



Séipéal Mhuire Réalt na Mara

Anagaire

13ú Nollaig 2020

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Newsletter: Please submit any items for inclusion in the newsletter **before 6pm on Thursday** to: pp.annagry@gmail.com

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The Serenity Prayer
God grant me the serenity to accept the things I cannot change; the courage to change the things I can; and the wisdom to know the difference.

Críost liom
Críost liom, Críost romham,
Críost i mo dhiaidh,
Críost istigh ionam,
Críost fúm,
Críost os mo chionn,
Críost ar mo lámh dheis,
Críost ar mo lámh chlé,
Críost i mo luí dom,
Críost i mo sheasamh dom,
Críost i gcroí achan duine atá ag cuimhneamh orm,
Críost i mbéal achan duine a labhraíonn liom,
Críost i ngach súil a dhearcas orm, Críost i ngach cluas a éisteanh liom.

Aifrinn na Seachtaine

Sat	12th Dec	6.30pm	Annie Boyle, Ranafast Crossroads
Sun	13th Dec	9.00am	Anthony Gillespie, Braade Joe Boyle (Rosie) Mary Bernadette Greene, Carrickfinn - Month's Mind
Mon	14th Dec	11.00am	No Mass
Tues	15th Dec	10.00am	Maurice O'Donnell, Mullaghduff
Wed	16th Dec	7.00pm	Private Intention
Thurs	17th Dec	10.00am	Anne O'Donnell, Meenacreve - Months Mind
		11.00am	Funeral of Peig Neil McBride, Birmingham
Fri	18th Dec	7.00pm	Lally, Barney, Caitlin & Marion Duffy, Annagry East
Sat	19th Dec	6.30pm	Private Intention
Sun	20th Dec	9.00am	Private Intention
		11.00am	Pro Populo

Bás le gairid & Cuimhneachán bás: Elizabeth Delap, Bunbeg.

Christmas Confession: Christmas confessions will take place this Wednesday the 16th from 7:30pm-8:30pm. There will be three priests available to hear confession, socially distanced in the sanctuary area of the Church. Confessions are available by request after every Mass.

Covid19 Guidelines: It is now mandatory that face-mask coverings must be worn in the church. If you would like to attend Mass, please consider going to one of the weekday Masses instead of a weekend Mass. There is more availability of space at weekday Masses, than at weekends.

Annagry Church Christmas Eve/Day Masses.

Due to the very limited number of 50 persons permitted in our Annagry chapel during these trying times, and after consulting with the Annagry Parish Liturgy & Spirituality Working Group, discussing the different ways to cater for the larger than capacity numbers expected in Annagry for the Christmas Eve/Day Masses; it has been decided in the spirit of fairness and health & safety, to have Christmas Eve Mass 9pm & Christmas Day Mass 9am & 11am - **as online only.**

Fr Nigel will celebrate the Mass together with sacristan, those on the reading rota and our parish choir in attendance only. The majority of people will be able to watch the Mass online. With the kind assistance of CLG Naomh Muire, we also hope to be able to broadcast the Mass locally on a radio transmitter. McDevitt's Garage and Sharkey's Bar have kindly offered their car parking areas to anyone who mightn't have a smartphone or tablet and would like to come along, to listen to the Mass outside in the comfort of their cars. Fr Nigel will distribute Communion to those who would like to receive after each of the Masses outside at the porch area. A family candle will be available for collection in the church in the week leading up to Christmas Eve; families are encouraged to take a candle and light it during our Christmas Eve/Day Mass. This is a tough time for everyone; we are very conscious that this arrangement will not suit everyone; we all would love, not to have these measures, however, with only 50 people permitted inside under the current Level 3 restrictions, Fr Nigel, the Liturgy & Spirituality Working Group and those consulted feel, that to avoid the disappointment of refusal of entry, this is the fairest and safest option in our parish during these two special days. www.annagryparish.ie or <https://www.mcnmedia.tv/camera/st-marys-star-of-the-sea-church>

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