

## St. Mary of the Visitation Parish, Killybegs

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



### Church Arrangements during Dry Rot Treatment

An internal area of the church building has been treated for dry rot and is now almost totally refurbished. The scaffolding will be dismantled on Wednesday.

- This week three weekday Masses will take place in the Tara Hotel: Monday 10am & 7pm, Wednesday 7pm.
- Thursday & Friday Masses will be in the Church.
- The Church will remain open during the week. Please remain clear of the scaffolding and the work area at all times.
- All works to be completed by Thursday.

### Altar Servers Outing to Bundoran

takes place this Tuesday 8th July leaving church carpark at 9.30am sharp returning to church carpark at approx 5.30pm. All servers who are travelling must return signed form to the Parish Office.

### Ards Friary Retreat:

Christian Mindfulness Meditation  
8th, 9th & 10th August  
€160 includes meals, accommodation & course.  
Tel: 074 9138909 / info@ardsfriary.ie

### Irish Wheelchair Association Annual Church Gate Collection

on Saturday 12th & Sunday 13th July.  
Your support is greatly appreciated.

### Killybegs Information Centre

welcomes the following Cruise Ships to Killybegs:  
*MS Prisedam*  
on Monday 21st July with 820 passengers and 420 crew.  
*MS Voyager*  
on Wed 30th July with 510 passengers and 200 crew.  
*Saga Sapphire*  
on Tues 26th August with 703 passengers and 360 crew.  
*MS Artania*  
on Sat 30th August with 1200 passengers and 700 crew.  
*Club Med 2*  
On Mon 8th Sept with 386 passengers and 214 crew.

### The Spina Bifida Hydrocephalus Ireland

recent collection raised €801.46.  
Many thanks to the people of Killybegs.

**Adoration Rota** available on table in middle aisle.

### A thought..

In dwelling, *Live close to the ground.*  
In thinking, *Keep to the simple.*  
In conflict, *Be fair and generous.*  
In governing, *Don't try to control.*  
In work, *Do what you enjoy.*  
In family life, *Be completely present.*  
*Tao Te Ching*

### Church Paintings

- Two new paintings for the Church were commissioned and will be located on either side of the Sanctuary. One is of the Visitation of Mary to Elizabeth, the other is of The Baptism of Jesus by John the Baptist. Both paintings will be unveiled and blessed on Saturday evening 19th July at 7pm Mass.
- The 'Murillo' painting of the Holy Family is in its final stages of restoration and will be back in the church before the end of the year.
- Sponsorship for the new paintings and for the restoration of the 'Murillo' painting would be most welcome.

### Keep the Graveyard Tidy

We encourage everyone to maintain the graves of their loved ones as best they can. A skip will be put in place early in the week strictly for graveyard use only. Do not throw rubbish at sides of graveyard or anywhere within.

### Graveyard Mass

Friday 25th July 7.00pm

**Youth 2000 Summer Festival, Roscrea,**  
Co. Tipperary on Thursday 14th - Sunday 17th  
August for those aged 16-35.

For more info: [www.youth2000.ie](http://www.youth2000.ie) / 016753690

### Soundwaves 2014

A weekend of voice workshops with Sian Croose on 19th -21st September at the Regional Cultural Centre Letterkenny.  
Cost €110 pp. For more info email:  
[2014soundwaves@gmail.com](mailto:2014soundwaves@gmail.com)  
Tel: 074 9138880

- **Sunday 6th July 2014: Fourteenth Sunday in Ordinary Time (Cycle A)**
- **Weekday Readings: 14th Week of Ordinary Time (Cycle 2)**

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| <b>Saturday</b>  | <b>5th July:</b>              | <b>07.00pm</b> - Mary Anne & Owenie Murchan (Anniv)   |
| <b>Sunday</b>    | <b>6th July:</b>              | <b>09.00am</b> - Stephen Boyle (20th Anniversary)<br><b>11.00am</b> - Margaret & Charlie Murrin (Anniv) |
| <b>Monday</b>    | (Tara Hotel) <b>7th July:</b> | <b>10.00am</b> - Grace Sharkey (Anniversary)<br><b>07.00pm</b> - Eoin O'Connell (10th Anniversary)      |
| <b>Wednesday</b> | (Tara Hotel) <b>9th July:</b> | <b>07.00pm</b> - Martin Gillespie (Anniversary)   |
| <b>Thursday</b>  | (in Church) <b>10th July:</b> | <b>10.00am</b> - Patrick John O'Donnell (Anniversary)   |
| <b>Friday</b>    | (in Church) <b>11th July:</b> | <b>10.00am</b> - Thomas Murrin (Anniversary)  |
| <b>Saturday</b>  | <b>12th July:</b>             | <b>07.00pm</b> - Canon John Kennedy (Anniversary)   |
| <b>Sunday</b>    | <b>13th July:</b>             | <b>09.00am</b> - Mary Ann McGilloway (Anniversary)<br><b>11.00am</b> - Donald Martin (1st Anniversary)  |

**Confessions:** Saturday 6.30pm; **Adoration:** Sunday 6pm to Monday midnight in Adoration Room

**Pray for those who died recently: Ryan O'Shea, aged 19, Old Fintra Rd, who died in Spain. Funeral arrangements later (son of Sean & Joanne).**

**Pray for: Dymphna O'Carroll-Harvey, Jamsie Boyle. Suaimhneas Sioraí.**

### Summer Coach Tour to Kilkenny

Conneely Travel and JIW Tours have organised a 'summer special' 3 day tour to Kilkenny and Carlow Tues 22<sup>nd</sup> - Thurs 24<sup>th</sup> July. A fun, social bus tour outing, with gentle strolls and two nights dinner, B&b in Hotel Kilkenny. For info, cost and bookings, ring Keith 087-9213200 or Liam 087-2944555.

**Outreach Officer** in Foresters Hall on Tuesday 8th July from 11am - 1pm Tel: 074 9128010.

### Killybegs Employment Project CE

**Programme** will commence new project in July.  
*Current vacancies: Youth Leaders*  
Eligibility to participate on CE is generally linked to those who are 25 years of age or over and in receipt of an Irish social welfare payment for 1 year or more.

### Michaela Foundation Girls Summer Camp

Loreto Convent, Letterkenny, 14th- 18th July  
For more info: [www.themichaelafoundation.com](http://www.themichaelafoundation.com)

**Cycle Against Suicide** A Special Ecumenical Service in honour of Brenawn O'Connell on 12th July in Abbey Voc School, Donegal Town at 8pm.  
**CAS SpinOff Cycle** earlier that day, registration 1pm. Tel Eamonn McGill 087 6747543.

### Killybegs Women's Group

- 3 day workshop in Killaghtee House, Dunkineely. Tues, Wed & Thurs 15th - 17th July 10.30am - 1pm (inc coffee break). Fee €50. Theme: Women's Health & Wellness
- Evening Yoga Class  
Tues 15th & Wed 16th July 7pm -9pm  
€15 per 2 hour class. Theme: Healthy Neck & Back.  
To book tel: Carol 087 0949900.

### Blessed Sacrament Adoration

6th July - Christine Smith  
13th July - Brendan O'Keeney

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| <b>Sunday Collection</b>                   | € 1,533.00           |
| Retired Clergy                             | € 37.00              |
| <b>Restoration &amp; Development Fund:</b> |                      |
| Envelopes 28th & 29th July                 | € 1,582.00           |
| Donation                                   | € 1,000.00           |
| <b>Total Fund:</b>                         | <b>€2,219,223.38</b> |

*Thank you for your continued generosity.*

Parish Office Email Address:  
**info@killybegsparish.com**  
*This is the only email address in use for Parish*

### Oil Painting Classes

for Beginners and Improvers  
in Niall Mór Centre 15th July - 12th August,  
5 Tuesdays 6.30pm - 8.00pm  
Paints and brushes supplied.  
Contact: Mary Faherty Text: 0872542636  
[maryfaherty@hotmail.com](mailto:maryfaherty@hotmail.com)

### Drop In Youth Project

invite you to attend the wedding of the year.  
Sshhh. .... Don't tell the bride!  
Killybegs Exclusive Mock Wedding  
on Saturday 19th July.  
Ceremony commences  
on the Diamond at 5pm  
followed by reception in the Bay View Hotel.  
Tickets €30. 'No gifts required'  
P.S. Don't tell the groom either!

### Gifts and Cards at the Parish Office

Also Mass Cards for exams, anniversaries, birthday, thank you, intentions.. and more.