eucharistic Ministers for next weekend: Group B
Altar Society Advent & Christmas Team.

Ministers of the Word: Sat 9. 00 p.m. : Grace McKeon, Daragh Nolan, Ellen & Aobheann McGowan. **Sunday 11.30 a.m:** Margaret Hyland & Brenda McKeon. **Convent:** Group B

Recently Deceased:

We remember in our prayers Gerry Kiernan, Aughavas, brother of Mary Logan, who was laid to rest in Aughavas during the week and also remember Monica Murphy (nee Flynn) formerly from Creenagh, who passed away in England, sister in law of Helen Cullen. May they rest in peace. Amen.

Mary's Meals : For €18.30 ***feed a child for an entire school year!*** This gift can then be printed to someone as gift. Also available providing 100 meals for €9, funding a cooking pot and stove for €250, Gift cards to download at www.marysmeals.ie or 01 853 5163.

Tostal Monster Christmas Drive In Bingo Tues 27th Dec@ 3pm ,Mart Carpark .

Community Text Alert: Church Gate collection on Sat & Sun 24 & 25th Dec.'22

Drumshanbo Christmas Lights: Please support <https://www.gofundme.com/f/drumshanbo-christmas-lights-2022>



A Christmas Week Prayer.



Loving Father, as we remember again the Birth of Jesus, help us to share in the Song of the Angels, the Joy of the Shepherds, and in the Wonder of the Wise Men who travelled far. Close all doors to hatred, and open the doors of compassion in the heart of the whole world. Let kindness be the wrapping of every gift we give and let the same kindness be in every smile and every name we speak this week of Christmas.

Deliver us from all evil, especially the evil of war and violence, the evil of hatred and all words that wound, belittle and destroy.

Fill us with that pure joy that is in the innocence of every child's eyes of trust, wonder and love. Keep all of us safe from all that would cause us harm as we travel the roads during Christmas.

May the nightfall of Christmas fill us with a deep sense of gratitude, knowing forgiveness and showing that forgiveness which is forever the Face of The Christ of Christmas.

- ***Carol Service*** this Sunday evening at 5 p.m. All are welcome to join us in the Church or on Webcam.
- Could I remind you to take home your ***Offertory Envelopes*** for the coming year. Thank you.
- On behalf of ***St. Vincent De Paul***, thank you for your generosity.
- Confessions will be available on this Saturday evening, Tuesday and Wednesday evening after Mass. (Fr. Frankie)

