

# Newsletter

Church of The Assumption Pomeroy  
Church of The Immaculate Conception Altmore

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*“For God so loved the world, that He gave His only begotten Son, that whoever believes in Him shall not perish, but have eternal life”*

## POMEROY MASS TIMES

Recently Deceased Sr. Theresita McGlinchey Altmore/Dublin,  
Pearse Kelly, Aimee Allen, Niall Quinn,

Sun Vigil (Sat)  
Sun  
Mon.  
Tues. 11am St. Patrick’s Day Mass on -Webcam ONLY  
Tom Rafferty, Peter Daly, Peter Donnelly

Wed.  
Thurs.  
Fri.

Sat.  
Sun. 11am Peggy Slean, Johnny & Teresa Hamill  
Webcam ONLY

## ALTMORE MASS TIMES

Sun. 15th Mar.  
Tues. 17<sup>th</sup> March  
St. Patrick’s Day  
Sun. 22nd Mar.

**YOUR PARISH  
CONTRIBUTION  
£1,488.92**

## THOSE ASSISTING AT MASS

28th & 29th Mar. 7pm Vigil Mass 11am Mass Altmore 9.30am

Lectors

Eucharistic  
Ministers

Prayers of the  
Faithful

## PARISH SACRAMENTS

Confessions Sat. 6.40 Pomeroy  
Baptisms 1st & 3rd Sat. 4.00pm

**Psalm 94**  
**“O that today you would listen to his voice! Harden not your hearts”.**

## PARISH ANNOUNCEMENTS

### Priests of the Pastoral Area for Emergencies only

Very Rev Sean O’Neill, P.P. 028 80761207  
Very Rev Patrick Hughes P.P. 028 86751206

### Parish Information

Parish Secretary Dympna Lagan Tel: 02887758329  
Mon, Wed, Thurs & Fri 10am-1pm E: [pomeroysecretary@hotmail.com](mailto:pomeroysecretary@hotmail.com)  
Pomeroy Sacristan Mrs A.M. Bonner Tel: 07990647495  
Altmore Sacristan Miss M. Clarke Tel: 02887758239  
Parish Safeguarding Representatives  
Mr & Mrs Gerard McDonald Tel: 02887758019  
St Mary’s Primary School  
Mr Damian Eannetta Tel: 02887758541  
Accord Marriage Preparation Tel: 02838334781  
March Cleaners: Church Anne Slane, Eilish McCourt & Mary McCreesh  
Oratory J. Cunningham & A. Heagney

### DATES FOR YOUR DIARY

**First Penance: Wednesday 25 March at 7pm**  
**First Holy Communion Saturday 6<sup>th</sup> June 11.00am**  
**Blessing of Graves Altmore 3pm Mass Sun. 31<sup>st</sup> May (No 9.30am Mass)**  
**Blessing of Graves Pomeroy 28<sup>th</sup> June 11am Mass**

### POMEROY PARISH RETREAT TO LOUGH DERG – SUNDAY 24TH MAY

The one-day retreats to Lough Derg have become very popular and the Parish Pastoral Council have agreed (subject to sufficient interest) to arrange a Parish Retreat on Sunday 24th May. The cost which includes all refreshments, lunch, return boat service and ministry services would be £40 with the Parish covering the cost of transport. To register your interest please contact the Parish Office with your details during normal opening hours by Friday 20th March.

**Institute of Irish Leadership, Pomeroy** Ciorcal Comhrá Gaeilge/Irish Language Conversation Circle every Thurs 10.30 am/11.30am. Walking group continues every Monday 11am – 12noon. Meet in Pomeroy forest car park.  
Contact [saconlon15@hotmail.co.uk](mailto:saconlon15@hotmail.co.uk) or tel :02887757800/ 07709714100

**Parish Office will now be closed during this time of uncertainty, with the exception of Friday. All business etc can be conducted by contacting Fr. Moore. 028 87757867.**

**Shaskeen in Concert - 27 March Omagh Comhaltas** presents Shaskeen in Concert, sponsored by Fermanagh & Omagh District Council on Friday 27 March in Dún Uladh. See below contact details for tickets or you can book through Eventbrite. Workshops with Shaskeen will be held in Dún Uladh on 28 March (12noon to 3pm) Book early. Music Session with Shaskeen in INF hall, Omagh from 8pm on 28 March. For further information on workshops or concert tickets contact 07818451716, 07831399428 or 07879673721 Check out Omagh Comhaltas Ceoltóirí Éireann Facebook for more information

Any Funerals or Weddings during this period, are limited to IMMEDIATE FAMILY ONLY. The Church cannot exceed 100 people.

**Pomeroy men's shed @ Rowantree Centre - Open day on Saturday 28th March 10am-2pm. Come and have a look round and see what we do and have a cuppa and a chat. All welcome. Drop in any day to view our shed.**

**CAVANAKEERAN COMMUNITY CENTRE.** We are pleased to announce: Our New Community Hub is nearing completion, it will be completed to Builders Specification in the very near future. This is an exciting time for everyone in our Community. We hope to arrange an open day where everyone will be invited to our new facility. Watch this space. A committee has been formed to facilitate the further development of the Hub. Committee members are: Denis Devlin, Cathal Mallaghan, Kieran Quinn, Una Quinn, Jackie McCrystal, Elis Kelly, Gary McDonald, Dominic Molloy, Sean Quinn & Declan Coyle

**RURAL ACTION/Pomeroy Local History Talks** – 1<sup>st</sup> of a series of talks taking place in the Rowan Tree Centre on Monday 23<sup>rd</sup> March at 8.00pm. Guest Speaker, Roddy Hegarty with a presentation on ‘Settlers or invaders; who do you think we are? An overview of settlement in Ireland from the earliest times’ Events free of charge and everyone welcome

**MID-ULSTER FESTIVAL OF AMATEUR DRAMA** 20th-28th March @ The Patrician, Carrickmore. Box Office 80761906 Mon.16th March - Sat. 28th March 10am - 5pm daily. See Facebook & local press for programme details.