

HOLY FAMILY CHURCH; MASSES Saturday Vigil 6.00pm Sunday 9.30am 11.00am, 12.30pm Weekdays 10.00am, 7.15pm Confessions Saturday 10.30am, and before evening Mass **Exposition of Blessed Sacrament** every Tuesday 10.30am-7.15pm **Parochial House** 71267070
Parish Sisters 71260398 **BAPTISM COURSES** 1st & 3rd Wednesdays of the month at 8pm **BAPTISMS:** Every Saturday at 7.00pm
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SYMPATHY We offer our sympathy to the family of Dale Moore Whitehouse Park and Paddy Hargan Benview Estate who died during the week. May they rest in peace.

.BAPTISMS Our Parish family welcomes:

Saorlaith Catherine McDaid
 Marianus Park
 George Patrick Taylor
 Lindenwood Park

ANNIVERSARIES

Nellie Brady, Danny O'Kane,
 Mary Coyle, Margaret White,
 Andy Nolan, Marjorie Taggart,
 Eileen Barret, Sarah O'Donnell

PENITENTIAL SERVICE tomorrow Monday at 7.15pm.

Priests from all over the city will join us to hear Confessions in preparation for Christmas. This celebration of the Sacrament of Reconciliation concludes our Parish Novena. The opportunity to experience the forgiveness of Christ is an essential part of our Advent preparation for Christmas

PENITENTIAL SERVICES
Mon. 21st 7.15pm Holy Family
Tues 22nd 7.30pm. St. Mary's
 Christmas Eve 11am-5.30pm.
St. Eugene's Cathedral

OFFERTORY PROCESSION

6.00pm Rioghan Henry & Family

CHRISTMAS MASSES

Saturday - Christmas Eve Vigil Masses 6.00pm 7.30pm & 9.00pm.

Sunday Christmas Day

9.30am, 11.00am and 12.30pm.
 Because of the large crowds we experienced in the past at the 6.00pm Vigil Mass we have added another vigil Mass for reasons of health and safety. Please come to any of the five other Christmas Masses if you wish to be more comfortable. Extra stewards will be needed at all Masses. Please leave your name and telephone number and Mass choice in the sacristy

SUNDAY COLLECTION 11th Dec amounted to £2201.66 and €251.15

CHRISTMAS BOX collection for the priests of the parish will be taken up at all Masses at Christmas.

MASS FOR THE SICK - Tuesday 20th Dec, at 8 p.m. in Termonbacca.

ADVENT EVENING VIGIL - Wednesday 21st December Adoration, Confessions & Mass 7.30 p.m. in Termonbacca.

I AM 14 piece worship band, featuring in St Columbs Hall today Sunday 18th December. Tickets £10 available from Veritas

AN INSPIRED CHRISTMAS GIFT Trocaire is again offering Christmas Global Gift Plan - which will be delivered directly to hard pressed families in the developing world. available at Veritas shop Shipquay St or www.trocaire.org

THE SOCIETY OF ST. VINCENT DE PAUL urgently requires good quality winter clothes and household furniture, especially bedroom furniture to be used locally. Please tel 71265489 or 71268325 for collection

CRUSE BEREAVEMENT

CARE invites applications to the Awareness in Childhood Bereavement Care volunteer training course running over 4 weekends in Spring 2017. For more information, contact maria.mcentee@cruse.org.uk or 90-792419. Application Deadline: 10 January 2017.

HOLY FAMILY PARISH PILGRIMAGES

FATIMA 100th Anniversary

23-30th May Fatima/Estoril €797

LOURDES 23-28th July

Hotel Panaroma £669.

MEDJUGORJE/BRELA CROATIA

30TH August /6th September €739

Deposit €/£150 Savings scheme on Thursdays 8-9pm in Parochial House.

Tel. Margaret 07732468511

CHRISTMAS CARDS are now on sale at St. Anthony's Retreat Centre and Columba House, Derry

Older People North West will be providing a range of courses and hobbies. All activities take place at Malvern House, for more information please telephone 71347478