



**St. Columba's Church
Douglas**
021-489 4128 (Office)
087-261 7143

Sunday Mass
6 pm Sun 9.30, 11.00
& 12.15



Douglas/Rochestown Parish

Sunday 15 December 2019

**St. Patrick's Church
Rochestown**
021-489 6797
(Office)

Sunday Mass
Sun 11.00 and
12.30



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BAPTISMS

We welcome to the Christian community the following who were baptised recently:

- Bobby Laurence Cumming**, son of Laura & Paul, Rochestown
Isaac John Cleary, son of Emar & John Maryborough Hill.
Clodagh, Marguerite, Sharon Hickey, daughter of Katie & Eoin, Johnstown Farm.
Denise Sophia Considine, daughter of Katie & Rimson, Rochestown.

WEDDINGS:

Congratulations to the following who were married recently: **Donna Murray**, Ballincollig and **Mike Cody**, Lissadell. **Sarah Marshall** and **Joey O'Shea**, Clarks Wood.

DEATHS:

The deaths took place of the following : **Mary O'Riordan**, Lissadell, beloved wife of the late John and dear Mother of Siobhán, Eoghan, Máire and Eileen. **Michael Riordan**, Gartan Park, early beloved husband of the late Kathleen and much loved father of Yvonne and Rachel. **Pat Dempsey**, Douglas, pre-deceased by his beloved wife Jane. Sadly missed by his partner Pat Desmond, son Darragh, daughters Aoife and SheenMay they rest in peace. Ar dheis lámh Dé go raibh siad.

News Desk

FINANCE: Offertory Collection last Sunday: **St. Columba's** : €3033. **St. Patrick's**: €1530. Many Thanks for your generosity.

Christmas Penitential Services

St. Columba's: Mon. 16th Dec. @ 10.00am **St. Patrick's: Mon 16th Dec. @ 7.30pm**

Christmas Masses in Douglas

St Columba's: Christmas Eve 6.00pm (Vigil) 7.15pm, (Vigil) 9.00pm (Choir)
Christmas Day 9.30am 11.00am 12.15pm
After Christmas Weekday Masses
St Stephen's Day: 11.00am From Fri. 27 Dec: 10.00am

St. Patrick's: Christmas Eve 6.30pm (Vigil) 10.00pm
Christmas Day 9.30am 11.00am 12.30pm

After Christmas Weekday Masses

No Mass St. Stephen's Day
 Fri. 27th Dec –Wed 31 Dec 9.30am
Jan 1st '20 New Year's Day 11.00am



This weeks newsletter sponsored by:



Christmas Specialities

Prepared Cooked /Raw Turkey Breast available Spice Beef, Roast Duck Full Baked Ham and ½ Baked Ham also available

**Seasonal Stuffings, Selection of Potatoes & Veg
 Christmas Log, Mince Pies.
 Main Courses & Desserts available**

**Book
 Now!**

**Open
 Mon – Fri
 9am – 6pm**

**Sat.
 9am – 4.30pm**

**Tel: 021 4890060
 Tramway Terrace,
 Douglas Cork**

Notices

**Eucharistic Adoration
 Tuesday 17 Dec. 7-8pm- in
 Parish Centre. The Parish
 Assembly** invites you to very special celebrations for Advent in the form of quiet, peaceful Candlelit Eucharistic Adoration.

Ministers of Eucharist
 -please give names for Masses Christmas Eve/Christmas Day to office.

**.Annual Christmas Concert
 Sunday 15 Dec @ 7.00pm** in St. Patrick's Church, Rochestown 5 Choirs - lots of good music and singing! In aid of ARC House and Douglas Meals on Wheels. Tickets: €10 .

St Columba's The Story of a Community -copies of book available in Parish Office. Price: €15 – **an ideal Christmas Gift!**

CHRISTMAS 2019 ST. COLUMBA'S PARISH OFFICE HOURS
 Closed from **Friday 20 December** Reopening **Thursday 2nd January**

Stay independent for longer under **the Seniors Alert Scheme** Personal alarms are available to older people over 65 ,gives reassurance and security in the home --in an emergency help is at hand at the press of a button anytime day or night 7 days a week 24 hours a day. alarms are free for the first year ,**Douglas Young @Heart** is the registered organisation to operate the scheme. for more info contact Phil Goodman 087 2987161 philgoodman01@gmail.com