

St. Mary of the Visitation Parish, Killybegs

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



Family Prayer for World Meeting of Families 2018

God, our Father,
We are brothers and sisters in Jesus your Son,
One family, in the Spirit of your love.
Bless us with the joy of love.

Make us patient and kind,
gentle and generous,
welcoming to those in need.
Help us to live your forgiveness and peace.

Protect all families with your loving care,
especially those for whom we now pray:

Pause to remember family members and others by name

Increase our faith,
Strengthen our hope,
Keep us safe in your love,
Make us always grateful for the gift of love we share.
This we ask, through Christ our Lord, Amen.

Mary, mother and guide, pray for us.
Saint Joseph, father and protector, pray for us.
Saints Joachim and Anne, pray for us.
Saints Louis and Zelig Martin, pray for us.

Mass for Expectant Families on Tuesday 26th
September at 7.30pm in St Eunan's Cathedral.

Finding Fatima is a 90 minute documentary
detailing Our Lady's Visitation 100 years ago. Shown in
St Bridget's Hall, Lettermacaward on Wednesday 27th
September at 7.30pm. Refreshments afterwards.

Are you a Carer at home? Join the carers' support
group in Killybegs Hospital Day Centre at 7.30pm on
Monday 18th September, a safe supportive environment
where you can share your experiences and tips if you
wish with others. For more info tel: Eileen,
Tir Boghaine 0749733111 tirboghaine@gmail.com

Pathways a two year, one-day-a month course for
adults who wish to explore their faith The cost is €250
per year payable in 3 instalments. Parish Centre,
Stranorlar: Saturday 7th October, 10am – 4pm. Contact
Fr. Cathal O'Fearraí: ofearrai@gmail.com 0749121853

Coffee Morning in Haven Pharmacy on Friday 22nd
September 11am - 4pm in aid of North West Hospice.

Confirmation Sunday 22nd April 2018 11am.
First Communion Sat. 12th May 2018 11am.

Parish Finance Meeting tomorrow Monday
18th September at 8pm in Parish Office.

**Community Care Care of the Aged
Summer Outing Sunday 24th September.**
Leaving Tara Hotel, Shore Rd at 12.15pm.
Lunch at Kee's, Stranorlar, then Oatfield Park,
Raphoe. Name in Post Office by Fri 22 Sept or
tel. Ann Marie 0876127108/Celia 0852806365

Let's Get Talking Counselling Service
Professional, affordable, accessible and
confidential counselling service for both men
and women aged 16 and over, offering one-to-
one counselling on many issues: depression,
anxiety, bereavement, addictions, self harming,
thoughts of suicide, sexuality, bullying and
stress. Contact: 0876884953 / 074 9742537
letsgettalkingdonegal@gmail.com or facebook.
Office 2, Enterprise Centre, Lurganboy, Donegal

St Padre Pio Triduum at Franciscan Friary,
Rossnowlagh Wed 20th - Sat 23rd Sept.

Irish Wheelchair Association's recent church
gate collection raised €706.12. We wish to thank
everyone most sincerely for supporting us.

The Ardara Annual 'DÚCHAS' is taking
submissions for 2017 edition. Stories, photos,
memories & articles relating to people/areas of
Ardara, Killybegs, Glenties, Portnoo by 31st Oct
Info: duchas2017@gmail.com / Tel 0876840402

**Killybegs Women's Group
Annual Indoor Boot Sale** at Tara Hotel
Sunday 26th November.
Knit & Natter Group Tuesdays at Writer's
Corner in the Bay View Hotel 7pm – 9pm.
Everyone welcome.
KWG "Drop In" Gentle Yoga Class
Wednesdays at Niall Mor Centre 11am-12noon.
More info tel: 086 8443838.

Clean-up at Lough Head, Killybegs
Cllr Niamh Kennedy with Killybegs Tidy Towns
are organising a clean-up at Lough Head on
Saturday 23rd Sept at 2.30 pm. Help appreciated.

- **Sunday 17th September 2017: Twenty-Fourth Sunday in Ordinary Time Cycle A**
- **Weekday Readings: Twenty-Fourth Week of Ordinary Time Cycle 1**

Saturday 16th September: 07.00pm - Eunan Moore (5th Anniversary)
Kathleen Boyle (10th Anniversary)
John Gallagher, Stragar (20th Anniversary)

Sunday 17th September: 09.00am - Special Intention
11.00am - May McGowan (Anniversary)

Monday 18th September: 10.00am - James Hegarty, Frank Laffey & Johnny Quinn
(Anniversaries)

Wednesday 20th September: 07.00pm - Special Intentions

Thursday 21st September: 10.00am - Anthony Diver (40th Anniversary)

Friday 22nd September: 10.00am - Rose O'Donnell (Anniversary)

Saturday 23rd September: 07.00pm - Mary Gallagher (1st Anniversary)
Dinny & Rose Rowan (Anniversaries)
Eugene McCloskey (Anniversary)

Sunday 24th September: 09.00am - Noel McMenamin (Anniversary)
11.00am - Special Intention

Adoration: Sunday 6pm to Monday Midnight

Rosary/Divine Mercy: Tuesday 7.30pm in Adoration Room.

Confessions: Saturday 6.30pm

Pray for Danny Breslin, Fintra Rd (& Ardara & London) whose funeral took place on Thursday;
**Eilish Curran, Cregg House & Creeslough, whose funeral was on Wednesday (sister of Rosaleen
Rodgers, Bruckless).**

Pray for: Aine Murray. Suaimhneas Síoraí.

Thomas Hegarty wishes to thank everyone who
attended his 60th birthday party in aid of the Cancer
Bus to Galway. Anyone wishing to contribute
tel: Thomas 087 1335289. €600 raised so far.

Garden talk with Danny Mc Loughlin,
Carndonagh Nurseries, in the Presbyterian Hall,
Donegal Town (beside Blas) Mon 2nd Oct at 8pm.
Plant sales beforehand from Donegal Garden Society.
Refreshments afterwards. Fee €7. Tel. 074 97 35804

Cubs & Beavers Registration Night Tuesday 19th
Sept, 7pm in Foresters Hall. Children do not need
to attend. The number we can register depends on the
help we have for the year so please feel free to get
involved & join the group.

Niall Mór Centre 97 41863

Spanish Beginners/Intermediate Course: Mon
18th Sept for 8 weeks. €40. Tel Centre for more info.

Pilates Classes: Mondays 8-9pm, Thursdays
9:30-10:30am. Tel: Martina 086 3846302.

Horticultural Theory Course: Tues 19th Sept
8-10pm for 16 weeks. €50.

Stanford Quality of Life Course: teaches tools for
self-care. For more info tel: Kate: 071 9834646.
Starts Thurs 21st Sept 11am - 1:30pm for 6 weeks.

Think Happy, Be Happy: A free wellness talk for
women by Emily Whelan on Mon 25th Sept 10am-12

Tennis Coaching: for Children, Tuesdays, 5pm at
School of Tourism. Adult coaching Thursdays 10am.
Evening group also. Tel: Emma: 087 9832141

Blessed Sacrament Adoration
17th September - Máire McGuinness
24th September - Maureen Cunninghamham

Sunday Collection € 1,495.00
Restoration Fund
Envelopes 9th & 10th September € 1,545.00
Total Restoration Fund: €2,822,908.43

Yoga Classes starting 21st September in
Niall Mor Centre, beginners 6pm-7.15pm
and intermediates 7.30pm-8.45pm.
To book text or call Zia on 0876463956.

Foresters Active Retirement Group meets
Wednesdays 2.30pm - 4.30pm in the Hall.
Activities include Bingo, Quiz, Cards and
Curling. New members welcome.

Coffee morning in Solace Cancer Care
Centre, Donegal Town on Thurs 21st Sept
10.30 - 1pm, for Donegal Hospice.
Home baking. All welcome.

Áislann Chill Chartha Classes 0749738376
Children's Art Classes Tues 19th Sept, 8 weeks
6 - 7pm. €5. Tutor Conal McIntyre.
Adult Art Classes Tuesday 19th Sept, 8 weeks,
7-9pm. €75 per term. Tutor Conal McIntyre.
Áislann Seomra Tae / Tea Room Open Monday
to Friday until 4.30pm. Breakfasts, home
baking, homemade soup & sandwiches & more.
Health & Fitness Suite 10 Visit Pass Card €30.