St. Mary of the Visitation Parish, Killybegs Parish Office: Mon to Fri. 9.15am to 2.45pm. 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.mcnmedia.tv



A Thought....

We are so obsessed with **doing** that we have no time and no imagination left for **being**. As a result, people are valued not for what they **are** but for what they **do** or for what they **have** - for their usefulness.

Thomas Merton

First Holy Communion

Congratulations to the 39 young people who celebrated their First Holy Communion yesterday (Saturday). They join us at today's 11am Sunday Mass, as they celebrate this important step in their journey of faith.

May Outdoor Rosary

Sunday 21st May, 8.00pm, Immaculate Heart Grotto. Wednesday 24th May, 8.00pm, Church Rd.

Killybegs Employment Project Ltd There are positions available on our DSP Community Employment Project. *General Maintenance Workers* Areas: Killybegs, Bruckless, Dunkineely & Inver Duties: Maintaining all green areas, mowing, strimming, weed-control, litter-control, moss-control, general maintenance interior and exterior of community buildings.

Domestic Cleaner/Activities Assistant Killybegs Duties: Maintain interior and exterior of building to a high level of cleanliness. Assist with programmes of activities for seniors and youth.

Tourism Information Officer - Killybegs Duties: Welcome tourists and general public and assist

them with their queries. General administration. Activities Assistant – Killybegs Community Hospital & Youth Club

Duties: Co-ordinate a range of activities for hospital patients and Day Centre visitors - arts and crafts, games, conversing, reading, and assist with arranging various events and outings.

Visitors Centre Administrator/Tour Guide Killybegs Duties: Welcome visitors to centre, give guided tours. Administration & marketing

Eligibility to participate on CE is generally linked to those who are 25 years of age or over and in receipt of an Irish social welfare payment for 1 year or more. To check if you are eligible contact the DSP Referral Officer at 0749740066. Mass at Gortnagolan Mass Rock (in an elevated location above Fintra) on Wednesday 7th June 2017 at 7.00pm.

Prayer for Exams

Dear Lord, as I take this exam, I thank you that my value is not based on my performance, but on your great love for me. Come into my heart so that we can walk through this time together. Help me, not only with this test, but the many tests of life that are sure to come my way. As I take this exam. bring back to my mind everything I studied and be gracious with what I have overlooked. Help me to remain focussed and calm, confident in the facts and in my ability, and firm in the knowledge that no matter what happens today you are there with me. Amen.

Monthly Church Rota & Hospital Rota now available for Eucharistic Ministers

Board of Management Meeting Niall Mór N.S. Wednesday 24th May 8pm

Lough Derg 2017 Booking essential for One Day Retreats. Pre-booking not required for the Three Day Pilgrimage (from Thursday 1st June). Tel. 071 9861518 / info@loughderg.org.

Bundoran Outing for all Altar Servers Wednesday 28th June. Depart 11am, back in Killybegs 6.45pm.

'You will be my witnesses' Young Adults Conference on Saturday 3rd June in St. Eunan's Cathedral Conference Room from 10 - 5.30pm. Excellent speakers, discussions, Mass and Adoration, Opportunity for Confession light lunch, suggested donation: \in 10. For further information, contact Fr Rory Brady 0879141606

Launch of the 'Alzheimers Café' on Thursday 1st June, 11am in Silver Tassie Hotel. A free monthly gathering for people with dementia, their families & friends in relaxed environment. Sir Gerry Robinson and Dr. Ken Mulpeter will open the Café. Everyone is very welcome.

Saturday Sunday20th May: 21st May:07.00pm - Anne Mitchell (1st Anniversary) 09.00am - Philomena Forde (Anniversary) 11.00am - Paidín O'Donnell (Anniversary)Monday Wednesday22nd May: 24th May:10.00am - Special Intention 07.00pm - Special IntentionThursday Friday25th May: 26th May:10.00am - Special Intention 0.00am - Special Intention
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Saturday27th May:07.00pm - Special IntentionsSunday28th May:09.00am - Special Intentions11.00am - Joan Gallagher (20th Anniversa)
Adoration: Sunday 6pm to Monday Midnight Confessions: Saturday 6.30pm Rosary/Divine Mercy: Tuesday 7.30pm in Adoration Room.

Pray for: Jackie Meehan, The Glebe, whose funeral took place on Tuesday; **Teresa Mc Clafferty,** Largy, whose funeral took place last week. **Pray for those whose anniversaries occur at this time:** Charlie Murrin, Hugh Gallagher, Anna Warner. **Suaimhneas Síoraí**

Killybegs Tidy Towns Clean Up - Litter Picking 6pm - 7pm on Wednesdays.	Blessed Sacrament Adoration 21st May - Caroline O'Gorman 28th May - Patricia O'Boyle	
Meeting at the Trader Car Park, Shore Road. Homeless & Cara Collection Ann Marie Leslie thanks the collectors and all who contributed. €810.50 was raised.	Sunday Collection $€ 1,745.00$ Trócaire $€ 65.00$ Restoration FundEnvelopes 13th & 14th MayEnvelopes 13th & 14th May $€1,705.00$ Total Restoration Fund: $€2,787,153.43$	
Found A sum of money was found on The Hill last week. Tel: 9731013	Mick the Barber open Mondays for summer.	
Thanks to Gwendoline from Rosewoods Boutique and Slimming World, Donegal Town, for her very kind donation of €700 for the Cancer Bus to Galway.	Kilcar Community Singers in a Charity Concert in Blue Haven Hotel on Sunday 28th May 8.30pm. Adm €10/ €5.	
Are you caring for someone who has dementia? You are welcome to attend a free dementia training day in Letterkenny on Friday 9th June at 10am-4pm in Mount Errigal Hotel. Booking essential. Contact Diane Donnelly 087 2770103.	Coláiste Chara, Cill Chartha. Irish College Cursa A: 2/7/17 - 16/7/17 Day students start on Monday 3rd July 10am If you wish to send a day student text their name /date of birth / phone no. by 26th May. Info: 0861556035 www.colaiste chara.com	
Niall Mór Centre 074 97 41863 southwestdonegalcdp1@gmail.com & Facebook Paediatric First Aid Fri 23rd June 9:30am-5pm. €75. Occupational First Aid Refresher Course: on Sat 24th June 9:30am-5pm. €90. Magic When We Breathe: Mindfulness & Relaxation for children on Sat 27th May 11am - 12pm. Citizens Advice Service Mondays 10:30am -12:30pm.	Aislann Chill Chartha 074 9738376 Golf Classic in Narin & Portnoo Golf Club Sat. 24th June. Teams of 4 €100. Tee Sponsorship €50. Now taking Timesheet Bookings. Contact: 074 9545107 / 087 2575206	
<i>Digital Skills Training:</i> Starts Tues 20th June 11am - 1pm. Course comprises of internet safety, emailing, search engines and websites, online services, video calls, use of Apps, shopping online, digital photog- raphy etc. Tel: Kathy on 087 4126400.	Tobar na mBan Local Women's Group hosting Variety Craft Fayre Sunday 28th May in the Mart, Glencolmcille, 12-3pm. Handmade Items, Tearoom, Beauty Corner, Kid's activities. Limited space still available.	

Tel Anne 0872121949

Safepass Course: Wed 21st June 8am - 5pm. €100.