

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
Eve of Holydays & eve of First Fridays:
10.30am. and before evening Mass

BAPTISMS DATES:

4th and 18th January

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MASS TIMES

Monday: Mass 10.00am & 7.15pm

Confessions 6.45-7.10pm

Tuesday Mass 10.00am

Confession 10.30am

There will be Confessions in the St. Eugene's Cathedral from 11.30am-6.00pm

CHRISTMAS MASSES

Tuesday - Christmas Eve Vigil Masses 6.00pm, 7.30pm 9.00pm.

Wednesday (Christmas Day) 9.30am, 11.00am and 12.30pm.

MASSES DURING THE WEEK

NO 10.00am Mass on Thursday and Friday There will be one Mass these days at 7.15pm



HOLY FAMILY CHURCH

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I AM
Lord
Jesus
Messiah Saviour
The Way The Truth
The Life
The Word The Rock
SON OF GOD
Redeemer **Emmanuel** *Living water*
Lamb **Morning Star**
of God **Lord of Lords**
Alpha **King of Kings**
& Omega **Good Shepherd**
The Bread of Life **The Star of Bethlehem**
EVERLASTING LIGHT
Light of the World Wonderful Counsellor
Prince of PEACE



The Priests of the Parish wish you all a holy and happy Christmas

JESUS

*You were born in an outhouse. A shed. You want to be born and live in the outhouse of my life
That place where I am weak,
Frail broken and sinful –
Even areas where I dare not look.
Give me wings to soar into your arms—to be free - and the joy in my heart to sing with the angels around your crib.*

CHRISTMAS MASSES

Our churches are full at Christmas, the Vigil Masses especially. For health and safety reasons we have had to make every effort to reduce the crowd at the 6pm Vigil Mass by adding one at 7.30pm and at 9.00pm – please come to another Mass where you have a better chance of getting a seat. We also are calling in extra stewards to welcome you and to help with crowd control. They will also help with the collection. Please co-operate with them

Anniversaries

We pray for:
Harry Francis, Margaret McChrystal,
Margaret McClelland, May Garnon,
Nellie Brady, Patsy McConnell

OFFERTORY PROCESSION

6.00pm Aaron O’Kane & family

12.30pm Chloe Campbell & family

These children will make their First Communion next year

SUNDAY COLLECTION 15th

December amounted to £1729.38 and €164.59

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

PARISH DRAW WINNERS

£2,500 Joseph Cooley,
111 Waterfoot Park

£500 Evelyn McCully,
29 Liscannor Park

£100 Danny Gallagher, 83 Sevenoaks

£50 Joseph Breslin, 207 Glenowen

£50 Hugh Doherty, Creggan Heights

Once again we thank all those who bought and sold tickets .

ACCORD DERRY Marriage

Preparation Workshops *January 10th/11th February 7th/8th and March 7th/8th 2014* in Ardmore Parish Centre

Bookings are now being taken online www.accordni.com Contact Accord

Tel 71362475 derry@accordni.com

Holy Family Primary & Nursery

School Application forms for Nursery and Primary 1 are now available at the school office for admission in September 2014 Nursery and P1 forms should be completed and returned to the school by Noon on Friday 10th January 2014

Ceremony of Prayer & Thanksgiving

As the curtain falls on the City of Culture celebration a special ceremony of Prayer & Thanksgiving will take place in St Eugene’s Cathedral on New Year’s Eve, Tuesday 31 December at 3.30pm. This ceremony will involve the Churches, Civic and Cultural organisations. Everyone is invited.

LASCO wishes to thank all our donors for their generosity during 2013. . Anyone wishing to contact LASCO should ring Peter Boucher at 71351209.

40 Days Of Prayer And Fasting-

Precious Life Ministries invite you to unite with them in 40 Days of Prayer and Fasting beginning on Wednesday 1st January to Sunday 9th February. – imploring Heaven to protect Ireland from the scourge of abortion. For further information please contact: Precious Life (028) 9027 8484

EASTER PILGRIMAGE SAN

GIOVANNI 17th April. FATIMA 19 June Tel Sean Mulrine 71265926

HOLY FAMILY PILGRIMAGES

MEDJUGORJE: 7-14th May. £575 Ex Dublin Deposit £150.

LOURDES: 16-21ST JULY. £625. Ex Belfast. Deposit £200.

Tel **07732468511** or call at Parochial House for booking form

WEE SPARKLES CRECHE is a local creche right in the town center between the River Inn and Kular Shop it is offering a trial period for children Mon - Thur 9-11 with extended hours if the trial is successful Tel 07845899165 for info or to secure a place. Places are very limited

SCOIL MHUIRE BUNCRANA - Re-Union for ALL past pupils Friday 27th December 1-4pm Exhibition in School Disco in Plaza 11pm till late Tickets available from School Reception or Macs Shop Buncrana 10.00 euro or phone 0860563019 If you have copies of old photos NOT originals, could you please leave them at reception in the school.

SEAN DAVIS Christmas 3 day indoor ‘Fun’ Soccer will take place at the Sports Complex From Friday 27th December to Saturday 28th December for boys and girls aged 5-17. Tel. 71263044