

The priests of the parish wish to extend a word of thanks to all those who worked so hard through the year to enhance the life of our parish:

The counters and collectors, the envelope distributors, the readers, the Eucharistic Ministers, the church cleaners and decorators, the choirs and singers and musicians, the servers and Kieran and the assistant sacristans; Lily in the shop and the car park assistants and stewards, the parish house and office staff, the school principals and teachers and SNAs and the other school staff members and boards of management, the parish finance committee and the parish pastoral council and unit pastoral council and many others who helped in all manners of ways, unobtrusively and so generously.

We wish to extend a word of congratulations to those who got married - may the Lord strengthen your unions and deepen your love. To all who were baptised - may the lives of your parents and Godparents be examples of faith to inspire you and may you grow up fully aware of the Lord's love for you. Congratulations too to the boys and girls who received their first Holy Communion and to those who were Confirmed.

We wish to extend a word of sympathy to all who lost a loved one during the year - the people with whom you shared other Christmases and whom you miss greatly. May the Lord grant them eternal rest and may he ease your sadness and fill you with hope.

We wish all our parishioners and everyone dear to your hearts - especially those who are far away and cannot be with us in person - every joy at the coming of Jesus and profound peace in your hearts at this time of grace.

We wish you all a very happy and holy Christmas.



Split the Pot

Congratulations to **Geraldine Lillis** winner of last weekends draw. Envelopes are available at the back of the church. All proceeds go toward maintenance of the Cathedral. Thank you for your continued support.

Priests of the Parish

Canon Gerard Garrett
Fr Leo McDonnell
Canon John Daly
Fr Peter Claver Emeke Eze
Fr Daniel Tomasik

Parish Office

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Mass Times

Mon—Fri 10am, 5.45pm
Sat 10am & 6pm Vigil
Sun 8am, 10.30am, 12 noon

Holy Days

Vigil Weekdays 5.45pm
Weekdays 10am, 5.45pm

Confessions

Saturday 10.30am

Baptisms

Saturday 4.30pm

Recent Baptisms

We welcome to the Christian community
Freddie Halpin
We wish Freddie and his family every blessing.

Eucharistic Adoration

Takes place Friday's from 4pm to 5.30pm in the Adoration Chapel.

All are welcome.

Christmas Mass Times and Confessions

Monday 23rd December

Mass 10am and 5.45pm
Confessions after each Mass

Tuesday 24th December

Mass 10am
Confessions after Mass

Christmas Eve

Mass 5pm (Cantor)
Christmas Carols at 6.30pm
Mass 7pm (Senior Choir)

Wednesday 25th December

Christmas Day

Mass 8am, 10.30am (Folk Choir) and 12 noon (Senior Choir)

Thursday 26th / Friday 27th December

Mass 10am only (no evening Mass)

Saturday 28th December

Mass times as normal for the Weekend

Monday 30th December to Thursday 2nd January

Mass 10am only (no evening Mass)

Friday 3rd January

Mass times resume as normal

Boxes of Weekly Envelopes are available for collection this weekend after all masses from Kieran in the sacristy. If you would like to join our parish planned giving please contact the Parish office or Kieran.

Twelve Cribs of Christmas— The handout available at the back of the church this is for anyone who may wish to view the cribs of Limerick. Each stop has a focal point and a specific prayer.