

St. Mary of the Visitation Parish, Killybegs

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



*May the God of steadfastness and encouragement
grant us to live in harmony with one another*
Romans 15:5

First Friday Calls
this Thursday & Friday 4th & 5th May.

Trócaire Boxes: Lent 2017.
Please return remaining envelopes this week.

May Sunday Rota

READERS

Vigil 7pm: Paula O'Callaghan

09.00am: Breege McGuinness

11.00am: Lena Gavigan

COLLECTORS

Vigil 7pm: Donal O'Donnell, Fred Smith,
Ann Marie Leslie

09.00am: Mary Harkin, Tony O'Callaghan

11.00am: Rosemary Kelly, Kathleen McBrearty

MINISTERS OF THE EUCHARIST

Vigil 7pm: Máire McGuinness, Anthony McBrearty
Patricia O'Boyle

09.00am: Mary Murrin (39), Rita Cunningham

11.00am: Rosemary Gallagher,
Anna Rose Doherty, Marian Breslin

Congratulations and Best Wishes to

*Michelle Murrin & Damian McDyer
Marie Murrin & David Morrison
Joanne Gallagher & Peter Heanue
who were married recently*

Killybegs Cruise Ships May 2017

Thursday 11th May: Ms National Geographic Explorer
(American) 106 Passengers / 80 Crew; 1.30pm - 7pm.

Thursday 18th May: Ms Astor (German)
620 Passengers / 300 Crew; 8.30am - 3.30pm.

Tuesday 30th May: Ms Le Boreal (French)
264 Passengers / 140 Crew; 8am - 6pm.

Darkness into Light Carrick

The last two registration dates: Tuesday 2nd May, in Old School Carrick 6-7pm and Wed 3rd May, Bay View Hotel, 7.30-8.30pm. If you've registered online you must pick up your T-Shirt at these times.

Lough Derg 2017 Season opens for One Day Retreats on Monday 1st May. Booking is essential. Tel. 071 9861518 / info@loughderg.org. The Three Day Pilgrimage season begins on Thursday 1st June, pre-booking not required.

First Communion 'Do This in Memory'
Celebration today, Sunday, 11am Mass.
First Communion Gifts in Parish Office.
First Communion Mass: Saturday 20th May 11am, followed by refreshments in Foresters Hall for everyone. Parents of last year's First Communion class usually look after this party. Please let Ann know in the Parish Office if you can help: 074 9731013.

May Outdoor Rosary

*Wednesday 3rd May 8pm, Emerald Park Drive.
Sunday 7th May 8pm, Immaculate Heart Grotto.*

M.S. Collection Thank you to everyone who contributed. €891.62 was collected

Donegal Interactive Pro Life Talk and Training on Thursday 11th May, Central Hotel, Donegal Town, 7:30pm. All welcome.

Killybegs Tidy Towns Anyone willing to help out with jobs around Killybegs: Painting, Power washing, Litter Picking, can contact any committee member:

Ann Conaghan 086 0522834

Barry O'Hara 087 6997856

Kevin Hegarty 087 6333707

Niamh Kennedy 087 2062336

Patricia Murrin 087 3119020

Follow Facebook updates: killybegstidytowns

Killybegs Community Council A Family 5K Walk/Run for RNLI Mayday & Fundraiser to save lives at sea at St. Catherine's Well Carpark, 7th May 6.30pm. Follow Facebook updates - killybegscommunitycouncil.

Pilgrimage to Medjugorje, 14th June from Dublin for 7 nights. Spiritual Director Fr. Philip Kemmy. Price €689. Tel: Ciaran 0879121683.

Anam Cara, supporting bereaved parents next meeting Tuesday 9th May 7.30 - 9pm in Mount Errigal Hotel Letterkenny

Journey to Freedom is a one day programme, offering life changing tools, 6th May, 10am - 5pm in Bayview Hotel. €50. Tel Una Clarke 086 0815608 / unaclarke1@gmail.com

- **Sunday 30th April 2017:** *Third Sunday of Easter Cycle A*
- **Weekday Readings:** *Third Week of Easter*

Saturday 29th April: 07.00pm - Connie Gallagher (Anniversary)
Bernie Cahill (Anniversary)
Charlie McGowan (Anniversary)

Sunday 30th April: 09.00am - Anastasia Gillespie (1st Anniversary)
11.00am - Pauline McBrearty (Anniversary)
& deceased family members

Monday 1st May: 11.00am - Special Intention
Tuesday 2nd May: 10.00am - Special Intentions
Thursday 4th May: 10.00am - Bernadette & Pat Laffan (Anniversaries)
Friday 5th May: 10.00am - Special Intentions

Saturday 6th May: 07.00pm - Shaun O'Neill (5th Anniversary)
07.00pm - Joe McCrudden (1st Anniversary)
Sarah & Barney Gallagher & Bernadette Quinn (Anniv)

Sunday 7th May: 09.00am - Special Intention
11.00am - John Carr (1st Anniversary)

Adoration: Sunday 6pm to Monday Midnight

Confessions: Saturday 6.30pm

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

Pray for: Vincent Cunningham, whose funeral took place yesterday, Saturday; **Sarah Preshaw**, Craigavon, Co Armagh, whose funeral took place on Saturday (sister of Joe Patterson, Ballyara); **John Molloy**, Kilcar, whose Funeral Mass takes place today, Sunday, in Kilcar at 11am; **Sean McEniff**, whose funeral took place on Monday in Bundoran.
Pray for: Alan McHugh (1st Anniversary), Pat McBrearty. **Suaimhneas Siorai**

Donegal Galway Cancer Bus Fundraising

Evenings: The Four Lakes Rowing Challenge Committee & Staff of Village Tavern hosting 'Stars in your Eyes' on Sat 29th April 9pm and a Monster Auction 30th April 8pm. See Facebook for more info.

Quiz in aid of Killybegs Hospital Patients Fund on Friday 5th May 9.30pm in Tara Hotel. All welcome.

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.

Free Digital Skills for Citizens Training

Programme A - Productive use of Digital Skills
Programme B - Lifestyle Choices
Contact Kathy Cunningham on 087 4126400

Niall Mór Centre 074 97 41863

southwestdonegalcdp1@gmail.com & Facebook
Japanese Paper Craft: Workshop Sat 6th May 10am
Tennis Coaching for adults Fri 28th April 10am at School of Tourism. Info Emma Buckley 0879832141
Paediatric First Aid Fri 23rd June 9:30am-5pm. €75.
Occupational First Aid Refresher Course: on Sat 24th June 9:30am-5pm. €90.
Donegal Women's Centre provide an outreach counselling service. Contact Brid 074 9124985

Blessed Sacrament Adoration

30th April - Maureen Cunningham
7th May - Mary Gallagher

Sunday Collection € 1,385.00
World Meeting of Families € 43.00
Trócaire € 360.00

Restoration Fund
Envelopes 22nd & 23rd April € 1,500.00
Total Restoration Fund: €2,782,218.43
Thanks for your continued generosity.

Alzheimer's Café in Carrick Day Centre is a monthly gathering where persons with Dementia and/or their family & friends can come together in a welcoming environment starting on 5th May 11am - 1pm.
Tel Catroina 0879257507 / 0749739354

Preschool Vaccine Clinic at Dr Bourke's Health Centre on Wednesday 10th May & Thursday 11th May 12.30-2pm.

Donegal Local Development Co. Free 2 day HACCP level 4 Food Hygiene course in Inver Comm Centre, May 8th & 9th 9.30am - 4.30pm
Tel Kathy Cunningham 087 4126400

Vintage Field Day Laghey 30th April 11-5pm Donegal Hospice & Sligo Oncology Unit.

Outreach Officer in Foresters Hall Friday 5th May 10am - 12pm. Tel: 074 9161979