**SUNDAY, December 15th** Today’s Mass is being offered for:

* Eileen, Tony & Aidan Mason, Moybella, Lisselton
* Tony Collins, Ballydonoghue whose 1st anniversary occurs at this time.

**SUNDAY, December 22nd** Mass at 11.00 a.m. will be offered for:

* Richard Kissane, Glouria

**CHRISTMAS MASS:** Please note times of Masses over the Christmas period

* Tuesday, December 24th Christmas Eve Mass at 7.30 p.m.
* Wednesday, December 25th Christmas Day Mass at 11.00 a.m.

**SUNDAY COLLECTION**: Last Sunday’s Collection amounted to €570.00. We thank you for your generosity and we thank those who took up the collection.

**THE SOCIETY OF ST. VINCENT de PAUL:** Would like to thank the people of Ballydonoghue who contributed to the collection last week. The proceeds amounted to €952.50 so far.

**LISSELTON SCHOOL CHRISTMAS BAKE SALE:** The Annual Lisselton School Christmas Bake Sale takes place on Wednesday next, December 18th at the school. Time: 9.30 a.m. – 11.00 a.m.

Everybody welcome.

**GATES:** We respectfully ask you to refrain from parking in front of both entrance gates, to allow access and egress for people with limited mobility. Thank you.

**2025 A JUBILEE YEAR IN THE CHURCH:** A Jubilee Year is held every twenty-five years. Pope Francis will officially open the year by opening a Holy Door in St Peter’s Basilica, Rome on Christmas Eve. The beginning will be celebrated worldwide on the following Sunday, 29th December Feast Day of the Holy Family in every diocese worldwide, and thus at all our Masses that weekend.

Pope Francis has chosen the Jubilee theme “Pilgrims of Hope”.

We are asked to treat the year ahead as a year-long pilgrimage seeking together to become more aware

that truly Jesus Christ Our Saviour is with us each day, - as our help, strength and guide.

When we speak of ‘Hope’ we mean ‘Hope in Jesus Christ’, Hope in our God, Father, Son and Spirit.

**BOOK LAUNCH:** Vincent Carmody will launch his new book, North Kerry Camera Revisited, at the Listowel Arms Hotel on Sunday December 22nd at 5.00pm.

**PARISH OFFICE:** The Parish Office at the Presbytery is open Friday 09.15 -13.15.

Please note we have a selection of signed Mass cards including some Christmas Mass cards available at the Presbytery. Phone 087 – 6538782.