St. Mary of the Visitation Parish, Killybegs

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A Thought from Pope Francis...

In every situation, may the Holy Spirit cause us to contemplate history in the light of the risen Jesus. In this way, the Church will not stand still, but constantly welcome the Lord's surprises.

Parish Finance Committee

meets next Monday 8th October 9pm in Parish Office.

Congratulations & Best Wishes to

Brid McGettigan & Martin Coyle recently married

Rosary on the Coast for Life and Faith

Rosary will take place Our Lady's Grotto, Ards Friary, on Sunday 7th October 2.30pm. All welcome. 3000 pairs of Rosary beads and Rosary cards will be distributed on the Market Square, Letterkenny, on Saturday 6th October as part of a drive to promote the faith and the Rosary.. please stop by and say hello.

The Annual Hospice Remembrance Service Church of the Irish Martyrs, Letterkenny, on Sunday 7th Oct. ober 4pm

Thank you The family of the late Michael Gallagher thank sincerely all those who sympathised with us on the passing of our beloved father. To all who attended the wake at Mardan House and the funeral at this church and to those who sent Mass cards and sympathy cards, we are deeply grateful. A special thanks to our Parish Priest Fr Colm, McBrearty Funeral Directors, the Choir, Killybegs Flowers and Bayview Hotel. Mass will be offered for your intentions.

Annie Byrne, Conlin Road would like to thank all her kind family, neighbours & friends for all their help & suppor during her recent illness. Thanks to Dr Bourke, Margaret & staff, doctors & staff in Letterkenny, Galway & Killybegs Hospitals & to the Ambulance personnel.

The Killybegs Bridge Club resumes play on Tuesday 2nd October in Tara Hotel at 7.30pm. New members welcome.

The Irish Cancer Society's Daffodil Centre

in Letterkenny Hospital is a walk-in information and support centre for cancer patients and their families. We're looking for volunteers to work with our Daffodil Centre Nurse there. Training will be provided. More info:

Tel: Deirdre: 01 2310564; dmurphy@irishcancer.ie

Support Children with Dyslexia

A meeting for parents and teachers Tuesday 2nd October 8pm in Coláiste Na Carraige. All new members are welcome.

Meeting with First Communion Parents

Wednesday 10th October 8.00pm in the Church.

Enrolment for First Communion

Sunday 14th October 11.00am.

First Friday Calls

this Thursday & Friday 4th & 5th October.

Fintra N.S. Board of Management meeting Tuesday 2nd October 5pm.

Legion of Mary Pilgrimage to Knock Sunday 30th September. If interested in going contact Lena Gavigan 074 9731426.

Anam Cara Donegal Parent Evening on Thursday 11th October 7:20pm in the Radisson Blu Hotel, Letterkenny. Event is free and open to all bereaved parents.

National Fire Safety Week.

Killybegs Fire Station is hosting an open night this Monday 1st Oct at 7.30pm. The public are invited to come along, meet the crew, check out our tender & jeep and learn a bit more about staying safe from fire.

Cursillo Weekends,

Ards Friary, 4th & 11th October. Like many, I have undertaken various courses to improve my lot, reach my potential, become the person I could be. The best one was a Cursillo weekend at Ards. There I met many ordinary people with hurts and problems who had learned to open their hearts to Jesus to be filled with his love. Tel: Pat 086 3029838 / ARDS/ Johnny Paul 087 9110620.

Donegal Voices Chorus & Orchestra

invite you to Mozart's Requiem on Friday 5th October, 8pm, St Patrick's Church, Ballyshannon and Sunday 7th Oct, 8pm, in St Mary's Church, Stranorlar.

Outreach Officer in Foresters Hall on Tuesday 2nd October 10am - 12 noon. No appointment necessary. For enquiries tel 0749161979

Sunday 30th September 2018: Twenty-Sixth Sunday in Ordinary Time Weekday Readings:

26th Week in Ordinary Time

29th September: 07.00pm - Maisie & Packie Gallagher (Anniversaries)

Áine & Willie Murray (Anniversaries) Noel McMenamin (Anniv) & deceased family members

Year B

Cycle 2

Mary Gallagher (Anniversary)

30th September: 09.00am - Fr Eugene O'Carroll (Month's Mind Mass) Sunday

11.00am - Michael Gallagher (Month's Mind Mass)

Monday 1st October: 10.00am - Special Intention 2nd October: 10.00am - Special Intention Tuesday 3rd October: Wednesday **07.00pm** - Special Intention 10.00am - Special Intention Thursday 4th October:

Saturday

10.00am - Tommy Byrne (6th Anniversary) Friday 5th October:

6th October: **07.00pm** - George & Veronica Flaherty (Anniversaries) Saturday

Mary & Danny Breslin & Mary Byrne (Anniversaries)

Cathal Mooney (Anniversary) Charlie Boyle (Anniversary) Francis Friel (2nd Anniversary) Julie McGuire (3rd Anniversary)

7th October: **09.00am** - Special Intention Sunday

11.00am - Bridget Thomas (10th Anniversary)

Adoration: Sunday 6.00pm to Monday Midnight Confessions: Saturday 6.30pm Rosary/ Divine Mercy/Adoration in the Adoration Room Tuesday 6.45pm - 7.45pm.

Free Community Health **Information Night in Niall Mór Centre**

Thursday 4th October from 4pm-8pm. Free checks on Blood Pressure and Diabetes. Displays from Irish Cancer Society, Diabetes Ireland, Specsavers, Orianna Health and Wellbeing, Different Strokes for Different Folks, Martin McFadden Addiction Counsellor and many more. CPR Demonstrations by Lifeline Training. Free transport available subject to terms and conditions, contact locallink on 0749741644

Niall Mór Centre 9741863 Ring to book a place..

Up the Hill for Jack & Jill: Sun 7th Oct, starts 3pm. A charity walk. To register: www.jackandjill.ie Kids Drama Classes: Fri 12th Oct. 5-8 yrs: 3.30-5pm 9-12 vrs: 5.15-6:45pm for 10 weeks. €100. Safepass Course: Sat 24th Nov 8am - 5pm. €110.

Áislann Chill Chartha 074 9738376

Cinema 5th Oct 7.30pm. €3. Duck Duck goose. Evening Circuit classes 6.30pm Tuesdays and Thursdays, €5.

Ranganna Bun Level Gaeilge Mondays 7pm Jive classes 23rd Oct 8pm. €5.

Sports Hall with Bouncy Castle and Party Room. *Comhrá le Tae* Wednesday 10th Oct 11–12.30pm Tiny tots Friday 5th October 10am. €3/€5.

Wainfest 4pm, Friday 12th October.

Tea Room open: Saturday 10am -3pm; Monday to Friday 9.30am-4.30pm

Pre orders & takeaways, Tel: 074 97 38376

Blessed Sacrament Adoration

30th September - Mary Cunningham 7th October - Kathleen Gillespie

Sunday Collection €1,275.00 **Restoration Fund**

Envelopes 22nd & 23rd Sept €1,750.00 Wedding Donation € 500.00 **Total Restoration Fund:** €2,965,862,43

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Killybegs Women's Group

Drop in Yoga for all abilities Thursdays 11am, Niall Mór Centre.

Day Trip to Dublin Friday 26th Oct, visiting Blanchardstown enroute home. €20. Book by Wed 10th Oct 0870949000

Donegal Tunnel Tigers Committee.

Our aim is have a memorial erected in the Dungloe area in memory of all Donegal miners killed and those who died due to tunnel related diseases all over the world. We are searching for the names. If anyone has a relative/family member that would like to have their name included tel: Tommy 00447768533991.

Gay McIntyre Concert in Áislann Chill Chartha this Sunday, 30th Sept 8pm. €10.