

St. Mary of the Visitation Parish, Killybegs

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Prayer for Peace: Pope St John XXIII

Lord Jesus Christ,
 who is called the Prince of Peace,
 who is yourself our peace
 and reconciliation,
 who so often said, 'Peace to you',
 grant us peace.



Make all men and women witnesses of
 truth, justice, and brotherly love.
 Banish from their hearts whatever might endanger peace.
 Enlighten our rulers that they may guarantee
 and defend the great gift of peace.
 May all peoples of the earth become as brothers and sisters.
 May longed-for peace blossom forth
 and reign always over us all. Amen.

Entrance Hymn: Though We Are Many

*Though we are many, we are one body,
 we who come to share this living bread;
 Cup of salvation, shared among all nations,
 nourishing us now and evermore.*

We gather in this place,
 round the table of the Lord.
 Christ's presence is revealed
 in our communion and his Living Word.
 (Chorus)

Now our communion recalls
 Christ's death and resurrection.
 This living sacrifice
 is our salvation now and ever more.
 (Chorus)



Donegal Chamber Orchestra Concert

Tickets available **after Mass**. Also from Parish Office /
 Sacristy / Fintra National School / eventbrite.ie

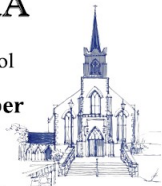
DONEGAL CHAMBER ORCHESTRA

Concert in aid of
 Fintra National School

Sunday, 15th October
 2023
3pm

St. Mary of the Visitation Church,
 Killybegs

€10 / €5
 Children under 16, FREE



Final Hymn: Let There Be Love

*Let there be love shared among us.
 Let there be love in our eyes,
 And let your love sweep this nation,
 Cause us, O Lord, to arise.
 Give us a fresh understanding,
 Brotherly love that is real.
 Let there be love shared among us,
 Let there be love.*

Let there be peace...

Let there be joy...



Thank You Kathleen O'Donnell would like to thank all who attended Pat's wake and funeral in her absence due to her illness, those who sent Mass cards & flower tributes. Special thanks to Canon John Gallagher, Fr Colm, Ann, the Choir, McBrearty Funeral Directors and those who cared for Pat during his illness and all the extended family who gave support and help whenever needed. I would like to take this opportunity to say thank you to all who sent get-well cards, Mass cards, good wishes and prayers during my illness which all has helped me on my road to recovery. Mass will be offered for your intentions.

Closing of Church at 7pm
 (or after evening Mass) for the winter months,
 beginning Monday 9th October.
 Opens as usual at 8am.

Parish Choir Practice Monday 7.15pm

- ♦ **Sunday 8th October 2023:** *Twenty-Seventh Sunday in Ordinary Time Year A*
- ♦ **Weekday Readings:** *Twenty-Seventh Week in Ordinary Time Weekday 1*
Masses will be relayed on the webcam: go to killybegsparish.com for a link to Online Services

Friday 6th October: 10.00am - Joseph, Catherine & Seamus Mc Guinness (Anniversaries)
Saturday 7th October: 07.00pm - Mary & Danny Breslin & Mary Byrne (Anniversaries)
 Bon, George & James Flaherty (Anniversaries)
 Julie Maguire (8th Anniversary)

Sunday 8th October: 09.00am - Special Intentions
11.00am - Anthony & Alice Griffith,
 Kathleen (2nd) & Gabrielle (9th) Mangan (Anniversaries)

Monday 9th October: 10.00am - Mary & Paddy Byrne (Anniversaries)
Tuesday 10th October: 10.00am - Joe & Teresa McBrearty (Anniversaries)
Thursday 12th October: 10.00am - Stephen Harvey (7th Anniversary)
Friday 13th October: 10.00am - Deceased Boyle & Mulreany families
Saturday 14th October: 07.00pm - Pat O'Donnell (1st Anniversary)
 Denis Byrne (8th Anniversary)
 Vincent Curran (5th Anniversary)

Sunday 15th October: 09.00am - Francis Friel (7th Anniversary)
11.00am - Special Intentions
*Adoration of the Blessed Sacrament Monday 11am - 7pm;
 Mass on Monday, Tuesday, Thursday & Friday at 10am*

Pray for: Cáit Gillespie, whose funeral was in Glen Saturday. **Pray for: Joe Brennan, Michael Cassidy. Remember** those who lost their lives in the Creeslough tragedy 7th October a year ago: Robert Garwe & Shauna Flanagan-Garwe, Catherine O'Donnell & James Monaghan, Jessica Gallagher, Martin McGill, James O Flaherty, Martina Martin, Hugh Kelly and Leona Harper. **Suaimhneas Sioraí.**
We pray for healing, hope and peace for their families and for the people of Creeslough.



Commons School Fund-Raising Quiz
 in WellBrae Bar Thursday 19th October at 9pm.

Sunday Collection 1st October € 1,495.00
Maintenance Fund 1st October € 1,085.00

SITT Rural Transport are seeking applications for Part Time Travel Supports for people with intellectual disabilities. Position available in Killybegs: Mon - Fri, split shifts days. 12.5 hours per week. Tel: Sarah 0874855409

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Job Vacancy: 30 hours weekly in Café.
 Application by C.V. to John Byrne,
 or colas@aislann.ie before 5pm Mon 9th Oct.
Concert: ZoDoMo Friday 24th November 8pm..

Fashion Show hosted by the Townawilly Parish Fundraising Committee in Abbey Hotel,
Sunday 8th October, 3pm.
 Exhibitors include Verve, Elite Boutique, Stella, Fit Pink, All Sports, Peter's Man Shop, Get That Trend and Ravda Clothing.
 Tickets €20 from exhibitors and on the door.

Donegal Garden Society A talk by Carl Wright 'Caher Bridge Garden Revisited' Mon 16th Oct 7pm Salthill Garden Room, Mountcharles.

The Island Wake by Fergus Cleary and the Island Players in the Kilcar Parish Hall on Saturday, 14th October 8.30 pm. €10.

25 Card Drive Bay View Hotel Thursdays 8pm

Leitir Corn Mill A Book Festival and Coffee Morning Saturday 14th October 11am - 2pm.

The Mobile Blood Donation Clinic
 in Tara Hotel on Monday 9th Oct
 6.30pm - 9.40pm, appointment only.
 Tel: 1800731137 / www.ibts.ie

Coffee Morning in Mrs Bs Coffee Shop
 on Friday 13th October 10am - 12 noon.
 All proceeds in aid of Breast Cancer.

Cruise Ships at Killybegs:
 Norwegian Star Sunday 8th October, 8am - 8pm,
 2348 passengers, 1031 crew.

Niall Mór Centre www.niallmorcentre.com
 9741863 info@niallmorcentre.com
 Upcoming courses/workshops: *Bounce Back (resilience training), Jewellery Making & Soap making workshop, Irish (ciorcal cainte), English, Beginners Spanish, CPC training, Safepass and Emergency First Aid.*

Important Dates for 2024

Sacrament of Confirmation:
 Sunday 25th February, 11am.

First Holy Communion:
 Saturday 11th May, 11am.



Letterkenny Liturgy Gathering: Sunday 12th November

Bishop Alan Mc Guckian invites members of the Parish Choir, Ministers of the Word and Eucharist to this special afternoon:

2.00pm: Gather to prepare for Eucharist in the Church of the Irish Martyrs, Letterkenny.
 2.30pm: Eucharist
 3.45-5.30pm: Meal in the Clanree Hotel & Conversations.