St. Mary's Parish, Killybegs

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# Easter is the beginning of God's new world



The Joy of the Resurrection renews the whole world. Beannachtaí na Cásca oraibh. Happy Easter! Alleluia!

# 'Crying Room' Provision

At the 7.30pm Vigil Mass & 9am Sunday Mass, the Adoration Room and the Altar Servers Sacristy are available for parents with smaller children. At 11am Sunday Mass the Altar Servers Sacristy is available.

Confirmation Sunday 28th April at 11am First Communion Saturday 11th May 11am Gravevard Mass Friday 26th July 7pm

#### **April Sunday Rota**

**READERS** 

Vigil: Anne Marie Leslie **9.00am:** Eleanor Gallagher 11.00am: Ann Haughev

**COLLECTORS** 

Vigil: Donal O'Donnell, Rosaleen Carry,

Anne Marie Leslie

9.00am: Michael Melly, Tony O'Callaghan 11.00am: Pat McGinty, Susan McGilloway

MINISTERS OF THE EUCHARIST

Vigil: Máire McGuinness, Celia McGee,

Anthony McBrearty

9.00am: Anne Rodgers, Christine Smith

11.00am: Rosemary Gallagher, Mary Boyle,

Mary Cunningham

# The Sacrament of Baptism

Congratulations to Saoirse Annie Deane

Trócaire Boxes: Lent 2013

Trócaire money will be sent next week. If there are any remaining envelopes please return them this week. Extra envelopes are available on the newsletter table for your Lenten contribution.

First Friday Calls for April will be on Thursday 11th April and Friday 12th April.

# **Live Streaming**

All church celebrations are streamed live on the internet by logging onto churchservices.tv and then St Mary's, Killybegs.

This can be helpful for those who can't get out to Mass or for those who are away from home.

# Children's Liturgy of the Word

At the 11am Sunday Mass children who are of school-going age and have not celebrated their First Communion are welcome to go to the Children's Liturgy Room after the opening prayer for the Children's Liturgy and return after Communion.

#### St Patrick's Day Thank You

Sincere thanks to everyone who helped with the Church celebrations for St Patrick's Day especially Bonner-Cannon School of Dancing, the parents and the Choir.

**Confirmation & First Communion gifts** and other items for sale in Parish Office.

Accord Marriage Care, Donegal Town is currently recruiting counsellors for its Associate Counsellor Training Programme. Application Forms and Information Leaflets can be downloaded at www.accord.ie (Joining Accord. Becoming a Counsellor. Associate Counsellor Programme)

Generosity is contagious

Sunday 31st March 2013: Easter Sunday (Cycle C)

Weekday Readings: Easter Octave

**Holy Saturday 30th March: 09.00pm** - The Easter Vigil: Intentions of all parishioners **Easter Sunday 31st March: 09.00am -** Mary Theresa Friel (Month's Mind Mass)

11.00am - Jack Murchan (Anniversary)

11.00am - Special Intention **Easter Monday** 1st April:

**Easter Wednesday** 3rd April: **07.00pm** - Tony Newcombe (Anniversary) Easter Thursday 10.00am - Cecelia McLaughlin (Anniversary) 4th April:

Easter Friday 5th April: 10.00am - Matt Purcell R.I.P.

**07.00pm** - Pat Rawdon (9th Anniversary) Saturday 6th April: Sunday 7th April: **09.00am -** Babs Kelly (Anniversary) 11.00am - Keith Gallagher (Anniversary)

No Adoration this weekend Confessions - Saturday 6.30pm

Pray for those who died recently: Chris Sweeney, Carrickacleava, Ardara, whose funeral takes place on Sunday at 11am in Ardara (mother of Bernie Byrne, Five Points);

Matt Purcell, who died in Dublin last Saturday. Mass will be offered for the repose of his soul in St Mary's, Killybegs, on Friday morning 10am.

Pray for: Mary Kate & Mick McGuire. Suaimhneas Síoraí.

St Vincent de Paul Annual Collection for educational and agricultural projects in Uganda, before all Masses on 30th / 31st March.

## **Dinky's Elite Soccer Camp**

Girls & Boys 12 to 15 years Wed 3rd - Friday 5th April, 11.30am - 2.30pm. €20 pp. To book ring/text Brian 087 0954893

Harvey's Point Bluestack Challenge 2013

Walk on Saturday 8th June. See www.hpbc.ie or tel: 074 9740828

**Anne & Kathleen** are having a Church Gate Collection on 13th & 14th April for the Good & New Cancer Charity Shop to keep bus to Galway running for cancer patients. Please support this worthy cause. Thank you.

## Relay for life 24 Hour Walk

- Wine reception and lunch in the Tourism College on 10th April at 12.15pm. Tickets €20 available from Gillian 086 8927047.
- **Easter Sunday Kids Treasure Hunt** Starting from Tourist Information Office at 3.30pm. €3 per child, all ages welcome.

**Atlantic Special Olympics Club** Next sports morning on Saturday 6th April in Foresters Hall. Juniors 10-11am. Seniors 11am-12:30.

The 2013 Struggle for Sam begins with a Fun Run and Walk Day, 5k, on Sat 6th April in Ballybofey at 11am. Contact Ed Byrne / Niall Erskine.

#### **Blessed Sacrament Adoration**

No Adoration this weekend 7th April - Mary Hegarty

**Sunday Collection** € 1,596.00 **Education of Students** € 201.00

**Restoration & Development Fund:** 

Envelopes for 23rd & 24th March: €1.580.00 Donation 250.00

**Total Fund:** €2,040,079,97 Thank you for your continued generosity.

**Donegal South Region Pioneers Annual Dinner Dance** in The Central Hotel, Donegal Town, on Friday 5th April at 8.30pm Tickets: Anne Marie 9731459 / Celia 9731186

## Congratulations and Best Wishes to

Alicia Dorrian, Killybegs & Sean Boyle, Cong, Co.Mayo on their recent wedding in St Mary's Church, Ballinrobe; Also to Jennifer Hemming & Stuart Small who were married in Killybegs recently.

Table Quiz in aid of The Commons N. S. in The Tara Hotel on Friday 12<sup>th</sup> April at 10pm. Great raffle prizes on the night! All welcome! Your support will be greatly appreciated!

# **Killybegs Cancer Support Group**

Meeting in Niall Mór Centre on Thursday 4th April at 8pm. Bernie Gallagher from Relay for Life Donegal will attend. All welcome.