St. Mary of the Visitation Parish, Killybegs

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

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Never let your failures go to your heart or your successes go to your head

A date for your diary Friday 25th November 7.00pm It is proposed to install a stained glass window in a lighted frame above St Catherine's Altar at a special celebration in the Church. The window is a beautifully produced piece of art of 'God the Father' from the Harry Clarke Studios.

First Communion Enrolment will take place on Sunday 23rd October at 11am Mass. There will be a meeting for all parents the previous Monday on 17th October at 8pm in the Church.

Enrolment of Confirmation Candidates

takes place Saturday 12th November 7pm.

A meeting for parents on

Monday 7th November 7.30pm.

October Seminar on Church Music

The Diocesan Church Music Commission will hold a seminar for all those involved in music ministry in parishes throughout the Diocese of Raphoe on Saturday, 22nd October, in Woodland N. S., Ramelton Road, Letterkenny, beginning with registration at 9.30am. The theme for the seminar is *Music for Parish Celebrations* and the day will be directed by Ian Calanan.

Anam Cara, the organisation that supports bereaved parents: Bereavement Information Evening Thursday 13th October 7.30pm - 9.30pm Mount Errigal Hotel. RSVP to info@anamcara.ie / 085 2888 888.

Family Carers Ireland are providing the QQI Level 5 Healthcare Support Award modules based on demand in Donegal Town in October. Looking for a Career in the Care Sector? Contact our training dept: 0579370221 Modules will be one day a week, five weeks, 9.30am - 4.30pm. 1 Day Topic Specific workshops also available.

A Changed Life Support Group

This is a support group for people who have lost someone to suicide. Starts Tuesday 11th October 7pm - 9.30pm. For info Pastoral Centre, Letterkenny: 074 91 21853.

Killybegs History & Heritage along with Francis Murray are currently doing repair work on the floor of St. Catherine's Church. It involves moving stone from the entrance gate to the church floor. We would be very thankful for any volunteers to help get the work done quickly. Tel: Francis 087 9273075 / Derek 086 2627722

Last Man Standing..

A football lottery in aid of the Restoration Fund beginning *Saturday 19th November*, for six 'weeks', concluding week beginning *17th December*.

Pick one winning team each week for six 'weeks' of the English Premiership.
Entry Fee: €10. Winner gets €400 and two consolation prizes of €50.

Entry forms now available from the Parish Office. We are looking for a number of 'agents' who would help distribute and collect the entry forms.

Parish Finance Committee meets tomorrow Monday 10th October in Parish Office at 8pm.

Thank you Una Breslin would like to thank all who sympathised with her and her family on the death of her mother Una Ward. Thanks to all who travelled to Burtonport for wake & funeral and sent Mass & sympathy cards.

Mass will be offered for your intentions on Monday 10th October 10am.

Killybegs Community Care Council 'Care of the Aged' meeting in Killybegs Hospital on Thursday 13th October at 8.30pm.

Irish Heart Foundation Fundraiser

5K Walk/Run at Bruckless on Sunday 9th October at 3pm. Reg at 2.30pm at Chapel Car park. €5pp. All welcome. Tel 087 1265544

Course for Engaged Couples 2016: In the Pastoral Centre, Kilmacrennan Day long, on the following Saturdays: 15 Oct, 17 Dec, 9am to 6pm Tel: 0879499741 / 0868163563

The Story of Love Concert in Knock Basilica on Sat 15th & Sun 16th October. A Universal Choir from 5 continents.

Table Quiz as part of Bobby Boyle's New York Marathon Run Fundraiser in Tara Hotel on Friday 14th October at 10pm sharp. All proceeds to Cancer Bus. Sunday 9th October 2016: Twenty-Eighth Sunday in Ordinary Time
 Weekday Readings: Twenty-Eighth Week in Ordinary Time

Saturday 8th October: 07.00pm - Joe & Mary Agnes Cunningham (Anniversaries)

Sunday 9th October: 09.00am - Michael Furey R.I.P.

11.00am - Funeral Mass for Mary Breslin R.I.P.

Monday 10th October: 10.00am - Special Intention Wednesday 12th October: 07.00pm - Special Intention

Thursday 13th October: 10.00am - Katie McBrearty & Kathleen McBrearty (Anniversaries)

Friday 14th October: 07.00pm - Maureen O'Neill (Anniversary)

Saturday 15th October: 07.00pm - Veronica & George Flaherty (Anniversaries)

Denis Byrne (2nd Anniversary)

Norah & Michael Gallagher (Anniversaries)

Charlie Boyle (Anniversary)

Sunday 16th October: 09.00am - Special Intention

11.00am - Martin Heraty (Anniversary)

Adoration: Sunday 6pm - Monday Midnight. Confessions: Saturday 6.30pm.

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

Pray for: Mary Breslin, Conlin, whose Funeral Mass takes place today, Sunday, 11am; **Francis Friel,** Kinnegad, Co Westmeath, and formerly Fintra Rd, whose funeral took place on Friday in Killybegs; **Carl Laskey,** Canton, Ohio, (husband of Peggy McGuinness, Main Street, brother-in-law of Conal McGuinness).

Pray for: Sean Carr, Joe & Teresa McBrearty, Michael Cassidy, Michael Noel McGuinness,

John McCahill, Joe Brennan. Suaimhneas Síoraí.

Killybegs Women's Group

- Monster Indoor Boot Sale in Tara Hotel, Sunday 20th November. Have you booked your table yet? Tel: 087 0949900
- An evening of Motivation & Inspiration in Bay View Hotel Thurs 17th November with Lynda Gregg. More details later.
- Ladies...Mark the Date: Friday 2nd Dec We will be gathering together to enjoy a meal at the Fleet Inn. Places are limited. €30 for full Christmas menu. Immediate booking 087 0949900.

TEE Care Home Help is looking for staff in Killybegs, Inver and Dunkineely areas. For more info tel: Jordan 087 0695464 / 071 9841891.

Niall Mór Centre 074 97 41863 southwestdonegalcdp1@gmail.com & Facebook

Get to Know your Community Centre: For social inclusion week. Info: 11am - 1pm, Tues 11th Oct. Beginners & Intermediate Spanish: starts Mon 10th Oct. Beginners 6 - 8pm; Intermed 8 - 10pm. €50 pp. Killybegs Walk & Talk Group: Thursdays 10am. Children's Storytime: Sat 15th Oct 11am - 12:00 Creative Mix Media & Illustration: starts Tues 18th Oct 11am - 1pm, 8 weeks. €50.

Safepass Course: starts Sat 15th Oct 8am - 5pm. Book Keeping: starts Tues 11th & Thurs 13th Oct from 7 - 10pm, 10 weeks. Tel: 074 9120502. Basket Making: at Meenaneary Community Centre, end of Oct. Tel: 074 9741863. Kids Yoga Class: from 6th Oct. Tel: 086 8662682

Blessed Sacrament Adoration

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9th October - Elis McMorrow 16th October - Mary Murrin (J)

Sunday Collection € 1,445.00 Restoration Fund:

Envelopes 1st & 2nd October
Donation

Total Restoration Fund:

€ 1,516.00
€ 250.00
€2,609,104.78

Killybegs Employment Project Ltd

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

Billy's Annual Fundraising Dance for Cancer Patients in Abbey Hotel, Donegal Town on Wednesday 26th October. Tickets €10.

Bravery is being the only one who knows you're afraid

Conversational Irish Classes will start in Maritime Centre on Thursday 13th October 7-9pm. Tel Mary 074 9741968

Male Carer needed for elderly man in Killybegs area. Tel 087 1308180

Donegal Branch of The Alzheimer Society of Ireland Annual Fund-raising Dance on Sat 15th Oct at the Clanree Hotel, Letterkenny at 10pm. Tickets €5. Tel: 074 912 4615