

St. Mary of the Visitation Parish, Killybegs

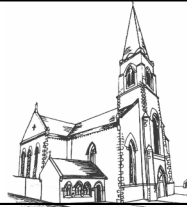
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Masses and Services: Live streaming on www.churchservices.tv



The Sacrament of Confirmation

today Sunday 19th April at 11am.

We welcome Bishop Philip Boyce and pray for the 38 young people being confirmed:

24 from Niall Mór N.S.

9 from Commons N.S.

5 from Fintra N.S.

We ask God's blessing on them and their families.

One night a man dreamed that he was having a conversation with God. He was angry about all the suffering and evil he saw around him, so he complained to the Lord.

"God, why don't you do something about all this?"

God gently replied: "I did. I created you."

First Communion 'Do This in Memory' Celebration

Sunday 26th April at 11am.

First Communion Mass: Saturday 16th May 11am

Restoration Grand Draw Committee members are calling door-to-door these days. Thanks for the support.

Committee meets Mon 20th April 7pm, Parish Office.

Star Prize: Trip for Two to Dubai, plus:

€2500 holiday voucher, London City Break for Two, Dublin City Break and Sligo Country Living Break

Tickets €10 each, 3 for €20, 10 for €50.

Tickets may be purchased on our website killybegsparish.com

Thank You

The family of the late Margaret McGuinness thank all those who sympathized with them on their recent sad loss. Thanks to all who travelled to the wake and funeral and sent Mass cards and messages of condolence. Thanks to Fr Colm and Fr McGarvey and to Maeve and the Choir. Thanks to all who helped at the wake and funeral, to McBreaty Funeral Directors and to Tara Hotel. A special word of thanks to Carol and Staff of Killybegs Hospital and to Dr Staunton. To Jackie, Kathleen and Anne Marie, sincere thanks for all your care and kindness to Mammy over the years. Mass will be offered for your intentions.

Killybegs Community Council

- Many thanks to all the families who recently gave up their time to help with the cleanup on the east side of the town from Largy to Glenlee. The next planned clean up is Wednesday 29th April, at 7pm focussing on the Church Road area. We're looking for as many volunteers as possible.

- It's been brought to our attention that speed limits in force in Church Road area and from Marine Drive, past Emerald Park are not being adhered to and with large pedestrian use in both areas we'd ask all road users to be mindful of the limits in place and take care particularly with large numbers of children using these roads.

Sacrament of Baptism

Congratulations to
Aoibhinn Grace Duddy
Tiernan Michael Doherty
Annie Threasa Gallagher
Sadhbh Rose Daly
Charlie Alex Howley

Rosary & Divine Mercy Tuesdays 8.30pm
in Meeting Room. Everyone welcome.

Mass for Ireland Knock Basilica Sat 25th
April 3pm with Stations and Rosary from 2pm.
Intending passengers may travel on the normal
Feda Bus service from Donegal Town 9.45am.
More info: Mary 087 2361721

Retreat at Ards Friary Sat 9th May 9.30am
God Among the Pots and Pans
Directed by Bairbre Cahill. €30.
Tel: 074 9138909 / info@ardsfriary.ie

Anne Kinsella would like to thank everyone
who contributed and helped with the collection
for Cancer Bus. €1320.50 was collected.

Adam Henry would like to thank all who
sponsored him when he shaved his head for
Shave or Dye in aid of the Irish Cancer
Society. He raised €1110. Special thanks to
Shane Breslin and Eileen Boyle of Eileen's
Unisex Hair Salon who shaved his head.

Are you a carer at home?

Join the Carer's Support Group. Next meeting
in Killybegs Hospital Day Centre at 7.30pm
Monday 20th April. More info:
0749733111/9733113: tirboghaine@gmail.com

Storyteller Neil Horgan, Bay View Hotel,
Friday 24th April 8pm. Brought to his knees
with alcohol & depression, Neil survived
adversity and is now a champion storyteller. €5

- Sunday 19th April 2015: Third Sunday of Easter (Cycle B)**

- Weekday Readings: 3rd Week of Easter**

Saturday 18th April: 07.00pm - Pat Rawdon (Anniversary)
Sunday 19th April: 09.00am - Tom & Vera Carr (Anniversaries)
11.00am - Sacrament of Confirmation
Liz Prior (5th Anniv) & Bill McClean (8th Anniversary)

Monday 20th April: 10.00am - Aggie & Neil Quinn (Anniversaries)
Wednesday 22nd April: 07.00pm - Special Intention
Thursday 23rd April: 10.00am - Special Intention
Friday 24th April: 10.00am - Tommy & Evelyn Blaine (Anniversaries)
Saturday 25th April: 12 noon - Margaret McGuinness R.I.P. (Month's Mind Mass)
07.00pm - Johnny McGowan (Anniversary)
Sunday 26th April: 09.00am - Oliver Cunningham (4th Anniversary)
11.00am - Charlie McGowan (3rd Anniversary)

Adoration: Sunday 6pm - Monday midnight

Confessions: Saturday 6.30pm

Pray for those who died recently: Kitty Kenny, who died in London (sister of the late Charlie Conwell); Martin Barrett, whose funeral took place on Easter Sunday.

Pray for: Bridget Gallagher, Brendan Hickey, Paul Conway, Constantine Murrin. Suaimhneas Sioráí

Margaret Connell, Foot Health Practitioner
will attend the Family Health Centre on Wednesday
22nd April. For appointments tel: 087 1417180

Blessed Sacrament Adoration
19th April - Mary Hegarty
26th April - Christine Smith

Killybegs Community Care Care of the Aged
meets in Killybegs Hospital
on Wednesday 22nd April at 8pm.

Sunday Collection € 1,555.00
Trócaire € 2,567.00
Restoration & Development Fund:
Envelopes 11th & 12th April € 1,523.00
Donation € 50.00
Total Fund: €2,357,286.38
Thanks for your continued generosity.

Congratulations to St Catherine F.C. on winning
the Donegal League Premier Division title
and best wishes in the Cup Final.

Benefit Night
in aid of the Marc & Ciarán Cunningham
Educational and Development Trust Fund
in the Blue Haven on Friday 24th April 8pm.
Tickets on sale shortly. Please support.

Killybegs Family Health Centre
Patients are invited to attend for pre-school
vaccinations on the following dates:
April 23rd & 24th and April 27th & 28th
Contact surgery for appointment: 074 97 41122

Letterkenny Hospital's Service of Remembrance
for little babies who have died due to Still-Birth,
Neo-Natal Deaths and Miscarriages on
Sunday 26th April 4pm, St. Eunan's Cathedral.

Michaela Foundation Girls Summer Camp In
Loreto Convent, Letterkenny
on July 13th -17th 2015. Register online
www.themichaelafoundation.com.

CLG Na Cealla Beaga
Family Quiz in Tara Hotel 26th April 5.30pm.

Niall Mór Centre 074 97 41863
Weight Watchers Monday evenings;
Slimming World Tuesday evenings.
J C Fitness Mon-Sat. Tel John 087 9617436
Safe Pass 1 day course 30th May. Tel: Laura.
Anti Natal & Breast Feeding Group Tel: Aileen
07497 31694
Courses for May: Digital Photography,
Beginners and Intermediate Spanish Class,
Cookery Classes, Business Administration,
Bookkeeping, Art Classes.

The Bluestack Challenge Committee Thanks
to everyone for supporting people with Special
Needs in Co. Donegal. We are taking to the
hills on Saturday 13th June. Register by 30th
April online at www.blu.ie or tel: 074 9740828.

Learner Accommodation for School of Tourism Persons with accommodation to let
in Killybegs area are invited to be listed in the
Information sent to all learners for Sept 2015.
Apply for 'Accommodation Details Form' and
return by Friday 1st May. Tel: 074-9186613 /
Email: donna.mulligan@lyit.ie