

St. Mary of the Visitation Parish, Killybegs

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



We pray for the success of the Synod of Bishops in Rome and for the opening up of a synodal pathway in the local Church.

*We stand before you, Holy Spirit,
As we gather together in your name.
With you alone to guide us,
Make yourself at home in our hearts.
Teach us the way we must go
And how we are to pursue it.
We are weak and sinful;
Do not let us promote disorder.
Do not let ignorance lead us down the wrong path
Nor partiality influence our actions.
Let us find in you our unity
So that we may journey together to eternal life
And not stray from the way of truth and what is right.
All this we ask of you,
Who are at work in every place and time.
In the communion of the Father and the Son
Forever and ever. Amen.*

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.

Important Dates for 2024

Sacrament of Confirmation: Sunday 25th February, 11am.
First Holy Communion: Saturday 11th May, 11am.

Bus to Knock Saturday 7th October leaving Tara Hotel 8.35am. To book ring Liam Conneely 087 2944555.

Entrance Hymn: Song for a Young Prophet

*O, the word of my Lord,
Deep within my being,
O, the word of my Lord,
You have filled my mind.*



Before I formed you in the womb
I knew you through and through,
I chose you to be mine.
Before you left your mother's side
I called to you, my child,
To be my sign. (Chorus)

I know that you are very young,
But I will make you strong.
I'll fill you with my word.
And you will travel through the land,
Fulfilling my command
Which you have heard. (Chorus)

Final Hymn: How Great is Our God

*How great is our God!
How great is his name!
How great is our God!
For ever the same.*



He rolled back the waters of the mighty Red Sea.
and he said: "I'll never leave you.
Put your trust in me". (Chorus)

He sent his Son, Jesus, to set us free
and he said: "I'll never leave you.
Put your trust in me". (Chorus)

He gave us his Spirit, and now we can see
and he said: "I'll never leave you.
Put your trust in me". (Chorus)

Board of Management Meetings

Niall Mór N.S: Monday 2nd October 8pm

Commons N.S: Tuesday 3rd October 4pm

SVDP (Killybegs) Do you need assistance for Educational Expenses, Primary/Secondary 3rd Level? Ring 0873507727 in confidence.

Guided Walk in Ards Friary The Diocese of Raphoe invite you to celebrate the Season Of Creation Saturday 7th October from 2pm-4pm

Give Blood Clinic Abbey Hotel 10/11/12 October. See poster in porch.

- ♦ **Sunday 1st October 2023:** *Twenty-Sixth Sunday in Ordinary Time* **Year A**
- ♦ **Weekday Readings:** *Twenty-Sixth Week in Ordinary Time* **Weekday 1**

Masses will be relayed on the webcam: go to killybegsparish.com for a link to Online Services

Friday	29th September:	07.00pm - Cathal Mooney, Margaret & Charles Mooney (Anniv)
Saturday	30th September:	07.00pm - Special Intentions
Sunday	1st October:	09.00am - Special Intentions 11.00am - Paddy McCloskey (Month's Mind Mass) 10.00am - Special Intention
Monday	2nd October:	10.00am - Special Intentions
Tuesday	3rd October:	10.00am - Special Intentions
Thursday	5th October:	10.00am - Tommy Byrne (11th Anniversary)
Friday	6th October:	10.00am - Joseph, Catherine & Seamus Mc Guinness (Anniv)
Saturday	7th October:	07.00pm - Mary & Danny Breslin & Mary Byrne (Anniv) Bon, George & James Flaherty (Anniv) Julie Maguire (8th Anniversary)
Sunday	8th October:	09.00am - Special Intentions 11.00am - Anthony & Alice Griffith, Kathleen (2nd) & Gabrielle (9th) Mangan (Anniv)

*Adoration of the Blessed Sacrament Monday 11am - 7pm;
Mass on Monday, Tuesday, Thursday & Friday at 10am*

Pray for: Nora Mc Hugh (20th Anniversary) *Suaimhneas Sioraí.*



Congratulations & Best Wishes to Séarlait Mc Cann & Liam Doherty on their marriage.



Parish Choir Practice Monday 7.15pm

Donegal Chamber Orchestra Concert

Tickets available from Parish Office or Sacristy and Fintra National School. Also at 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

Sunday Collection 24th September € 1,070.00
Maintenance Fund 24th September € 1,095.00
Thank you for your continued generosity.

Killybegs Community Care, Care of the Aged Committee are urgently looking for new volunteers. A meeting Thursday 5th October 8pm Killybegs Hospital Dayroom, come along if interested in helping out in the community.

Leitir Corn Mill A Book Festival and Coffee Morning Saturday 14th October 11am 2pm. Everybody welcome. Suitable for all ages.

Áislann Chill Chartha
For information on all events taking place contact us on 0749738376 or facebook messenger.

Dunkineely Community Centre
Art Class for Beginners starts Thursday 5th Oct 7.30pm for 6 weeks. Text: 087 7565260.
Over 55s Keep Fit Class Tuesdays, 11am.

Fintra N.S. sincere thanks to all who supported church gate collection of €728 and helped.

Killybegs Knit & Natter Tuesdays 7.30 - 9.30pm in Writers' Corner, Bay View Hotel. All welcome.

Niall Mór Centre www.niallmorcentre.com
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Training and Development in Manual Handling,
Emergency First Aid Training, Microsoft Training,
Driver CPC Training, Safepass.

25 Card Drive Bay View Hotel Thursdays 8pm

St Faustina Retreat in Divine Mercy Centre, Letterkenny, Fri 6th Oct 6pm to Sat. 7th Oct. 6pm, €89pp. To book, ring 074 9169934.

Donegal Drama Circle, in conjunction with the Donegal Bay and Bluestacks Festival, will present *The Beauty Queen of Leenane* by Martin McDonagh at Legowney Community Hall, Donegal Town at 8 pm nightly on Thursday, Friday and Saturday next (5/6/7 October).