St. Mary of the Visitation Parish, Killybegs

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The universe unfolds in God who fills it completely

There is a mystical meaning to be found in leaf in a mountain trail in a dewdrop in a poor person's face

The ideal is not only to pass from the exterior to the interior to discover the action of God in the soul but also to discover God in all things

Pope Francis, Laudato Si'

Thank You The wife and family of the late John Gallagher, Carricknagore, wish to thank everyone who sympathised with them on John's death. Thanks to everyone for cards, Mass cards, phone calls and to all who supported us. Thanks to Dr Bourke & staff at Killybegs Health Centre. A special thank you to Fr Colm, Maeve & Choir, Roisin & Sara O'Donnell & Michael Cavanagh and McBrearty Undertakers. Mass will be offered for your intentions. Month's Mind Mass on Tuesday 22nd January at 7pm.

Parents Plus Adolescent Programme: Tir Boghaine Teo are running a 6 week Parenting Programme for parents of children from 11 - 16 years. The course will cover topics like building your teenager's self-esteem and confidence, negotiating rules and boundaries, positive discipline for teenagers, managing conflict, solving problems together. Beginning 29th January in the Drop in Centre, Niall Mór Centre, 10:30am - 12:30pm. For info tel: 074 9741660 / tirboghaine@gmail.com

**Operation Transformation Foróige - Walk n Talk** This Year the Foroige Youth Project is taking part in Operation Transformation 2019. We're encouraging young people aged from 12-18 years old to step up their activity levels and connect to those around them. This campaign is special because it's not only focusing on getting active, but also on mental health. The Walk n Talk group is starting Monday 21st January 4.30pm. Foróige Youth Project, Niall Mór Centre. For more info tel: 086 8579839.

#### **First Communion**

'Do this in Memory' Celebration: today, Sunday 20th January, 11.00am

## **Parish Finance Meeting**

Monday 21st January at 8pm in Parish Office.

Confirmation 2019: Sunday 24th March, 11am First Communion: Saturday 11th May 11am

**Daily Readers Rota and Adoration Rota** available on middle aisle.

Sunday Missal 2019 Special Price: €5 Complimentary copy for Readers and Ministers of the Eucharist.

Fintra B.O.M. Meeting Mon. 21st Jan. 5pm

### **Parish & Restoration Envelopes**

Anyone who would like a set of envelopes please let the Parish Office know.

The Great Miracle of Fatima A film on giant screen in the Parish Hall, Frosses, Wednesday 30th January at 7.30pm. Adm free.

Raphoe Diocesan Pilgrimage to Lourdes 2019 departing Belfast Sunday 26th - Friday 31st May, led by Fr Michael McKeever, VG. €725 pps. Optional bus transport to airport €25. Tel 074 9125090 for info.

### **Primary Schools Enrolment**

For new entrants September 2019 Fintra N.S: Mon 4th - Fri 8th February Commons N.S: Mon 4th - Fri 8th February Niall Mór N.S: Mon 4th - Fri 8th February during school hours.

**Teddy Bears Picnic** hosted by Killybegs Beaver Scouts in Foresters Hall on Sunday 27th January 12 - 2pm. Face painting, cookie decorating & loads more. Bring your teddy along to see the teddy nurse. €5 per child in aid of Foresters Hall Roof Fund. All welcome.

Beginning Experience Weekend 5th-7th April for those who have lost a spouse through death divorce, or separation in Esker Retreat Centre, Loughrea. Enquiries:- Gerry 0863855090

Sunday 20th January 2019: Second Sunday in Ordinary Time Cycle C Weekday Readings: Week Two Ordinary Time Cycle 1

**19th January: 07.00pm** - Bridie Fobister (Anniversary) Saturday

Hughie & Justine Mc Guinness (Anniversaries)

Danny Sweeney (2nd Anniversary)

20th January: 09.00am - Tommy Murphy (Anniversary) Sunday

11.00am - Arthur Kee (7th Anniversary)

Monday 21st January: 10.00am - Special Intention (Thanksgiving)

22nd January: 07.00pm - John Gallagher, Carricknagore (Month's Mind Mass) Tuesday Thursday 24th January: 10.00am - Deceased Brogan, McGuinness & Ireland families

25th January: 10.00am - Baby Michael McGuinness and Friday

Connell & Margaret Gallagher R.I.P.

26th January: 07.00pm - Moira Mallon (Month's Mind Mass) Saturday

> Annie McBrearty (10th Anniversary) Bridget & John Harkin (Anniversaries) Katie & Con McBrearty (Anniversaries) Francisco & Mary Graglia (Anniversaries)

27th January: 09.00am - Special Intentions Sunday

11.00am - Philip & Barry Gallagher (Anniversaries)

Adoration: Sunday 6.00pm to Monday Midnight

Confessions: Saturday 6.30pm

Rosary/ Divine Mercy/Adoration Adoration Room Tues 5.45pm - 6.45pm.

**Pray for: Mairin Breen,** formerly Mairin Flanagan, Church Rd, whose funeral was in Belfast Thursday (sister of Onzy Graglia); Mary B O'Donnell, Bavin, whose funeral was in Kilcar Wednesday Elizabeth Diver, whose funeral took place in Kilcar on Monday;

Diane Gallagher, whose funeral was in Ballintra on Thursday. Pray for: Michael McBrearty, Paddy Keeney. Suaimhneas Síoraí.

# Irish Natura & Hill Farmers Association National Public Meeting in Clanree Hotel,

Letterkenny, on Friday 25th January 8pm.

# St Catherine's V.S. Night Classes, 8 weeks:

Art, Painting, Cookery, Holistic Medicine, Beginners Italian, Beginners and Intermediate Computers Enrolment Tuesday 22<sup>nd</sup> January 6 – 9pm, Start date Thursday 31st January.

#### Orianna Health and Wellness Clinic,

Killybegs. Tel: 0749731800 / 0861573100 New Era Academy of Speech & Drama Accredited classes for children on Tuesdays Homeopathy in the Home Tuesday 22nd Jan 7-9pm, 4 week course, €50. Tel: 087 6089100

### Niall Mór Centre 9741863 Ring to book a place.. Walk & Talk Group: Mondays 10.30am.

Scrabble: every Monday @ 10:30 am Pilates: Mondays Mixed Class: 9-10pm. tel: Martina 086 3846302

Contemplation deepens

the more we feel the working of God's grace within our hearts and the better we learn to encounter God in creatures outside ourselves

Pope Francis

### **Blessed Sacrament Adoration**

20th January - James Gavigan 27th January - Margaret Breslin

#### **Sunday Collection** 1,420.00 **Restoration Fund** Envelopes 12th & 13th January € 1.585.00 Ton of Mackerel 8,700.00

Standing Orders for October € 905.00 Standing Orders for November € 1,445.00 Standing Orders for December € 885.00

**Total Restoration Fund:** € 3,017,204.43

Thank you for your continued generosity

### **Belarus Orphanages Appeal 2019**

Collection/Drop off point: Mooney Boats (old store) on Monday 28th February 5-7pm. Detailed list of suitable items for donation can be viewed on Killybegs Women's Group FB page & includes medical supplies, nappies. clean adult, children's clothing, bedding, towels and more.. Further info: 087 0949900.

**Yoga House** are running 2 new classes from: Monday 21st January 7pm: Beginners Yoga Tuesday 22nd January 7pm: Men's Yoga 6 week block €50.

Please text for space: Gemma 087 2066464.