

St. Mary of the Visitation Parish, Killybegs

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Masses and Services: Live streaming on **www.mcmedia.tv**



Confirmation Candidates: Retreat in Rosnowlagh for the 30 candidates tomorrow Monday.
Sacrament of Confirmation: Sunday 24th April, 11.00am.

ATTITUDE *Attitude is a little thing that makes a big difference*
MAKES THE DIFFERENCE

Congratulations and Best Wishes to Julie McGee and Proinsias Gallagher who were married recently.

First Communion 'Do This in Memory' Celebration today (Sunday) 11am.

Final Call for Tax Rebates 2013, 2014, 2015. Fill in and sign the Enduring Certificate & return it as soon as possible so we can process tax rebates.

Women of the Well Retreat in Prayer Guidance Centre, Knock Shrine
Fri 15th - Sun 17th April. Tel 094 9388100

Required immediately! Two people are needed for Adoration from 9pm -10pm on Mondays.

Ards Retreat Fri 15th April 6pm- Sun 17th
Cost: €125. Tel: Margaret 074 93 84015
Email: margaretdancing@yahoo.ie

Final Call for Trócaire Boxes: Lent 2016
Please return remaining envelopes this week.

Killybegs Community Council
1916 Commemoration Ceremony 8th May with Reading the Proclamation & Parade
The Farmers Market also begins that day.

Lough Derg Jubilee Year of Mercy Pilgrimage Season opens on Sunday 1st May with One Day Retreats which continue on 2, 7, 8, 10, 14, 15, 17, 21, 22, 23, 28, 29 & 30 of May. Booking is essential.
The Three Day Pilgrimage season begins on Wednesday 1st June up to 13th August. Pre-booking is not required for the Three Day Pilgrimage. Contact Lough Derg: 071 9861518, email info@loughderg.org / www.loughderg.org.

2016 North West Charity 10k road race walk in Letterkenny on Sun 1st May.
Entry fee: Run €15, Walk €10.
Sponsor Cards available. Contact:
Alice, Irish Pilgrimage Trust 0868566432 or Mary, Spina Bifida 087 260474

Little Angels Remembrance Service will take place in The Church of The Irish Martyrs on Sunday 17th April at 4pm.

Relay For Life Donegal are hosting a "Cancer Conference" on Saturday 16th April, in the Mt Errigal Hotel, Letterkenny, 10am-4pm. Booking essential. Contact: Ena: 087-9966096 / Mage 087-6865828

The Irish Kidney Association Annual Church Gate Collection on Saturday 16th & Sunday 17th April.

Dr Woods & Dr Staunton patients are invited to attend our practice for the administration of pre school vaccines: 18th & 19th April and 25th & 26th April. This is applicable to children starting primary school this September. Tel: 074 9741122 for app.

Fintra Board of Management meeting on Tuesday 12th April 6pm

Golf Classic in Narin Portnoo Golf Links 074 9545107



GOLF

on Saturday 30th April 2016 in aid of St Mary's Restoration Fund.
Entry forms from Parish Office: 9731013

Time Sheet enquiries:
Pat Connaghan. 0872058568

The cost of entering a team of 4 is €120.
Tee Box sponsorship €50.

All support greatly appreciated.

Killybegs Employment Project Ltd
Positions available:
General Worker/Gardener St. Mary's Parish
Duties: Maintenance of interior and exterior of parish buildings and cleaning church.
General Workers - Killybegs Area
Duties: Gardening, light construction and general maintenance.
Applications to Project Office at Foresters Hall: kepltd1@eircom.net / 0749731666

Church Opening & Closing Times, Summertime: Opens at 8am and closes at 8pm (or after Mass)

- Sunday 10th April 2016:** *Third Sunday of Easter (Cycle C)*
- Weekday Readings:** *Third Week of Easter*

Saturday 9th April: 07.00pm - Anne Neill (10th Anniversary)
Sunday 10th April: 09.00am - Special Intention
11.00am - Special Intention

Monday 11th April: 09.00am - Annie Kirwan (Anniversary)
Tuesday 12th April: 10.00am - Jim McMahon (1st Anniversary)
Thursday 14th April: 10.00am - Special Intention
Friday 15th April: 07.00pm - Bridie Jennings, nee Carr, Firbregas R.I.P.(100th Birthday)
Saturday 16th April: 07.00pm - Bill McClean & Liz Prior (Anniversaries)
Francie (30th) & Paddy Gallagher (Anniversaries)
Sunday 17th April: 09.00am - Special Intention
11.00am - Charlie McGowan (Anniversary)

Adoration: Sunday 6pm to Monday Midnight **Please Note:** Mass Monday 9am; No Mass Wed.
Rosary/Divine Mercy: Tuesday 7.30pm in Adoration Room. Please note change of time.

Pray for: Tilly Behan, whose funeral was in Dublin on Tuesday (mother of Ian Behan, Croaghlin); **Maureen Timoney**, Donegal Town, who died recently.
Pray for: Mickey Lafferty, Packie, Mary & Noel Meehan, Baby John Kelly. Suaimhneas Storaí.

Killybegs Women's Group
Tara Hotel - Thursday 14th April 7.30pm
Immediate booking - 087 094 9900
Canapés, Glass of Wine & Music to end off the evening. *€10 Payment by Tuesday 12th April *
Understanding your body shape is key to choosing the right outfit for you. Know what to buy that works for you and know what not to buy!

Blessed Sacrament Adoration
10th April - Kathleen Gillespie
17th April - Rosemary Gallagher

Thank you to all those who contributed to my recent work in The Gambia. The money was used to run workshops in basic primary school subjects for Gambian teachers whose training and classroom resources were very limited! The six weeks' voluntary were very successful and I appreciate very much the help received. Margaret Cunningham.

Sunday Collection € 1,570.00
Trócaire € 225.00
Restoration Fund:
Envelopes 2nd & 3rd April € 1,625.00
Donation € 40.00
Total Restoration Fund: €2,547,917.78

Pilgrimage to the Holy Land with Archbishop Eamon Martin September 9th -17th from Dublin.
€1,495 pps. Details and itinerary on www.maptravel.ie or call 01 878 3111

St. Catherine's Vocational school presents "The Wizard of Oz" on 20th, 21st and 22nd April at 7.30pm. Doors open at 7pm. Tickets available at the school or at the door. Adults €8, Family of 4 €20, OAP & students €5. Raffle on the night. Proceeds in aid of on-going school building projects. Come along and enjoy a magical trip down the yellow brick road!

Niall Mór Centre 074 97 41863
southwestdonegalcclp1@gmail.com
The Centre thanks everyone who supported their Bag Pack on 25-26th March. €1,115.06 was raised.
Cat O'Donnell is holding a Meditation Class on Sat 16th April, 10-11am. Tel: 086 7978500 to book.
3 day First Aid Course FETAC Level 5, 6 - 8th May.
Tir Boghaine Teo will run *The Parents Plus Early Years Programme* for parents of children 1-6 years Tues, 12th April 7.30 - 9:30pm Tel: 074 9733111
Weight Watchers Mondays *Slimming World* Tuesday
JC Fitness runs various classes in the centre.
The Power of Positive Thinking Course for women 4 weeks from Monday 11th April 11am-1pm & 7.30-9.30pm. 0879031389 / info@emilywhelan.com

Anam Cara monthly Parent Evening on Thurs 14th April 7.30-9pm, Mt Errigal Hotel.

Having a birthday party?
Killybegs International Carpet Making and Fishing Centre have all the facilities you need!
For info tel: 074 97 41944

Áislann Chill Chartha- Comhrá le cupán tae.
Gach Dé Céadaoin, 11 m-1in. Bígí linn.

Sliabh Liag Hillwalkers Walk on Saturday 23rd April. Grade B moderate, 3 ½ to 4 hours.
Leader: Peadar Gillespie (074 9738144)
Tom Glynn (0872575206).
Meet at Áislann Chill Chartha 11am.