

The **Little Flower Youth Committee** will be selling tickets at **all Masses this weekend**. Tickets are €2 each or book of 6 for €10. The draw will take place on the 17th December in Mount Carmel House of Prayer. Proceeds will go to help our **Youth grow in Faith** ~ through School Retreats, Pilgrimages, Search Weekends or N.E.T.

Comhaltas Letterkenny will be performing '**TRAD. TUNES FOR CHRISTMAS**' in the Letterkenny Shopping Centre this afternoon, Sunday 14th December from 2 pm to 4 pm in aid of St. Vincent de Paul. Your support would be greatly appreciated.

A **CEILÍ** will be held in the Bonagee Community Centre on Sunday 14th December. Dancing 8 pm to 11 pm. Admission (including supper) - €7. Everyone welcome.

**PARISH CHRISTMAS CARDS** (€6 per pack of six) **ARE ON SALE** from the Parochial House, Veritas and **after all the weekend Masses**.

**SANCTUARY CLEANING** in preparation for Christmas will be held on Monday 15th December at 2 pm. All Altar Society Members are invited to attend.

**BOXES OF SUNDAY ENVELOPES** for 2015 are ready for distribution. If you distributed them last year, it would be great if you would do so again this year. If you are living in the Parish and would like to receive a box of Sunday envelopes for 2015, please contact the Parochial House on 9121021 as soon as possible.

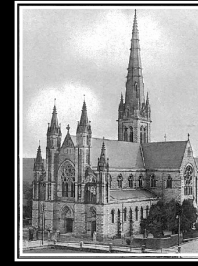
The **CHRISTMAS CURSILLO ULTREYA** will be held tonight, Sunday 14th December, in the Church of the Irish Martyrs at 8 pm. All Members are welcome.

**CHRISTMAS DINNER** with all the trimmings will be served in Cara House on Tuesday 16th, Wednesday 17th and Thursday 18th December - 12 noon to 1.30 pm. Cost €5. All Welcome.

The **Conwal Singers** will host '**CAROLS AT CHRISTMAS**' in Conwal Parish Church on Wednesday 17th December at 8 pm. Under the musical direction of Conductors Karen Patton and Triona Sweeney the singers will perform seasonal carols. Voluntary retiring collection followed by mince pies and festive fare in the Parish Hall.

**LETTERKENNY ECUMENICAL COMMUNITY CAROL TRAIL** ~ We **INVITE** all the members from our five Choirs, Singers and Parishioners to join with Choir Members from the other Churches on **Friday 19th December** at 7.15 pm in the Cathedral Car Park. We will walk to Trinity Presbyterian Church where we will begin our Carol Trail at 7.30 pm with Christmas Carols and Scripture Readings, stopping at the Methodist Church, Gospel Hall, St. Eunan's Cathedral (8.10 pm) and Conwall Parish Church. We will have refreshments in Conwall Parish Hall afterwards. We welcome everyone to come along and make this an evening of friendship and unity.

**FOOD APPEAL** ~ We Care LK Food Bank is a voluntary organisation whose aim is to deliver services to those who are most in need in the Letterkenny/Donegal area. We urgently need tinned meat, fish, fruit, pasta, rice, cereal, sugar, tea, coffee, dried milk and jars of pasta sauce. Food can be left at the Letterkenny Community Centre and Gormley's, Centra, Glencar for collection. Food donations are appreciated.



## ST. EUNAN'S CATHEDRAL LETTERKENNY NEWSLETTER

**Sunday 14th December 2014**

*Third Sunday of Advent*

### THANK YOU

We take this opportunity to thank all Groups and Leaders who led one of the Holy Hours during our All Night Vigil. We thank everyone who came to the Cathedral throughout the night and early morning.

### CHRISTMAS DAY DINNER



The Annual Christmas Day Dinner for people living on their own will be held in the Conwal Parish Hall, (behind the Church of Ireland) on Christmas Day from 1 pm until 4 pm. The purpose of the event is to help people who are living on their own to break through isolation and loneliness on the day, to provide company and celebration. Transport can be provided if required. If you wish to avail of a dinner or have any enquiries please contact Kathy on 086-8676565.

### Confession Times for Christmas

**Saturday 20th December: 12 noon to 1 pm and 8 pm**

**Sunday 21st December: 1 pm to 5 pm**

**Monday 22nd December: 10.30 am to 12 noon and 8 pm**

**Tuesday 23rd December: 10.30 am to 6 pm and 8 pm**

### ST. EUNAN'S CATHEDRAL CAROL SERVICE

We extend a warm welcome to all Parishioners and visitors to Letterkenny, to come to our Carol Service next Sunday, 21st December at 7.30 pm and join in the singing of your favourite carols.

### CATHEDRAL CRIB DONATIONS

The Cathedral Crib Donations will be given to our local St. Vincent de Paul Branch. We thank all members of St. Vincent de Paul for their untiring work throughout the whole year and especially in the run up to Christmas.

## Sunday 14th December

**Masses** ~ 8 am, 10 am, 12 noon and 6.30 pm

**Baptisms** - 1.30 pm

**St Pius X Adoration Chapel** is open at 1 pm

**LifeTeen Youth Group** in the Conference Room - 7.30 pm

**Al-Anon Meeting** in the Pastoral Centre - 8 pm

**AA Meeting** in the Pastoral Centre - 11 am and 8.30 pm

## Monday 15th December

**8 am Mass** ~ Brendan O'Boyle

**10 am Mass** ~ Eileen Ann Dalton

**7.30 pm Mass** ~ ®

**St Pius X Adoration Chapel** is open

**CONFESSIONS:** 8 pm - 8.30 pm

**Grow Meeting** in Loreto Convent - 8 pm

**AA Meeting** in the Pastoral Centre - 8.30 pm

Morning Prayer (9.40 am)  
(Monday to Saturday)  
Evening Prayer (7.10 pm)  
(Monday to Friday)

## Tuesday 16th December

**8 am Mass** ~ Deceased Members of the Gallagher Family

**10 am Mass** ~ ®

**7.30 pm Mass** ~ Kay and Tommy Gallagher

**St Pius X Adoration Chapel** is open

**Legion of Mary Meeting** in the Conference Room after 10 am Mass

**Legion of Mary Meeting:** Room 112, Loreto Secondary School - 7 pm

**'The Footprints of God' Holy Land Course** in the Conference Room - 8 pm

**Divine Prayer Group** in the Crib Room - 8 pm

**Al-Anon Meeting** in the Pastoral Centre - 8.30 pm

**Gamblers' Anonymous Meeting** in the Pastoral Centre - 8.15 pm

## Wednesday 17th December

**8 am Mass** ~ Danny and Phyllis Gibbons (50th Wedding Anniversary)

**10 am Mass** ~ Michael Nealon

**7.30 pm Mass** ~ Ursula McGlynn

**St Pius X Adoration Chapel** is open

**Cathedral Choir Practice** in the Conference Room - 8 pm

**Mother's Prayer Group Meeting** in Loreto Convent - 8 pm

**Website:** [www.steunanscathedral.ie](http://www.steunanscathedral.ie)

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**St. Vincent de Paul** ~ Parish of Conwal and Leck ~ 9129503

**St. Vincent de Paul** ~ Parish of Aughaninshin ~ 9122366

## Thursday 18th December

**8 am Mass** ~ Redmond and Mary McMonagle

**10 am Mass** ~ ®

**7.30 pm Mass** ~ Alice Laughlin (First Anniversary)

**St Pius X Adoration Chapel** is open

**AA Meeting** in the Pastoral Centre - 5.30 pm

**Baptism Preparation** in the Parochial House tonight, Thursday 18th December - 8 pm

**Charismatic Prayer Group** in the Conference Room - 8 pm

## Friday 19th December

**8 am Mass** ~ Susan and Michael O'Boyle

**10 am Mass** ~ Willie Wiseman

**7.30 pm Mass** ~ Al McKenna, Owen McMonagle, Jim McGlynn, Anna McGlynn, Terry McDermott, Willie Sweeney, Albert Sweeney, Tom Gallen, Winnie Gallen, Robert Reid, Bridget McGeever, John McGeever, Bridie McBride, Kathleen Sweeney and Christina Quinn

**St Pius X Adoration Chapel** is open

**Al-Anon Meeting** in the Pastoral Centre - 10.30 am

**AA Meeting for Women** in the Cathedral Conference Room - 1 pm

**AA Meeting** in the Pastoral Centre - 5.30 pm

**Gamblers' Anonymous Meeting** in the Pastoral Centre - 8.15 pm

## Saturday 20th December

**10 am Mass** ~ Mary McMenamin (Month' Mind Mass)

**1.30 pm** ~ Nuptial

**Baptisms** - 5 pm

**7.30 pm** ~ Vigil Mass

**Confessions:** 12 noon to 1 pm and after the 7.30 pm Mass

**AA Meeting** in the Pastoral Centre - 11 am

**OFFERTORY COLLECTION** - 7th December 2014 - €5,366

**OFFERTORY COLLECTION** - 8th December 2014 - €1,530

Parish Expenditure ~ €30,664.49 (Includes €23,000, instalment for repairs to Organ)

Thank you for your gift to God and His Church

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**'FOLLOW THE STAR' CHRISTMAS TRAIL** at the IOSAS Celtic Prayer Garden, Muff. An interactive family experience to recapture the true spirit of Christmas taking place on Wednesday 17th, Friday 19th and Sunday 21st December. Pre-booking essential. For tickets and further information contact the IOSAS Centre on 9384866.