St. Mary of the Visitation Parish, Killybegs

Parish Office: Mon to Fri. 9.15am to 2.45pm. Tel: 074 9731013

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Masses and Services: Live streaming on www.mcnmedia.tv



## Mother Teresa, Champion of the Poor

"Yesterday is gone and tomorrow has not yet come; we must live each day as if it were our last so that when God calls us we are ready and prepared to die with a clean heart". Mother Teresa of Calcutta, who will be declared a saint by Pope Francis today, Sunday 4th September, 2016.

## **Important Dates for 2017**

Sacrament of Confirmation: Sunday, 26th March, 11am. First Holy Communion: Saturday, 20th May, 11am.

Bus to Knock for Our Lady of the Miraculous Medal on 10th & 11th Sept & on 17th & 18th Sept for Padre Pio.
Each weekend costs €120 for overnight stay, meal & bus.
More info tel 0749320734 / 0892245598.

10<sup>th</sup> Annual National Grandparents Pilgrimage Knock Shrine. Chief Celebrant: Archbishop Michael Neary Sunday 11th September. 2.30pm Anointing of the Sick; 3pm Pilgrimage Mass. Tel: 098 24877.

Meeting for Lay Missionaries/Volunteers on Thursday September 8th 7.30pm-9.30pm at the Diocesan Pastoral Centre in Letterkenny. Any returned lay missionaries/volunteers who have worked overseas either in the recent or distant past are asked to contact Jim Farrell on 083 8422468 or by email jim.farrell@amri.ie. If you know of anyone who might be interested, please let them know.

### Padre Pio Triduum

in Franciscan Friary, Rossnowlagh from Tuesday 20th - Friday 23rd September. Mass, Homily, Blessing of Relic at 7.30pm each evening.

#### September Sunday Rota

READERS

Vigil 7pm: Pat Connaghan 09.00am: Breege McGuinness 11.00am: Tadhg Gallagher

COLLECTORS
Vigil 7pm: Donal O'Donnell, Fred Smith,

Ann Marie Leslie

09.00am: Tony O'Callaghan, Seamus Gillespie 11.00am: Susan McGilloway, Lena Gavigan

MINISTERS OF THE EUCHARIST

Vigil 7pm: Máire McGuinness, Anthony McBrearty,

Patricia O'Boyle

**09.00am:** Anne Rodgers, Maureen Cunningham 11.00am: Caroline O'Gorman, Kathleen Gillespie,

Mary Gallagher

### Lough Derg offers

- One Day Retreats on 4th, 6th, 7th, 10th, 12th, 13th, 17th, 18th & 24th Sept. Take time out in the nurturing peace of the Island and cross the threshold of the Holy Door in St Patrick's Basilica.
- Places are still available on two alternative Special Retreat Days:
  'A Day of Friendship & Prayer' 14th Sept.
  'Living With Suicide' on Wed 21st Sept.
  Contact Maureen or Lorraine 0719861518.
  Email: info@loughderg.org

**Trócaire is now recruiting** new volunteers. For more info on how to apply go to www.trocaire.org/getinvolved/volunteer or freephone 1850 408 408.

Carmelite Pilgrimage to Lisieux 2016 Thursday 22nd - Monday 26th Sept. €644. Tel: Celine 01 838 7281/ info@sttherese.com

Thank You Ailey Neal (nee Rowan) would like to thank all who sympathised with her and her family on the death of her husband Ivan. Thanks to all who sent Mass and Sympathy cards, thanks also to those who attended the Month's Mind Mass and to the celebrant, Fr Colm.

A Mass will be offered for your intentions.

Course for Engaged Couples 2016: In the Pastoral Centre, Kilmacrennan

Day long, on the following Saturdays: 17 September, 15 October, 17 December Course from 9am to 6pm Tel: 0879499741 / 0868163563

**Mental Health Church Gate Collection** on Saturday & Sunday 10th & 11th September.

Niall Mor N.S. 5K Walk/ Run

Friday 9th September 7.30pm. Registration in St Catherine's V.S. 6pm - 7.15pm. All welcome.

Anam Cara, the organisation that supports bereaved parents: Monthly Parent Evening on Thursday 8th Sept 7.30 - 9pm in the Mount Errigal Hotel. Saturday Sunday 3rd September: 07.00pm - Sean Melly (Anniversary) 4th September: 09.00am - Bridget McBrearty & Pado

Sunday 4th September 2016: Twenty-Third Sunday in Ordinary Time

4th September: 09.00am - Bridget McBrearty & Paddy Heekin (Anniv) 11.00am - May McGowan (Anniversary)

Twenty-Third Week in Ordinary Time

Monday 5th September: 10.00am - Special Intention

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Sth September: 10.00am - Special Intention
10.00am - Annie, Cahir & Francis Kennedy (Anniversary)
7th September: 07.00pm - John & Margaret McTeague (Anniversaries)
10.00am - Frank Duff, Edel Quinn, Alfie Lambe R.I.P.

Friday 9th September: 10.00am - Special Intention

Saturday 10th September: 07.00pm - Una Cunningham (6th Anniversary)

Hughie Friel (1st Anniversary) Kathleen Boyle (Anniversary)

Sunday 11th September: 09.00am - Con & Mary Callaghan & Martin Callaghan (Anniv)

11.00am - Ryan McCrudden (5th Anniversary)

Adoration: Sunday 6pm - Monday Midnight.

Confessions: Saturday 6.30pm.

Weekday Readings:

Rosary/Divine Mercy: Tue 7.30pm, Adoration Room.

**Pray for: Una Ward,** Keadue, Burtonport, whose funeral was yesterday, Saturday (mother of Una Breslin, Stragar). **Pray for:** Mary McNally. **Suaimhneas Síoraí.** 

## The Bayview Hotel and Leisure Centre

invite you to enrol your children for our Autumn/Winter swimming lesson term.

Call today to book on our direct line 074 9732567.

Big Fish Drama Group presents
The Mating Season by Sam Cree
in the Foresters Hall on 2nd, 3rd & 4th
September at 8pm. €8 for adults,
€5 for children, students and OAPs.
Come along and laugh your heart out!

The Bonner-Cannon School of Dancing

Irish Dancing classes will resume on Wednesday 7th September in Tara Hotel at 4pm. Beginners welcome

# Niall Mór Centre 074 97 41863 southwestdonegalcdp1@gmail.com

Children's Storytelling: 10th Sept 11am - 12pm. An entertaining storytelling event for children. €3 per child / family rates. Children must be supervised. Killybegs Walk and Talk Group commencing on Thurs 22nd Sept from 11am.

Safepass Course starting Sat 15th Oct 8am - 5pm. Book your place. Ring for more info.

Kids Yoga Class ages 5-12 years. To book a place contact Marie on 086 8662682

**Bouncy Castle Parties** 

Citizens Advice/Information on Monday 5th Sept 10am-1pm. Further dates to be confirmed. Left For Love Crafts & Creations Children's Arts and Crafts Classes starting Wednesday 14th Sept.

Tel 086 4089481 to book a place. *Please check out our Facebook page*:

Niall Mor Community & Enterprise Centre for all events happening over autumn/winter.

# **Blessed Sacrament Adoration**

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4th September - Patricia Boyle 11th September - Mary Cunningham

Sunday Collection € 1,540.00 Restoration Fund:

Envelopes 27th & 28th August  $\in$  1,490.00 **Total Restoration Fund:**  $\in$  2,598,111.78

### Killybegs Employment Project Ltd

General Workers: Killybegs/Dunkineely areas Applications: Project Office. Foresters Hall: kepltd1@eircom.net / 0749731666

# New Era Academy of Speech & Drama

Classes resume on Tuesday 6<sup>th</sup> September in Niall Mor School. Limited places available. Tel: Mairéad 086 1573100.

Yoga Classes starting Thursday 8th September in Niall Mor Centre. Beginners/Mixed abilities- 7.30pm-8.45pm Intermediates -6pm-7.15pm. Call or text Zia on 087 6463956.

# Baby & Toddler Group resumes

Tuesday 6th September 10.30am -12noon in Foresters Hall. All welcome.

**I.C.A. Meeting** on Wednesday 7th September 7.30pm, at Niall Mór Centre.

Irish Dancing Classes for The Dance Academy (for merly The McNelis-

Cunningham School of Dance) resume on Tuesday 6th Sept, 5.30pm in Bay View Hotel. For more info tel Isobel 087 7450622