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Mass Intentions from 14th to 22nd December 2019.

Saturday 14th December

- 12.00pm: 4th Anniversary Mass in St. Finian's for John Quinlan.
- +7.30pm: Vigil Mass in Cillín Liath for the repose of the souls of Eileen & Paddy Clifford, Direen.

Sunday 15th December

- +10.00am: Mass in St Finian's for the repose of the souls of Paul Concannon, David Sheil, Jackie Sheehan.

Monday 16th December

- 10.00am: Mass in Oratory - Thanksgiving.
- 7.00pm: Christmas Concert, S.N. Cillín Liath.

Tuesday 17th December

- 9.30am: Mass in Valentia.
- 7.00pm: Carol Service in Valentia.

Wednesday 18th December

- 10.00am: Mass in Oratory for the repose of the souls of Mary Ann & Johnny O'Shea, Canuig and deceased family members.
- 12.00pm: Mass in Daniel O'Connell Church, Cahersiveen for Colaiste students & staff.
- 6.00pm: BoM Meeting in N.S. Cillín Liath.

Thursday 19th December

- 11.30am: Mass in Ionad na Dromoda.
- 8.00pm: BoM Meeting in St. Finian's N.S.

Friday 20th December

- 10.30am: Mass in Valentia N.S., Chapeltown.
- 7.30pm: Mass in St Finian's for the repose of the souls of Denis & William Sheehy, Cahersiveen.

Saturday 21st December

- 7.00pm: Communal Reconciliation Service, Cillín Liath.
- +7.30pm: Vigil Mass in Cillín Liath for the deceased members of the O'Connell family, Cappnagrown.

Sunday 22nd December

- +10.00am: 1st Anniversay Mass in St Finian's for the repose of the soul of Bridie Brennan, Beenbane.
- 11.30am: Mass in Cahersiveen.

MINISTRY ROTA:

Altar Servers for next weekend:

- Cillín Liath: Jack O'Sullivan, Ryan O'Connor.
- St. Finian's: Jack Moran, Cathal O'Shea, Finbarr McCarthy.

Lectors (Reading) for next weekend:

- Cillín Liath: O'Connell Family.
- St. Finian's: Brennan Family.

Eucharistic Ministers for month of December:

- Cillín Liath: Mary Sheehan, Helen O'Sullivan, Angela Hallissey.
- St. Finian's: Breda Fenton, Mary Jo Fitzpatrick, Mary Daly.

Cleaners for December:

- Cillín Liath: Eileen O'Shea. Cáit & Ann O'Connor.
- St. Finian's: Anita O'Sullivan, Angela Griffin.

Please see Rota in the porch and amend or add your name as appropriate. Volunteers needed and welcomed.

NOTICES:

- *S.N. Cillín Liath Christmas Concert will be held in Ionad na Dromoda on Monday 16th December at 7pm. All welcome!*
- *Maistir Gaoithe Community Alert church gate collection weekend of Sat 21st Sun and 22nd Dec. Your support would be appreciated.*
- *Bazaar: Píarsaigh Na Dromoda's Annual Bazaar will take place on Saturday December 14th in the Inny Tavern starting at 8.30pm. Great Hampers & Prizes on the night.*
- *50/50 Lotto – Píarsaigh na Dromoda have Christmas gift vouchers on sale in the usual lotto venues or contact Sean on 087 227 0662. We would like to thank everyone who supported our recent Boston Tea Party which raised €1,210 needed funds for the Club.*
- *BINGO & RAFFLE - Waterville Community Centre's Annual Fundraising Bingo and Monster Raffle takes place on Tuesday 17th December at 8.30pm in the Community Centre. All support much appreciated.*
- *South Kerry Development Partnership CLG on behalf of the Kerry LCDC-Led LAG is currently inviting Expressions of Interest for the Rural Development (LEADER) Programme Youth Sub-Theme. The total budget for this call is €66,000 and the maximum amount of funding available to any individual project is €7,500. Closing Date for receipt of EOIs is 5pm, Friday, 13th December. For info contact 066 – 9472724 or modonmell@skdp.net.*

HYMNS

All People That On Earth Do Dwell

All people that on Earth do dwell
Sing to the Lord with cheerful voice
Him serve with fear, His praise forthtell
Come ye before Him and rejoice

The Lord ye know is God indeed
Without our aid He did us make
We are his folk, he doth us feed
And for His sheep he doth us take

Make Me A Channel Of Your Peace

Make me a channel of Your peace
Where there is hatred, let me bring Your love
Where there is injury, Your pardon Lord
And where there's doubt, true faith in You

Oh Master, grant that I may never seek
So much to be consoled as to console
To be understood as to understand
To be loved as to love with all my soul

Make me a channel of Your peace
Where there's despair in life, let me bring hope
Where there is darkness, only light
And where there's sadness, ever joy

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Oh Come, Oh Come, Emmanuel

Oh come, oh come, Emmanuel
And ransom captive Israel
That mourns in lonely exile here
Until the Son of God appears

Rejoice, rejoice, Emmanuel
Shall come to thee, O Israel

I'll Sing A Hymn To Mary

I'll sing a hymn to Mary,
The Mother of my God,
The Virgin of all virgins,
Of David's Royal blood.
O teach me, holy Mary,
A loving song to frame,
When wicked men blaspheme thee,
To love and bless thy name.

O Lily of the Valley,
O mystic Rose what tree
Or flower, e'en the fairest,
Is half so fair as thee?
O let me, though so lowly,
Recite my Mother's fame:
When wicked men blaspheme thee,
I'll love and bless thy name.

**Offertory collection last week was €805.00.
We thank you for your continued generosity.**

Kerry Samaritans will have a church gate collection on Christmas Eve & Christmas Day across all Kerry parishes.

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