

## St. Mary of the Visitation Parish, Killybegs

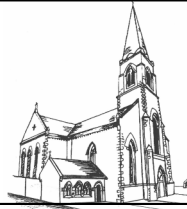
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**Masses and Services:** Live streaming on [www.mcnmedia.tv](http://www.mcnmedia.tv)



*Nothing is more like God than silence.* Meister Eckhart

### Sacrament of Confirmation

Sunday, 24th April 2016, 11.00am.

### First Holy Communion

Saturday, 14th May 2016, 11.00am.

### Mass Intentions and Mass Stipends

We intend to introduce Shared Masses on 1st January 2016 and intend to proceed as follows:

- ◆ Our existing arrangement will continue until 31st December 2015
- ◆ Any intention taken from now on for 2016 will be with the understanding that it may be a shared Mass. This applies to Saturday 7pm Mass (for the deceased, up to three intentions) and one week-day Mass.
- ◆ Any intention already accepted for 2016/2017 will be honoured as a single intention Mass.
- ◆ We will continue to include the names of all the deceased in the Parish Newsletter as requested.
- ◆ Only one stipend will be kept by the priest for a shared Mass. The remaining stipends will go to St. Mary's Restoration Fund.

The reason for the new arrangement is the demand for Anniversary Masses for the deceased, especially for week-end Masses. Also, many intentions have to be passed on to other priests. That will still continue but many more intentions can be designated for Masses celebrated in our own chapel.

We hope this new arrangement will be acceptable.

### National Eucharistic Congress 2015

Christ Our Hope / Críost Ár nDóchas  
Knock, 26-27th September. See notice board.

### Donegal South Region P.T.A.A.

Fundraising Dance in St Patrick's Parish Centre,  
Donegal Town on Wednesday 30th September.  
Music by Country Traditions. Adm €8 (incl. supper).  
Tickets from Celia 074 9731186.

### Killybegs Computer and Multimedia Course,

*Computer Training; Video; Web; FETAC Level 5.*  
For more info: Philip Kemp on 0749741903 or  
Employment Services, DSP office 0749740068.

**Community Care** Single bed, mattress and basic fridge kindly donated, are available for collection either together or separately. Call Ann Marie 087 6127108

**A Triduum** for the Feast of St Padre Pio. Rosstown Friary, Sun 20th-Wed 23rd Sept Mass, Homily & Blessing with Relic at 7.30pm

**Concern Worldwide** Church Gate Collection 19th & 20th Sept. Concern has raised over €3,000 annually from church gate collections in Donegal. This year, all funds raised in Donegal will go to the *Syrian Refugee Crisis Appeal*. Concern greatly appreciates the generosity of the people of Donegal and local volunteers. If anyone is interested in volunteering contact Claire 01 4178077 / [www.concern.net](http://www.concern.net)

### Congratulations & Best Wishes

to all who were married recently:  
Claire Rawlinson & Simon Eastaugh  
Orlaith McGilloway & Jimmy Cunningham  
Aisling Meehan & Gavin Cunningham  
Majella McBrearty & Paraic Watson  
Karen Devine & Derek Vial

**Bus to Knock** on Sunday 27th September on Legion of Mary Pilgrimage.  
To book a seat tel: McBreartys 074 9731056

### Cubs & Beavers Registration Night

Tuesday 15th Sept at 7pm in Foresters Hall. All old & new members must register for the coming year. Children must be 6yrs of age to join. Children don't need to attend this night. We are recruiting new leaders, both male & female: over 18yrs & interested in working with the youth. For more details contact 0876737645 after 3pm. Thanks.

**Killybegs Mayor's Ball** in Bayview Hotel on Saturday 26th September in aid of Autism Unit at Niall Mór N.S. Also Killybegs Person of the Year Award. Tickets €25 from Bay View Hotel or tel: Mark Nesbitt 086 3739380 / Ann Marie Bourke 0872366084.

### The Kenneth Baker Music Courses for Keyboard and Pianoforte

Keyboard classes in Niall Mór Centre on Thurs 17th Sept.  
Registration on Mon 14th Sept 7pm-8pm.  
Laura Mc Ginley 087 6362590.

**Drop-In Centre Registration Day** on Thursday 17th September 3.30pm - 5pm for all members new & old. €10 fee.

- **Sunday 13th September 2015: Twenty-Fourth Sunday in Ordinary Time (Cycle B)**
- **Weekday Readings: Twenty-Fourth Week in Ordinary Time (Cycle 1)**

<b>Saturday</b>	<b>12th September:</b>	<b>07.00pm</b> - Eugene McCloskey (Anniversary)
<b>Sunday</b>	<b>13th September:</b>	<b>09.00am</b> - Una Cunningham (5th Anniversary)
		<b>11.00am - Funeral Mass for Hughie Friel R.I.P.</b> Bridget McBrearty & Paddy Heekin (Anniv)
<b>Monday</b>	<b>14th September:</b>	<b>10.00am</b> - Seán & Sarah Faherty (Anniversaries)
<b>Wednesday</b>	<b>16th September:</b>	<b>07.00pm</b> - Joseph, Catherine & Seamus McGuinness (Anniv)
<b>Thursday</b>	<b>17th September:</b>	<b>10.00am</b> - Special Intentions
<b>Friday</b>	<b>18th September:</b>	<b>10.00am</b> - Special Intentions
<b>Saturday</b>	<b>19th September:</b>	<b>07.00pm</b> - Dinny & Rose Rowan (Anniversaries)
<b>Sunday</b>	<b>20th September:</b>	<b>09.00am</b> - Special Intentions <b>11.00am</b> - Special Intentions

**Adoration:** Sunday 6pm - Monday midnight  
**Confessions:** Saturday 6.30pm

**Pray for those who died recently: Hughie Friel, St Cummins Hill: Funeral Mass here at 11am today Sunday; burial afterwards in Killybegs. Pray for: Aine Murray. Suaimhneas Sioral.**

### Hooked at LYIT Killybegs

26th September, noon to 5pm. Killybegs Community Council, in conjunction with Killybegs Tourism College and BIM, are holding our first Fish Fest. Join us for chowder competition, seafood cookery demonstrations along with mackerel filleting speed trials, lobster v-notching and loads more. For the younger members of the community we'll be awarding prizes for best logo design through our schools competition, along with story telling and face painting.

**Margaret Connell**, Foot Health Practitioner will attend the Family Health Centre on Tuesday 15th Sept. Please note this September clinic is on Tuesday, not Wednesday. Appointments 087-1417180

### Bay View Hotel & Leisure Centre

Now taking names for children's swimming lessons. Kids aged 6+ years. Leisure Centre 074 9731950.

### Niall Mór Centre 074 97 41863

*Business Admin & Management Course* from 7/9/2015 40 Weeks, tel: 91 20542 / 9741863  
*Evening Business Admin & Management Course* from 16/09/2015 13 Weeks, Tel: 91 20500  
*Yoga Class* - Eileen McGonigle, Wed 16th Sept. for 8 weeks. Tel: 086 8443838  
*Beginners Spanish Class* starting October, 8 weeks  
*Holistic approach to Health and Well Being with Mindfulness* 16 week course  
*Health and Well Being in the Community* 16 weeks  
*Morning and Evening Class* 12 weeks. An intro to the holistic world: Yoga, Reflexology, Aromatherapy and Homeopathy. *Digital Photography* 8 weeks.

**Coffee Morning** in Margaret Cunningham's home at Kille, Kilcar on Thursday 17th September 10am - 2pm. All welcome.

### Blessed Sacrament Adoration

13th September - Bríd O'Callaghan  
20th September - Patricia Boyle

<b>Sunday Collection</b>	€ 1,565.00
<b>Restoration &amp; Development Fund:</b>	
Envelopes 5th & 6th September	€ 1,718.00
<b>Total Restoration Fund:</b>	<b>€2,440,135.93</b>

### Donegal ETB Adult Education Service

enrolling for night classes. Details in Donegal Democrat or [donegaletb.ie](http://donegaletb.ie) / 9721705

**Dancing Classes** Learn to Jive, Waltz, Foxtrot, Quick Step & 2 Hand Dances in Bay View Hotel beginning 16th September at 8pm. All welcome. €8.

### Niall Mór N. S. 5K Walk/Run

Friday 18th September at 7.30pm.  
Registration in St Catherine's V.S. 6-7.15pm.  
Refreshments afterwards. All are welcome.

### Niall Mór Childcare Centre Monster Car Boot Sale

Saturday 10th October 9am - 2pm. €15 per boot/table. Booking essential 9748000.

### Áislann Chill Chartha 074 9738376

*Bootcamp* returns Mon 14th Sept, twice a week for 4 weeks at 6pm.  
*Indoor Boot Sale* on Sun 4th Oct, 12 - 3pm. Refreshments. All welcome. Tables €15.  
*Christmas Market & Indoor Boot Sale* Bookings now being taken for Sun 6th Dec, 12 - 3pm.

**Blood Donor Clinic** on Thurs 17th Sept in Tara Hotel at 2.30pm - 5pm & 7pm - 9.30pm. New donors very welcome.