

## St. Mary of the Visitation Parish, Killybegs

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



### Simple Words of Wisdom

Share everything.  
Play fair.  
Don't hit people.  
Put things back where you found them.  
Clean up your own mess.  
Don't take things that aren't yours.  
Say you're sorry when you hurt somebody.  
Wash your hands before you eat.  
Flush..  
Hold hands and stick together.  
Be aware of wonder.

*Robert Fulghum*

### Rota for Daily Readers

now available on table in middle aisle.

### Annual Mass for Expectant Families

in St Eunan's Cathedral, Letterkenny  
on Tuesday 8th September at 7.30pm.  
Celebrant: Bishop Philip Boyce, O.C.D. All welcome.

### Splash & Dash 23rd August, Fintra Beach.

In aid of Donegal Hospice, in memory of Anna Ward.  
Fun filled land, beach and sea obstacle course.  
Approx 7km. No swimming involved.

**Junior Dash** approx 2km at 10.30am, €5.

**Main Event** at 12 noon, €25.

Register from 9am at GAA Pitch.

Register online : [www.splashdashfintra.com](http://www.splashdashfintra.com)

Anyone wishing to help tel: Kevin Martin 087 9504985.

### Burren Outdoor Retreat, Co Clare 19th to 21st Sept:

Why not come on a guided journey to the most secret and sacred places in the Burren and let the silence and beauty of this unique landscape renew you in body and soul?

Further info: Mary 087 9701130 /

087 9459151 [www.facebook.com/burrenoutdoorretreat](http://www.facebook.com/burrenoutdoorretreat)

### St Catherine's V. S. Return to School Dates

Tuesday 26th August:	1st Year Students	8.50am - 1.15pm
	Staff Meeting	2.00pm - 4.00pm
Wednesday 27th August:	1st Year Students	8.50am - 1.15pm
	Transition Year Students	8.50am - 1.15pm
	Staff Meeting	2.00pm - 3.20pm
Thursday 28th August:	1st, 2nd & 4th Year Students	8.50am - 3.20pm
Friday 29th August:	All main stream students incl Repeat LC	8.50am - 3.20pm
	Viewing of Leaving Cert scripts	6.00pm - 9.00pm
Saturday 30th August:	Viewing of Leaving Cert scripts	9.00am - 12noon
Monday 9th September:	Post Leaving Cert courses commence	

### Church Paintings

Sponsorship for the two new Church paintings  
would be very welcome:

The Visitation of Mary to Elizabeth and The  
Baptism of Jesus by John the Baptist.

### The Raphoe Diocesan Pastoral Centre upcoming courses:

- Solution Focused Brief Therapy Course
- Optimal Health Course
- Style Coaching
- ASIST (Applied Suicide Intervention Skills Training Course)
- The Best of Stress Management
- Anger Management
- Basic First Aid

For more info: [www.raphoepastoralcentre.ie](http://www.raphoepastoralcentre.ie)

**Trócaire** thanks you most sincerely for your generosity in supporting the organisation's work with people affected by conflict in the Middle East. Trócaire echoes the call of Pope Francis for your prayer for Christians and all other populations that are suffering at the present time, and for dialogue and reconciliation as the basis for peace. We remember especially people affected by conflict in the Occupied Palestinian Territories, Iraq, Syria, Lebanon, Jordan and Israel. *trocaire.org*

### Re-opening of Primary Schools

**Commons N.S.** Monday 1st September.

Junior Infants finish at 12 noon.

**Fintra N.S.** Monday 1st September

Junior Infants finish at 12.30.

**Niall Mór N.S.** Monday 1st September

Junior Infants finish at 12.25.

- **Sunday 17th August 2014: Twentieth Sunday in Ordinary Time (Cycle A)**
- **Weekday Readings: 20th Week of Ordinary Time (Cycle 2)**

<b>Saturday</b>	<b>16th August:</b>	<b>07.00pm</b> - John McCloskey (13th Anniversary)
<b>Sunday</b>	<b>17th August:</b>	<b>09.00am</b> - Mickey & Etta McMenamin (Anniversary) <b>11.00am</b> - David Kee (2nd Anniversary)
<b>Monday</b>	<b>18th August:</b>	<b>10.00am</b> - Special Intention
<b>Tuesday</b>	<b>19th August:</b>	<b>10.00am</b> - Susan Conaghan (Anniversary)
<b>Thursday</b>	<b>21st August:</b>	<b>10.00am</b> - Maggie & Jim McFadden (Anniversaries)
<b>Friday</b>	<b>22nd August:</b>	<b>10.00am</b> - Special Intention
<b>Saturday</b>	<b>23rd August:</b>	<b>07.00pm</b> - Margaret & Frank Brennan (Anniversaries)
<b>Sunday</b>	<b>24th August:</b>	<b>09.00am</b> - John & Rosaleen Melly (Anniversaries) <b>11.00am</b> - Michael Hamilton (Anniversary)

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

**Please note:** Mass on Tuesday 10am,  
No Mass on Wednesday

**Pray for those anniversaries which occur at this time:** *Josephine McCahill, Dr Frank McNelis & Neil McNelis, James Hegarty, Johnnie Quinn, Frank Laffey. Suaimhneas Síoraí.*

**Thank You** Dermot McGuinness would like to thank the local businesses and everyone who sponsored him doing a skydive at Carrickfinn Airport raising €1140 for Crumlin Hospital and €875 last year for Temple Street Children's Hospital.

**Blessed Sacrament Adoration**  
17th August - Mary Cunningham  
24th August - Kathleen Gillespie

<b>Sunday Collection</b>	€ 1,190.00
Trócaire	€ 100.00
<b>Restoration &amp; Development Fund:</b>	
Envelopes 9th & 10th August	€ 1,455.00
Donation	€ 150.00
<b>Total Fund:</b>	<b>€2,243,570.38</b>

### Open to all ladies interested..

October Bank Holiday Overnight Trip to Dublin  
on Saturday 25th October.  
B&B in Gresham Hotel, Bus, Shopping in  
Blanchardstown on Sunday. Cost:€80. Trip will go  
ahead if we get required numbers.  
Text 087 094 9900. Payment on Friday 22nd August.

**GAA Na Cealla Beaga** All Ireland Semi Final  
Tickets: Could all club members please note the existing policy, that has been in place all year will remain. Preference will be given to those who ordered tickets through the club during 2014, except where demand exceeds supply. Deposits are paid but are subject to availability of tickets. Order your tickets Sun 17th Aug in Fintra (4.30-5.30pm).

**Caisleain Oir The Musical** in St Johns Bosco Centre, Donegal Town, Friday 22nd to Monday 25th August at 7pm each night. All welcome.

### All Hallows College Dublin

Traditional Prayer meeting on Thursdays  
21st & 28th August at 7.30pm. All welcome.

### Would you like to feel fitter & healthier?

Discover how ASEA can improve your health.  
*Information Evening* in Niall Mór Centre  
on Thursday 21st August at 8pm. All Welcome.

**Niall Mór Childcare Centre**  
Did you know that you might be entitled to afterschool childcare through a new scheme Pobal has announced? It is available to families in receipt of social welfare benefits to help with the cost of childcare. We also have limited places on Community Childcare Subvention (CCS), Training and Employment Childcare (TEC) and Early Childhood Care & Education (ECCE) Programmes. For more info: 074 97 48000.

### Congratulations & Best Wishes to

Jessica Devaney & Christopher Roulston who were married recently.