

St. Mary of the Visitation Parish, Killybegs

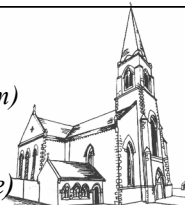
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Masses and Services: Live streaming www.mcmedia.tv (link on website)



First Communion Celebrations

Next celebration: Sunday 26th January 11am
Parents Liturgy Group meets this
 Wednesday 15th Jan 8pm in the Parish Office.

Sunday Missal 2020 Special Price: €5
 Complimentary copy for Ministers of Word and
 Eucharist and all involved in ministry.
 Available from Sacristy or Parish Office.

Live Streaming from the church is
 available on www.mcmedia.tv
 It can easily be accessed by visiting our website
www.killybegsparish.com

Board of Management Meeting
 Fintra N.S. Monday 13th January 5pm.

Primary Schools Enrolment
 For new entrants September 2020
 Fintra N.S: Mon 3rd - Fri 7th February
 Commons N.S: Mon 3rd - Fri 7th February
 Niall Mór N.S: Mon 3rd - Fri 7th February
 during school hours.

Induction Loop is available in the Church
 for hearing-aid users, switch to T position.

Ards Retreat Centre Weekend Retreat
 by Philip McParland. Learning to Meditate.
 Friday 24th, 6pm - Sunday 26th January 2pm.
 Details: info@ardsfriary.ie / 074 9138909

Thank You Jim & Mary Murrin thank all
 their friends who helped to sell tickets for their
 draw for Killybegs Community Hospital.
 €4,100 was raised.
 Thanks also to those who sponsored prizes.

The Yoga House, Croaghlin, Killybegs
 Classes starts Monday 13th Jan 10.30am & 7pm
 & Thursday 16th Jan Gentle Yoga at 10.30am.
 €50 for 6 week block.

Knit & Natter Group meet Wednesdays in
 Bay View Hotel (Writer's corner) 7.30 -
 9.30pm. Why not come along and make new
 friends, swap patterns and ideas or just pop in
 for a chat. Everyone welcome.

We live forward but understand backward

- **Sunday 12th January 2020: The Baptism of the Lord Year A**
- **Weekday Readings: First Week in Ordinary Time Year 2**

Saturday 11th January: 07.00pm - Bridie Fobister (Anniversary)
 Hughie & Justine McGuinness (Anniversaries)
 Noel Cahill (10th Anniversary)
 Bridie Rawdon & Jackie Kallides (Anniversaries)
 Patrick & Una Gillespie (Anniversaries)
 Michael Smith R.I.P.

Sunday 12th January: 09.00am - Special Intention
 11.00am - Rose & James O'Donnell (Anniversaries)
Monday 13th January: 10.00am - Deceased members of Wynne, Smith & Blain families
Tuesday 14th January: 10.00am - Patrick & Margaret Griffin (Anniversaries)
Thursday 16th January: 10.00am - Francis & Hanora O'Connor (Anniversaries)
Friday 17th January: 10.00am - Special Intention
Saturday 18th January: 07.00pm - Moira Murrin (Month's Mind Mass)
Sunday 19th January: 09.00am - Tommy Murphy (Anniversary)
 11.00am - Arthur Kee (8th Anniversary)

Adoration: Sunday 6pm - Monday Midnight

Confessions: Saturdays 6.30pm

Rosary/ Divine Mercy Adoration Room Tuesdays 5.45pm-6.45pm.

Pray for: Angela McBrearty, Fintra Rd, whose funeral took place on Friday;
Charlie Boyle, Church Rd, whose funeral took place last weekend;
Frances O'Donnell, Fintra Rd, whose funeral took place last weekend;
Pray for: Michael Boyle, Teresa & Joe McBrearty, Paddy & Mary Haughey, Crew of Evelyn Marie;
Paddy Bonner, Hughie Gallagher, Tom Ham, Johnny Óg O'Donnell, Roland Faulkner, Joe O'Donnell.
Suaímhneas Stóir.

The Foresters Active Retirement
 are glad to be back in the Foresters Hall from 8th
 January, new and old members welcome.

Blessed Sacrament Adoration
 12th January - Anne Rodgers
 19th January - Máire McGuinness

The Foresters Refurbishment Draw tonight
 Saturday 11th January in Foresters Lounge 9pm.
 Music by Mary Gillespie. All welcome.
The Hall is also available for bookings.

Sunday Collection €1,370.00
Restoration Fund
 Envelopes 4th & 5th January €1,390.00
 Ton of Mackerel €7,200.00
Total Restoration Fund: €3,151,349.43
Thank you for your continued generosity.

Dunkineely & Bruckless Community Alert are
 holding a Public Meeting in Dunkineely Community
 Centre on Thursday 16th January, 8pm, to discuss
 current trends in substance misuse and behavioural
 addictions that are having a negative impact within
 the community. Martin McFadden MSc. &
 Associate, Experts and Addiction Specialists, will
 discuss cause and effect as well as the significant
 harms being done at an individual, family and
 community level. Information and support will be
 signposted on the night. Everyone is welcome.

Jiving Classes resume in Dunkineely
 Community Centre on Tuesday 14th January
 at 8.30pm. €5. All levels welcome.

Áislann Chill Chartha 0749738376
Tiny Tots Fun Morning Friday 24th January
 10am-12.30pm. €3. All welcome.
 Áislann Fitness Suite Annual Membership now
 €99, Student (16-18 years) €80.
Áislann Fitness Suite Circuit Classes
 Mon, Wed & Fri 10.30am. Tues & Thur 6.30pm
Comhra le Tae, Wednesdays 11am
 Club Ceoil presents Michael Gillespie and Zara
 Montgomery, Jan 24th 8.30pm. Tickets €10
 from the Áislann or via Eventbrite.ie
Áis for Cash Indoor Market, Sat 1st Feb
 11am-2pm. Tables Provided, booking essential.
 €10 per table.

Killybegs Employment Project Current Vacancies
Maintenance Workers in Killybegs Area
Youth Worker in Killybegs Area
Domestic Cleaner/ Youth Activities,
Killybegs Administrative Assistant in Dunkineely
Area Maintenance Caretaker in Killybegs Area
 For further information, call project office on
 0749731666 or email to keplidl@eircom.net

*May the Spirit of Silence open our hearts to
 God's transforming love;*
*May the Spirit of Compassion help us to feel
 for the sufferers of others;*
*May the Spirit of Love melt the cold hearts of
 those who trample on human rights;*
*May the Spirit of Beauty teach us to treasure
 Mother Earth;*
*May the Spirit of Wisdom help us to learn
 from spiritual teachers of every faith;*
*May the Spirit of Patience and Endurance
 strengthen the oppressed
 and those who are exiled from their homes;*
*May the Spirit of Courage strengthen those
 who speak for those whose voice is never heard;*
*May the Spirit of Non-violence bring healing,
 peace and justice to those who live
 in countries torn apart by conflict;*
*May the Spirit of Unity help us to welcome people
 of every country and creed as brothers and sisters.*
 Marcus Braybrooke

Volunteers Needed
 The Federation for Victim Assistance, supporting
 victims of crime and trauma, are looking for volunteers
 in Co. Donegal. A Training Day for Volunteers in
 Bundoran on Saturday 18th January 10am-5pm.
 If you are interested in becoming a volunteer please
 phone Pa or Mary at Victim Assistance Head Office.
 Tel: 094 9000251 by Wednesday 15th Jan.

Retrouvaille.. A Lifeline for Married Couples:
 The Retrouvaille programme can help marriages
 at all stages. *Next programme 7th – 9th February 2020.*
 Text or call 086 413 5440, or visit www.retrouvaille.ie.
 Completely confidential.

Pro Life Trust The recent Church Gate Collection
 amounted to €605.30. Sincere thanks to all who gave so
 generously and to all the collectors.
 Mass will be offered for your intentions.

Ireland Lights Up RTE's Operation Transformation is
 looking to bring communities together to enjoy healthy
 walks in the environs of their GAA Club. We will be
 starting our walks on Thursday 16th January at 6pm
 for 6 weeks at training field in Fintra. All welcome.

Carer Available for Killybegs and surrounding areas.
 For more details tel: 0872814700