

# 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 Margaret McConnell, Sarah Beggs-Leeds, Patsy Conway-Formerly Limehill

Sun. 15th Nov. 11am Peter Rafferty, Patrick & Sarah Harvey, John Quinn-London, Ita McKearney

Mon. 16<sup>th</sup> Nov. 7.30pm John McCrystal M.M.

Wed. 9.30am Welfare Intention  
Fri. 9.30am Mass

Sun. 22nd Nov. 11am Teresa McCloskey, Margaret Creggan

## DONAGHMORE MASS TIMES

**Vigil Mass**  
Sat. 14th Nov. 6pm

**Tuesday 17th Nov. 9.30am Mass**

**Thursday 19th Nov. 9.30am Mass**

**Vigil Mass**  
Sat. 21st Nov. 6pm

## ALTMORE MASS TIMES

Sun. 15th Nov. 9.30am Frances Rafferty, Pat & Susan Quinn

Fri. 20<sup>th</sup> Nov. 7.30pm Mary Kelly M.M.

Sun. 22nd Nov. 9.30am Peter Joe & Josie Donnelly, Patrick & Josie Coyle

### Assisting at Mass-

### Readers

**Sun. 15th Nov. Margaret Clarke**

**Sun. 22nd Nov. Helen Heron**

### Eucharistic Ministers

**Sun. 15th Nov. Niall Vincent**

**Sun. 22nd Nov. Claire McGlinchey**

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

**Psalm 65**  
**“Cry out with joy to God all the earth.”**

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Assisting at Mass –

### POMEROY READERS

**Sun. 15th Nov. Bronwen Quinn**

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**Sun. 22nd Nov. Declan Rafferty**

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## PARISH ANNOUNCEMENTS

### Priests of the Pastoral Area for Emergencies only

**Very Rev Sean O’Neill, P.P.** 028 80761207  
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### Parish Information

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October Cleaners: Church Oratory

### UNCERTAIN TIMES

DURING THESE UNCERTAIN TIMES WE SHOULD ALL TAKE TIME TO THINK HOW THINGS WE TAKE FOR GRANTED CAN BE GONE IN JUST A BLINK THE TIME WE SPEND WITH LOVED ONES OR MEETING WITH OUR FRIENDS THE SIMPLE THINGS LIKE WORK OR SCHOOL WE THOUGHT COULD NEVER END THE CHANCE TO TRAVEL WHERE WE WANT TO SUPPORT OUR FAVOURITE TEAM OR WORSHIP IN OUR LOCAL CHURCH TO PRAY FOR ALL OUR NEEDS BUT WHEN THIS PANDEMIC'S OVER DON'T GO BACK TO HOW THINGS WERE INSTEAD, SHOW MORE LOVE FOR ONE ANOTHER AND LET PEOPLE KNOW YOU CARE SPEND MORE TIME WITH LOVED ONES APPRECIATE YOUR WORK OR SCHOOL ADMIRE THE BEAUTY THAT SURROUNDS YOU AND THANK GOD FOR ALL THAT TOO GIVE THANKS FOR ALL THE CARERS AND THOSE WHO KEEP US SAFE IN HOSPITALS AND CARE HOMES OR IN OUR FAMILY SPACE THESE TIMES HAVE BEEN A LEARNING CURVE FOR US TO UNDERSTAND THAT WHAT THE FUTURE HOLDS FOR US IS ALWAYS IN GOD'S HANDS SO LETS MAKE AN EXTRA EFFORT TO KEEP EACH OTHER SAFE AND WELL AND LOOK OUT FOR ONE ANOTHER DURING THIS UNCERTAIN SPELL

**Special thanks to those who contributed to the work of World Missions Ireland on Mission Sunday.** October is traditionally the month where we support in prayer and donation, the work of our overseas missionaries. Pope Francis while speaking earlier in the pandemic spoke of this year offering us a renewed opportunity to "be missionary towards others - to be of service to others". Let us continue to be witnesses to the Gospel message of hope and love to those in need.

Enrol now for our Online 6 week Cookery Classes through Live Zoom Tue 27th Oct-Tues 1st Dec 7-8 pm. Limited places available.  
Online 10 week Irish Language conversation circle through Live Zoom. Fri 16th Oct-Fri 18th Dec 10.30-11.30am.  
Walking group continues every Monday 10.30-11.30am with MUSA Coordinator. Meet in Pomeroy Forest car park. Everybody welcome. Your support is appreciated.  
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**As we approach winter and the end of this challenging year, we would like to let you know that our Annual Appeal, beginning 18th November, will be very different than that of previous years.** Anyone wishing to help can donate money, vouchers/gift cards or items of food for our food bank. Food can be left in our trolley in Tesco, Asda and Quinns, Chapel Street Cookstown, where you see our signs. Anyone wishing to help or anyone in NEED of our help, telephone our confidential helpline on: 02886769400, option 3 or email: [sypcookstownconference@gmail.com](mailto:sypcookstownconference@gmail.com) Many thanks for your continued support over the years, The Immaculate Conception Conference Cookstown

Mary’s Meals ----- Double the Love Every year we are amazed by the generosity of parishoners in Pomeroy Parish who support Mary’s Meals Backpack Project and feeding programme. Unfortunately due to Covid-19 we are unable to collect and distribute backpacks for the foreseeable future. In the interim the good news is that any donations made to Mary’s Meals “Double the Love” campaign from the 2nd November until the 31st January 2021 will be matched by the UK Government up to £2 million, in order to provide daily meals for 43,000 children in Liberia. £15.90 feeds a child every day for a full school year. Find out more at [www.marysmeals.org.uk/doublethelove](http://www.marysmeals.org.uk/doublethelove) or contact Pat McNeill 07774043147.