

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	Teresa McCluskey
Sun Vigil (Sat) 7pm	John Williamson
Sun 11am	Eamon & Anne Quinn
Mon. 7.30pm	Marcus Lambe MM
Tues 9.30am	Joe & Anne Kelly, John & Paul McVeigh
Wed 9.30am	Mass
Thurs 9.30am	Special Intention
Fri 9.30am	Mass
Sat. 15 th Dec. 7pm	Philomena, Malachy & Lily Murphy, Nora & Aloisius Lagan, Eamon Mooney,
Sun. 16 th Dec. 11am	Owen & Mary Ellen Harte

THOSE ASSISTING AT MASS

15 th & 16 th Dec.	7pm Vigil Mass	11am Mass	Altmore 9.30am
Lectors	A. M. Devlin & M. Harte	B. Quinn & D. Rafferty	C. McDonald & T. O'Neill
Eucharistic Ministers	A. Nugent, K. Murphy & A. McAleer	P. Grimes, A. Rafferty & C. Kilpatrick	Patricia Conlon
Prayers of the Faithful	Daniel McNally	Conor Quinn	Erin McDonald

PARISH SACRAMENTS

Confessions Sat. 6.30pm Pomeroy
Baptisms 1st & 3rd Sat. 5.30pm

ALTMORE MASS TIMES

Sun. 9nd Dec. 9.30am
Patrick Donnelly

Sun. 16th Dec. 9.30am
Pat & Margaret Hurson, John McGeough

YOUR PARISH CONTRIBUTION PRIESTS' DUES

Psalm 125
"What marvels the Lord worked for us! Indeed we were glad".

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	
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
Church & Oratory Cleaners:		
December:	Church	Sharon Rafferty & Oonagh Gormley
	Oratory	Marie Coyle & Martina O'Gara

GIVE A TRÓCAIRE GIFT OF LOVE

Trócaire Christmas gifts will be on sale next weekend (8th and 9th Dec) after Mass in Pomeroy and Altmore. Some of the gifts available are SOAP £5, CHICKS £7, SEEDS AND TOOL £10, GOAT £40, BEEHIVE £55, PLOUGH AND FARMING TOOLS £175, SOLAR LAMP £10, SCHOOL LUNCHESES £15, SCHOOL KIT £25, MOTHER AND BABY CARE £75. Please take a catalogue, which are on the tables at each of the chapel doors, for details of other gifts. It would be appreciated if you could have the exact money with you. Please remember - When you buy a Trócaire Gift a family in need receives the gift, helping them to change their lives.

Choir practise will be held on Thursday 13 and 20 December, at 8pm in the church. All members are asked to attend in preparation for Christmas. Thank you.

Rosary for the Holy Souls in the Oratory on Sunday @ 7pm.

Holy Trinity College, Cookstown. Christmas Craft Fayre, Monday 17th December. Come and enjoy the Christmas festivities at Holy Trinity College 5.30-8.30pm. Free admission. All welcome

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Flaxmill Centre Drumduff, Sixmilecross

Tue 11th Dec - Old Time Dance with music by Larry & Co starts 9.30pm
Sun 16th Dec- Grand Christmas Bazaar -lots of very valuable prizes to be won including 32" Smart TV, Echo, Toys, Turkeys, Household items, Food Hampers etc. Starts 4.00 pm.
For more details ring 028 8076 1848

Conradh na Gaeilge - Pomeroy Gaelic League: Grants 2019

Parents who are considering sending a child to an Irish College in the Gaeltacht during the summer are advised that children who attend a Gaelic League College - Teileann, Rann na Feirste or Loch an Iúir - will be eligible for funding from the Gaelic League after Easter.

Institute of Irish Leadership

Bookings now taken for light refreshments after months mind Masses. Walking group every Monday 11am-12 noon with MUSA co-ordinator. Meet in forest car park. **Now having a Coffee morning every Thursday 10am-12.30pm here for locals to meet for a chat. A community get together! Everybody welcome. Your support is appreciated. Contact kathleenburnsiil@gmail.com**

The Rowan Tree Annual Senior Citizens Christmas dinner. Few places left for Mon. 10th Dec. @ 2pm Contact Rowan Tree on 87757834 a s a p.

Christmas at St. Joseph's Grammar School, Donaghmore

Our annual Christmas Carol Service will take place on Tuesday 18 December at 7.30pm in St. Patrick's Church, Donaghmore. Refreshments will be served in the Parlour in the school after the Carol Service. This is an opportunity to embrace the spirit of Christmas which is Peace, the gladness of Christmas which is Hope, and the Heart of Christmas which is Love in our community.

The Rowan Tree Centre are asking if you have any of their tables or chairs which you borrowed at some time, can you please return them ASAP