

**St. Mary of the Visitation Parish, Killybegs**

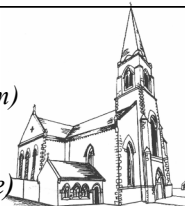
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**Masses and Services:** Live streaming [www.mcnmedia.tv](http://www.mcnmedia.tv) (*link on website*)



**Friends**

*Lord God,  
Friend of the friendless,  
Thank you  
For our friends.  
Help us to be faithful  
In loving those  
You have brought into our lives.  
Keep us free from  
Needless distractions  
And excessive business  
So that we can give  
Our best energies  
In making friendship  
With them  
And with you*

Kathy Keay

**Congratulations and Best Wishes to**

Brittany Aldrich and Tony Donnelly  
who were married recently.

**Thank You** Mary Boyle, Fiafannon, would like to thank everyone who sympathised, sent Mass & sympathy cards, sent flowers, attended wake and Mass on the sad passing of her brother Michael Griffin. Mass will be offered for your intentions.

**Community Care Care of the Aged**

Their recent Church Gate Collection amounted to €733. Thanks to all who contributed and those who collected.

**Bert Beirne, Elmwood Terrace R.I.P.**

The family of the late Bert Beirne wish to acknowledge the many expressions of sympathy and gestures of kindness shown to us following the sudden death of our beloved father and devoted grandfather. We offer a heartfelt thanks to the many friends and neighbours who attended the wake and funeral, those who travelled long distances and sent cards and messages of condolences. Thanks to McBrearty Funeral Directors, Altar Servers, Killybegs Choir, the staff and management of the Tara Hotel, those who formed guards of honour and to everyone who helped with the wake. A special word of thanks to Fr. Colm for the loving tribute he paid to our Dad and the kindness and support he showed to our family. And lastly, to Dad's many good friends, we are eternally grateful.  
*Mass will be offered for your intentions.*

**Graveyard Mass**

*Friday 26th July 7.00pm*

We encourage everyone to maintain the graves of your loved ones as best you can. To that end, a skip is now in place, strictly for graveyard use only. Please remove all excess material from the graveyard and, if a contractor is doing work for you, please instruct them accordingly.

**Blessing of the Fleet Mass**

Auction Hall, Saturday 27th July 7.00pm

**Raphoe Diocesan Pilgrimage to Knock Shrine**

Saturday 17th August  
led by Bishop Alan McGuckian.

**Lough Derg 2019:**

The Three Day Pilgrimage is currently open until Tuesday 13<sup>th</sup> August. Advance booking is not necessary. Phone Lorraine on 071 9861518 email: info@loughderg.org

**Restoring Éire Sign at Drumanoo**

on Saturdays at 10am. Bring spade.  
If Saturday doesn't suit ring 0873119020.

**Guided Muckish Hill Climb:** The Irish Pilgrimage Trust is an organisation which provides a holiday and respite for children and young people with intellectual disabilities, medical conditions and social needs to Lourdes every Easter and depend on fundraising to do this. Hosting their first ever Muckish Mountain Charity Climb on Sunday 21st July 10am. Cost €10. For info: 0876888230 or 0877962046

**GROW** is a Mental Health Organisation which helps people who have suffered, or are suffering, from mental health problems. Members are helped to recover from all forms of mental breakdown, or indeed, to prevent such happening. If you would like to talk to somebody call our info line on: 1890 474 474

**The Annual National Pilgrimage to Croagh Patrick 'Reek Sunday'**

Sunday 28th July.  
Mass on the summit of the mountain on the hour with the first Mass at 8am and the last Mass at 2pm. Confessions 7.30am to 2pm.

- **Sunday 14th July 2019:** *Fifteenth Sunday in Ordinary Time* **Year C**
- **Weekday Readings:** *Week Fifteen in Ordinary Time* **Year 1**

**Saturday 13th July: 07.00pm** - Jim McFadden (40th Anniversary)  
Jamsie Boyle (20th Anniversary)

**Sunday 14th July: 09.00am** - Kelly Pearce R.I.P.  
**11.00am** - Martin Murphy (2nd Anniversary)  
**10.00am** - Philomena O'Doherty R.I.P.

**Monday 15th July: 10.00am** - Anthony & Alice Griffith (Anniversaries)

**Thursday 18th July: 10.00am** - Nana & Tommy Mc Nulty (Anniversaries)

**Friday 19th July: 10.00am** - Mary Breslin R.I.P. (Month's Mind Mass)  
**07.00pm** - Daniel Breslin (Anniversary)  
William Hamilton (Anniversary)  
Dean John Kennedy (Anniversary)  
Charlie & Margaret Murrin (Anniversaries)  
Daisy Hegarty (4th Anniversary)

**Saturday 20th July: 11.00am** - John Paul & Agatha Mc Guinness (Anniversaries)  
**11.00am** - Mona & Aidan Mc Ginley (Anniversaries)

**Adoration:** Sunday 6pm - Monday Midnight

**Confessions:** Saturday 6.30pm

**Rosary/ Divine Mercy Adoration Room** Tues 6.45pm-7.45pm

Please note:

No Mass Tuesday or Wednesday

*Pray for: Patsy Mc Gowan, Donegal Rd, whose funeral took place on Thursday; Johnny Boyle, whose funeral was Saturday, Auckland, New Zealand, (cousin of Kathleen McBrearty) James McColl who died in Cyprus (brother of Thomas Mc Coll, Croaghbeg, Kilcar); Philomena O'Doherty, who died in Australia (aunt of Gerry O'Doherty); Margaret Harbour, whose funeral is in England Monday 15th July (aunt of Rosemary Kelly); Pray for: Neil Hegarty, John Bernard Boyle, Neil Cassidy, Oliver & Matthew Cunningham, Lily Morgan, Timmy Morgan. **Suaimhneas Sioraí.***

*We are what we repeatedly do. Excellence then is not an act but a habit*

**Killybegs Community First Responder Group**

Fundraiser on The Diamond  
Saturday 27th July 10am - 4pm.

**Blessed Sacrament Adoration**

14th July - Rosemary Gallagher  
21st July - Patricia Boyle

**Niall Mór Community Childcare 9748000**  
niallmorchildcarecentre@gmail.com

*Afterschool pick up* has been arranged from schools in the Killybegs, Bruckless, Dunkineely and Kilcar areas from September. All children can receive a hot meal, homework supervision and enjoy art and crafts and recreational activities. Open until 6pm and available full-time during school holidays.

**Sunday Collection** € 1,250.00  
Retired Clergy € 10.00  
**Restoration Fund**  
Envelopes 6th & 7th July € 1,515.00  
**Total Restoration Fund: €3,087,233.43**

*Thank you for your continued generosity.*

**St Michael the Archangel Mission**

St Naul's Church, Ardaghay  
on Tuesday 16th July 7pm.

**What Women Want**

A fun-filled ladies afternoon with pop up shops, afternoon tea, makeovers and much more.  
Prize for best dressed lady. Bay View Hotel, Sunday 28th July, at 4pm. Tickets €20 available at hotel reception or tel: 0870692022

**Donegal Garden Trail**

Martin & Carmel McLaughlin Open Garden at Cille, Kilcar, Saturday 20th & Sunday 21st July, 12-6pm.  
Donation to charity.

**Niall Mór Centre 9741863 Ring to book a place..**

*Youth Drama Theatre Camp:* 15th - 19th July  
10am - 1pm, for 5-10 yrs, €65.  
*Kids Active Gymness Camp:* 29th July - 2nd August  
10am - 2pm. Tel: Lizzie 0877419005  
*Killybegs Water Safety Week:* 29th July - 2nd Aug.  
Registration forms available. €30. Min age 7yrs.  
*Mother & Toddler Group:* Tuesdays for July  
10.30 - 12.30 pm. Everyone welcome.  
*Sprocket Rocket Bike Skills:* 12th -16th August  
11 am - 12:30 pm, €30 for 5-8 years.  
*Lego Bricks 4 Kidz Camp:* 6th-9th Aug, 10am - 1pm.  
Tel: JP on 0863894833