St. Mary of the Visitation Parish, Killybegs Parish Office: Mon to Fri. 9am to 3pm. Tel: 074 9731013 Parish Secretary: Ann O'Donnell Email: info@killybegsparish.com Website: killybegsparish.com Parish Priest: Fr. Colm Ó Gallchóir: Tel: 074 9731030 Masses and Services: Live streaming on www.churchservices.tv



"Love others as fragile fellow-creatures held in the love of God " Rowan Williams Sacrament of Confirmation (Sunday 6th April 11am) Enrolment of Candidates for Confirmation this Saturday 15th February 7pm. Keep the 50 candidates

First Communion 'Do This in Memory' Celebration today, Sunday 16th February, 11am.

in your prayers as they prepare for Confirmation.

St Patrick's Day Raffle in aid of St Mary's Restoration Fund. 1st prize: 2 Garth Brooks tickets (Sunday seated) 2nd Prize: Islands Seafoods Luxury Hamper 3rd Prize: Side of Smoked Salmon & 2 bottles of wine Cards available in Parish Office and locally. €5 per line. Prizes sponsored by Mick O'Donnell, Island Seafoods.

Ards Friary Retreats Fri 21st - Sun 23rd Feb Stepping into a promise of a New Spring. Tel 074 9384015 / margaretdancing@vahoo.ie

Holy Land Donegal Pilgrimage Depart Dublin 25th September for 8 nights €1295. Tel Kathleen 074 9741670 / kmmollov37@vahoo.com

On **World Day of Social Justice** Thursday 20th Feb A new Justice and Peace Group will be launched at 12.30pm by Bishop Philip Boyle in the Raphoe Diocesan Pastoral Centre in Letterkenny. All are welcome to attend

Carer's support group meets in Killybegs Hospital Day Centre on Monday 17th February at 7.30pm in Killybegs Hospital. 0749733111: tirboghaine@gmail.com

Conversational Irish Classes start in the Maritime Centre on Thursday 20th February 7pm-9pm for 6 weeks. Tel Mary 9741968.

Niall Mór Centre

Counselling Outreach Service for Women on Tuesdays and Wednesdays. For app tel: Breid 0749124985. *Courses available:* Occupational First Aid, Supervisory Management, Payroll, Art, Spanish. Tel 074 9741863. Front Door of the Church A roller-catch has been attached to the front door of the church so that the door can be closed (but not locked) in times of driving rain and strong winds. During 'opening times' just apply a little pressure if the door is closed.

'Last Man Standing'

There were 11 eliminated in Week 5, leaving 19 still standing entering week 6 (11th & 12th February). Two were eliminated in Week 6, leaving 17, but two crucial matches were postponed at the last minute. There was no time to contact people for a second choice.

We will have to wait until the postponed matches are played to get the final outcome.

Adoration of the Blessed Sacrament Sunday 6pm - 7pm in the Church, until the Adoration Room reopens next weekend

Killybegs Community Council

As some members can no longer commit to attending the Community Council monthly meetings, we are now in a position to co-opt new members onto the council. Anyone interested in joining the Killybegs Community Council and who is on the local electoral register please tel: 08972062336 (evenings) or leave a message and we will get back to you. Margaret Connell Foot Health Practitioner will attend the Family Health Centre on Wednesday 19th February. For app tel:087-1417180.

Thank you to all who travelled to Burtonport to pay respects to my Father, Patrick Ward. To all who sympathised, who called to my home, sent Mass Cards, thank you most sincerely. Mass will be offered for your intentions, Una Breslin.

Basketball in Fintra N.S. gym Tues 18th Feb 5pm-6pm, for boys & girls aged 8-11yrs. €3.

Sunday 16th February 2014: Sixth Sunday in Ordinary Time (Cycle A) . Weekday Readings: 6th Week in Ordinary Time (Year 2) Saturday 15th February: 07.00pm - Barney & Sarah Gallagher & Bernadette Quinn (Anniv) Sunday 16th February: 09.00am - Tara McGuinness (Anniversary) **11.00am** - Veronica & Patrick John Doherty (Anniversaries) Mondav 17th February: 10.00am - Mary O'Donnell & family (Anniversary) 18th February: 10.00am - Maeve Orminston R.I.P. Tuesdav Wednesdav 19th February: 07.00pm - Marcel Goretti (Anniversary) Thursday 20th February: 10.00am - Connell McBrearty (Anniversary) Friday 21st February: 10.00am - Vincent Mallon (Anniversary) Saturday 22nd February: 11.00am - Helen McBrearty (Month's Mind Mass) **07.00pm -** Peter Breslin (2nd Anniversary) Sunday 23rd February: 09.00am - Frankie Daniels Cunningham & Bridget McBride (Anniv) **11.00am -** Maggie McTeague (3rd Anniversary)

Confessions Saturday 6.30pm; Adoration Sunday 6pm - 7pm.

Pray for: Mary Munnelly, who died in Ballycastle, Co Mayo Friday night (mother of Michael Munnelly, Riverdale Heights); **Bridie Hanson,** who was buried in Paisley on Friday (sister of the late Paul Hegarty and May Mc Gowan): Memorial Mass in Kilcar Church Tuesday 10am; **Joseph Cunningham,** Firbreagas, whose funeral was on Thursday; **Seamus Meehan,** whose funeral took place in Philadelphia last week (brother of Marlene Gallagher): Mass in Mountcharles 2nd March; **Michael Gulvin,** whose funeral was in London on Tuesday; **Maeve Orminston**, whose funeral was in Scotland on Friday (sister of the late Maude Gallagher); **Kathleen O'Donnell**, whose funeral was in Kilcar on Saturday (yesterday). **Pray for:** Agnes Byrne, Kilcar, Edward Leslie, Paddy & Mary Haughey, Eddie Sweeney, Tom McBrearty. **Suaimhneas Síoraí.**

Intervention Butter distributed in Tara Hotel Monday 17th February 2pm - 4pm by Community Care Care of the Age. First come, first served.	Blessed Sacrament Adoration 16th February - Patricia Boyle 23rd February - James Gavigan
Thank you Church gate collection in aid of The Bluestack Special Needs Foundation came to €590. Thanks to all who contributed and collected.	Sunday Collection \in 1,600.00Restoration & Development Fund: Envelopes 8th & 9th Feb \in 1,658.00Total Fund: \notin 2,158,321.38
Niall Mór Centre Tel: 9741863 Citizen Information Office Mondays 10am-1pm. Courses: Spanish, Art, Basic Food Hygiene (1 day),	Zumba Exercise Classes on Mon 17th Feb in Fintra N.S. 5-6pm for children 4-11yrs. €5.
Food Safety & HACCP (4 day).	Day of Friendship & Prayer on Lough Derg,
The South Region Pioneer Dinner Dance in the Abbey Hotel, Donegal Town on Friday 28th February. Dinner at 8.30pm. Tickets €25 from Celia 074 9731186 / Ann Marie 074 9731459	Ash Wednesday, 5 th March. Special Guest Speaker Rev John Dunlop. Adm €25 includes boat fare, tea/coffee, services & lunch. Advance booking essential. Tel 071 9861518 Email: info@loughderg.org
Exercise to music for the over 50's (Zumba Gold), Mondays 7 - 8pm in Foresters Hall, starting 24 th February. No dance partner needed. Cost €7. Bring sport shoes & water. Contact Bridget: 087 913 0558.	Lost Lilac pink glass rosary beads lost in Church a few weeks ago. Tel 9731588.
	Slimming World Healthy Eating Plan Niall Mór Centre Tues 5pm & 7pm. All welcome.
Indoor Car Boot Sale Bruckless Dunkineely Community Ltd Indoor Car-boot Sale Saturday 22nd Feb, Bruckless Comm Centre, 10am- 2pm, stall costs €10. To hold a stall tel: 0749737052.	Tír Boghaine Teo Community Garden, Carrick Rd, Kilcar, meets Tuesdays at 10am. Tel: 074 9733111 or tirboghaine@gmail.com