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Saturday December 7th & Sunday December 8th 2019

Second Sunday of Advent

Sat 7th	7.00pm	James and Mary Gallagher Burt RIP.
Sun 8th	9.00am & 11.00am	Missa Pro Populo. Private Intention.
Mon 9th	7.00pm	Feast of Immaculate Conception but <u>NOT</u> a Holy Day of Obligation this year.
Tue 10th	9.30am	Private Intention.
Wed 11th	9.30am	Private Intention.
Thu 12th	9.30am	Noel Cullen. Clonkilymore. RIP.
Fri 13th	11.00am	School Mass and Nativity Play.
Sat 14th	10.00am & 7.00pm	Holy Souls. Private Intention.
Sun 15th	9.00am & 11.00am	Missa Pro Populo. Private Intention.

Income and Building Fund: € 1271 Expenditure: € 1845

The 9.00am Mass every Sunday is offered for the intentions of the people of the parish.

The Chaplet of Divine Mercy is prayed after the 10.00am Mass on Saturday mornings except for First Saturdays.

Confessions are available after Mass on Sat morning 10.00am Mass or by calling to the Sacristy after weekday Masses.

Items for inclusion in the newsletter must be left in the Parochial House before 12 noon on Thursday. Please take a copy of the newsletter home with you to read in your own time. Thank you.

The Loop Hearing Aid system is currently available for all Ceremonies in this Church.

Prayer Books for the Way of the Cross are available at the Book Stand at the back of the Chapel €2 each.

Gluten – free hosts are available at Mass. Simply wait until Holy Communion is distributed to the Faithful and then come forward and make your request known to the Priest.

There will be a practice in preparation for Christmas for the Youth Choir on Monday 9th December at 7.45pm-9.00pm. All new members are welcome.

There will be a meeting of the Parish Pastoral Council on Wednesday 11th December 2019 at 7pm in the Parochial House. Any items for discussion must be forwarded to Fr Mc Hugh at the Parochial House on or before Tuesday 10th December.

The Parish Envelopes for 2020 are available at the back of the Chapel. Anyone who has moved to the parish and has not received envelopes and who would like to receive them please contact Fr. Mc Hugh. By using your envelopes you are credited for your contribution to the parish. PAYE workers and self-employed can claim tax back from the Revenue in lieu of their Contributions.

Parish Christmas Cards – will be on sale before Masses this weekend. A bundle of 6 Christmas cards is €5, if you buy 4 bundles you will get a bundle free.

Divine Mercy Retreat 14th Dec 2019 – retreat in preparation for Christmas. The retreat starts at 5 pm and will finish around 9 pm. Please let us know that you will attend at dvmletterkenny@gmail.com or telephone +353 74 916 9934.

Anam Cara Donegal, the organisation that supports bereaved parents, is holding a Parent Evening on 12th December at 7:20pm in the Radisson Blu Hotel, Letterkenny, Co. Donegal. This event is free and open to all bereaved parents regardless of the age your child died, the circumstances of their death, or whether their death was recent or not.