

## St. Mary of the Visitation Parish, Killybegs

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**Masses and Services:** Live streaming on [www.churchservices.tv](http://www.churchservices.tv)



### Mass at Meenahooghan Mass Rock

this Wednesday 3rd June at 7pm.

*Directions to Mass Rock:* easiest access is from the Waterworks (at the top of Crocnabroc) in Drumbarity. Complimentary transport will be available leaving the Church carpark at 6.30pm.

*Hour of Adoration* in the Church at same time 7-8pm.

### First Friday Calls this Thursday & Friday,

4th/5th June. Anyone not on the list who would like a call let Fr Colm or Ann know in the Parish Office.

### Restoration Grand Draw: Results and Thanks

The Draw took place on Friday night in the Bay View Hotel and the lucky winners are as follows:

1. Trip to Dubai: Breid Boyle, Corkermore, Dunkineely
2. €2500 Holiday Voucher: Kelly Daly, Tullintean
3. London Break: Peter Byrne, Churchtown, Kilcar
4. Dublin Break: Collette Gallagher, Church Rd, Glenties
5. Sligo Break: Thomas White, Station Rd, Mountcharles

*Congratulations to all the winners.*

*Happy travelling and enjoy!*

Sincere thanks to all who bought tickets and to all our ticket sellers, a small group who went to great lengths to make it such a success. Special thanks to all our kind sponsors who provided us with magnificent prizes:

Seamus Byrne, Dubai; Antartic Fishing Company Ltd; T. Mc Fadden Developments Ltd, London and Harvey's Point.

Thanks to Noel Cunningham for being M.C. and for all his help, The Bay View Hotel for hosting the draw, to Rev John Purdy and his wife Vanessa who supervised the raw and we wish them well as they move to pastures new after seven years at the Dunkineely Methodist Church. Thanks to Ann in the Parish Office for coordinating the whole fund-raising project.

A total of **€29,600** was raised for the Restoration Fund. A wonderful effort by all concerned. Mile buíochas.

**Killybegs Community Employment Project** will start a new project in July and are recruiting for the following positions: General Maintenance Workers/Caretakers, Tourism and Administration Officers, Tour Guides and Administration, Youth workers: these are developmental opportunities, no experience necessary. Accredited training will be provided to support your career. Eligibility to participate on CE is generally linked to those who are 25 years of age or over and in receipt of a social welfare payment for 1 year or more. To apply, call 0749731666 or email [kepltd1@eircom.net](mailto:kepltd1@eircom.net)

### Mass for Exam Students

Monday, 1st June, 11.00am.

### Prayer for Exam Students

*Blessed are you who can laugh at yourselves: you will have no end of fun.*

*Blessed are you who can tell a mountain from a molehill: you will be saved a lot of bother.*

*Blessed are you who know how to relax without looking for excuses: you are on the way to becoming wise.*

*Blessed are you who know when to be quiet and listen; you will learn a lot of new things.*

*Blessed are you who are sane enough not to take yourselves too seriously and face serious things calmly: you will go far in life.*

*Blessed are you if you can appreciate a smile and forget a frown: you will walk on the sunny side of the street.*

*Blessed are you who think before acting and pray before thinking: you will avoid many blunders.*

*Above all: blessed are you who recognise the Lord in all whom you meet; the light of truth shines in your life for you have found true wisdom.*

**The St Catherine's Football Club Draw** in The Fleet Inn on Sunday 31st May at 8pm.

**Congratulations and Best Wishes** to Richard McCallig and Niamh Cahill who were married recently.

**Irish Cancer Society's Annual Church Gate Collection** next weekend 6th & 7th June.

**Confirmation and First Communion DVDs**  
Tel: 0876654550

**St Catherine's Accordion Band** fundraising 5K Run/Walk on Friday 12th June 7.30pm. Reg in Foresters Hall 6.15 - 7.15pm. Run starts at 7.30pm from St Catherine's Well Car Park. Refreshments afterwards in Foresters hall. Adults €10, U16s €5. Please support.

**St Joseph's Young Priests Society** meets Friday 5th June at 7.30pm in Meeting Room.

**May Outdoor Rosary** Sunday, 31st May, at 8pm at Park Head.

- **Sunday 31st May 2015: The Most Holy Trinity (Cycle B)**
- **Weekday Readings: 9th Week in Ordinary Time (Cycle 1)**

<b>Saturday</b>	<b>30th May:</b>	<b>07.00pm</b> - Frank & Bridie Kennedy (50th & 2nd Anniv)
<b>Sunday</b>	<b>31st May:</b>	<b>09.00am</b> - Etta & Mickey McMenemy (Anniversaries) <b>11.00am</b> - Bernie Shorten (Anniversary)
<b>Monday</b>	<b>1st June:</b>	<b>11.00am</b> - Special Intention of Exam Students
<b>Wednesday</b>	<b>3rd June:</b>	<b>07.00pm</b> - Mass at Meenahooghan Mass Rock: Special Intention
<b>Thursday</b>	<b>4th June:</b>	<b>10.00am</b> - Pat & Bernadette Laffan (Anniversaries)
<b>Friday</b>	<b>5th June:</b>	<b>10.00am</b> - Johnny Murrin (Anniversary) <b>07.00pm</b> - Brendan Kelly & Philip McFadden (Anniversaries)
<b>Saturday</b>	<b>6th June:</b>	<b>07.00pm</b> - Mary & Mick Carr & deceased family members
<b>Sunday</b>	<b>7th June:</b>	<b>09.00am</b> - Bennie Murray (Anniversary) <b>11.00am</b> - Tommy White (Anniversary)

**Adoration:** Sunday 6pm - Monday midnight

**Confessions:** Saturday 6.30pm

Please note: Mass on Monday at 11am

*Pray for those whose anniversaries occur: John Cassidy, Bridie Kennedy, Bridget Brogan, Molly Smith. Suaimhneas Sioraí.*

### June Sunday Rota

#### READERS

**Vigil:** Noel Conaghan  
**9.00am:** Tony O'Callaghan  
**11.00am:** Tadhg Gallagher

#### COLLECTORS

**Vigil:** Donal O'Donnell, Rosaleen Carry, Ann Marie Leslie  
**9.00am:** Rose McBrearty, Michael Gallagher  
**11.00am:** Susan McGilloway Lena Gavigan

#### MINISTERS OF THE EUCHARIST

**Vigil:** Mary Murrin (J), Elis McMorrow, Brid Callaghan  
**9.00am:** Mary Murrin (39) Rita Cunningham  
**11.00am:** Celia McGee, Rosemary Gallagher, Mary Boyle

**ACT for Meningitis** is the only charity in Ireland offering a wide range of free support and services to the families and those affected by Meningitis. A street collection in Killybegs on Mon 1st June 10am to 5pm. Anyone who could help tel: Patricia Murrin 087 3119020 / 074 9731611.

**Ulster Bank are organising a Charity Row** on Thursday 4th June. The branch staff and locals will be on the rowing machine all day to raise money for Focus Ireland, Barrettstown and The Irish Hospice Foundation and all proceeds raised on the day will be matched by Ulster Bank. If anybody wants to donate 10min of their time they would be more than welcome to do a stint on the rowing machine!!

**Outreach Officer** in Foresters Hall on Thursday 4th June 11am - 1pm Tel 074 9128010.

**A nine day Novena** in honour of the Most Sacred Heart of Jesus will be prayed at 6pm in the Oratory from Thursday 4th to Friday 12th June (feastday). Please join us.

### Blessed Sacrament Adoration

31st May - Patricia Boyle  
7th June - Mary Cunningham

**Sunday Collection** € 1,455.00  
**Restoration & Development Fund:**  
Envelopes 23rd & 24th May € 1,720.00  
**Total Fund: €2,379,753.93**

**Walk from Glencolmille to Killybegs** in aid of Breast Cancer, Crumlin Hospital and the Galway Cancer Bus on Saturday 6th June. Walk starts at 11am. Bus to Glen from Killybegs leaving Diamond at 9.30am. If you require transport leave your name in Mellys.

**QQI in Healthcare Training** in Donegal Town run by the Carers Association. Module QQIDL008 - Care Support starting Saturday 6<sup>th</sup> June. Contact: Rose / Pamela 086 4121869 / 0749168301 Email: [Donegal@carersireland.com](mailto:Donegal@carersireland.com)

**Car Boot Sale Áislann Chill Chartha.** Sun 7th June 12-3 pm; To book table: 9738376 **Áislann Golf Classic** Sat 27th June. Narin & Portnoo Golf Club. For info T: Daragh 074 9545107 or Martina 087 2453210

**Guided Nature Walk:** Seaweed Foraging, Sat 6th June at 1pm. Meet at Algaran, Cashlings.

**Coláiste Gaelge Cill Chartha**  
Cúrsa A: 21st June - 5th July, €180, ages 13-17.  
Cúrsa B: 12th - 19th July, €95, ages 10-13.  
Bus from Tara €3 daily. Tel: 086 1556035.

**Meningitis Research Foundation** & Rosemary Kelly thank everyone who supported the fund-raiser in Hughie's on 8th May, €815 was raised.