

St. Mary's Parish, Killybegs



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Church Restoration

- Sunday Masses at Foresters Hall
- Weekday Masses in the Tara Hotel.

Restoration Finances

- The money is flowing again so work is beginning to accelerate again on the site.
- **Interest-Free loans**, of any amounts, small or large, repayable on request, would be gratefully accepted. Please contact Fr Colm.
- **Weekly restoration envelopes**: if anyone would like to receive a set, please let Ann know in the Parish Office.

Fundraising Events in July

- **Scrap Metal Collection**: Sincere thanks to everyone for their support for the last two Thursdays. We will be collecting again this Thursday. Let Ann know in the Parish Office 9731013 if you have any items for collection.
- **Sheep Farmer Appeal**: we are appealing to sheep farmers to donate the price of one lamb from their flock. Please contact the Parish Office 9731013. All contributions will be greatly appreciated.

Weekend Masses in Foresters' Hall.

Mass in The Tara Hotel Function Room this week Tuesday, Wednesday & Thursday 10am.

Ard na Carraige Prayer Room: Open 8am - 8pm.

The Parish Office, Monday to Friday 9am - 3pm

Church Road 50th Reunion taking place on Saturday 28th July at 3pm. All welcome.

Killybegs Community Care celebrating 40 years on Monday 6th August at 3pm in Tara Hotel

FÁS Local Training Initiative, St Catherine's Road, Full-time course now enrolling.

Computer Training – FETAC Awards, ECDL, ECDL WebStarter, ECDL CAD, ECDL Advanced Word & Excel.
Video – FETAC Awards: Camera Techniques and Digital Editing using iMac computers.

Research – Local historical projects

FETAC Level 5 - 2D Computer Aided Design.

Note: Participants will be involved in all 3 areas of the course - computers, research & video.

Tel Philip Kemp 9741903

Accepting is sometimes a sign of resignation but waiting is always a sign of hope

Graveyard Mass:

Friday 27th July 7.00pm

Keep the Graveyard Tidy

We encourage everyone to maintain the graves of their loved ones. A skip is now in place strictly for graveyard use only. Please do not throw rubbish anywhere in the graveyard.

Blessing of the Fleet Mass

in Auction Hall on Saturday 4th August 7pm.

Thank You

Brendan O'Keeney Jnr and family would like to thank all those who sent get-well wishes, Mass cards and for their prayers. It was greatly appreciated. Mass will be offered for your intentions.

James Kilbane with his full Country Band in Concert in Blue Haven on Sunday 7th October in support of Rebuild for Bosnia & St Mary's Restoration. Tickets available from Declan's Photocentre, Killybegs; Parish Office 9731013; Celia McGee 085 2806365.

Ann & Kathleen would like to thank a local lady for very generously donating €405 towards upkeep of the Cancer Bus to Galway. Bus is free for people attending the clinic, it goes on Monday, back on Friday. A bigger bus has now been purchased. Many thanks also to everyone who donated clothes etc.

Family Learning Courses for parents: *Maths for Parents, Computers for Parents, How to Help Your Child With Homework, Irish for Parents* and many more. Courses are from 6-8 weeks at 2 hours per week. Tel / text Adele on 0868207338

Fintra N.S. Stones, purchased for drainage of sports field, have been removed from the car park. We appeal for their immediate return.

MASS TIMES & INTENTIONS

- **Sunday 22nd July 2012: Sixteenth Sunday in Ordinary Time Cycle B**

- **Weekday Readings: Sixteenth Week in Ordinary Time**

Saturday	21st July:	07.30pm - Daniel Byrne (Anniversary)
Sunday	22nd July:	09.00am - Philomena Forde (Anniversary) 11.00am - Michael O'Donnell (Anniversary)
Tuesday	24th July:	10.00am - Tony Friel (Anniversary)
Wednesday	25th July:	10.00am - Brian Gillespie (Anniversary)
Thursday	26th July:	10.00am - Paddy Mc Gill (1st Anniversary)
Friday	27th July:	07.00pm - Graveyard Mass
Saturday	28th July:	07.30pm - Terence & Brigid Carry & Angela Cunningham (Anniv)
Sunday	29th July:	09.00am - John Paul & Agatha McGuinness (Anniversaries) 11.00am - Stephen Boyle (Anniversary)

Adoration - Sunday 6pm to Monday midnight

Confessions - Saturdays 6.45pm in Prayer Room

Please note: no Mass on Monday; Mass on Tues & Wed 10am; Friday's Mass 7pm at Graveyard.

Pray for those who died recently: *Jerry O'Shea*, whose funeral took place in Howth on Thursday (brother of Teddy O'Shea); *Frank O'Halloran*, Oughterard, Co Galway, whose funeral took place on Friday; *Anne Brady* whose funeral took place in Dublin recently; *Margaret Roberts* whose funeral was in Glasgow last week; *Michael Boyle*, whose funeral was in Glasgow on Thursday; *Winnie Mc Mahon*, Glenfin, who died Saturday morning. **Pray for Anthony & Alice Griffith, Solas síoraí.**

The Queen of The Fleet Dance,

part of the Killybegs Summer Festival, in The Tara Hotel on July 28th at 9pm. Adm €5.

Blessed Sacrament Adoration

22nd July - Máire McGuinness
29th July - Patricia Boyle

This year's swim from Fintra to Portnacross on Sun 5th Aug at 7.30pm. Training continues on Tuesdays and Fridays at 7.30pm. For more details contact Aisling on 0879195593.

Margaret Connell, Foot Health Practitioner in Killybegs Family Health Centre on Wednesday 25th July. For appointments contact 087 1417180.

Dinky's Summer Soccer Camp Tuesday 7th to Friday 10th August at St Catherine's F C Astro Pitch. Boys & Girls, 5-14 years. 3 day camp €30 per child; 4 day Camp €40 per child. Contact Brian 087 0954893.

Children's Swimming Lessons Due to demand I am taking names for a second group for swimming lessons in Ballyshannon on Saturday afternoons starting mid September. Contact Dessie O'Keeney for more information 9732650 / 086 6000098.

Surf Camp Bus leaving Tara Hotel Bus Stop on Monday 23rd July at 1pm.

Beach Party Disco in Drop – In on Tuesday 24th July 9pm-11pm. Cost €3. For 1st & 2nd years only. Spot prizes for best beach wear!

Sunday Collection € 1,841.00

Restoration & Development Fund:

Envelopes 14th & 15th July: € 1,250.00
Donations € 600.00
Seat Sponsorship € 1,000.00
Total Fund: € 1,845,574.50
Thank you for your continued generosity.

Harvey's Point Bluestack Challenge 2012

10th Anniv Celebration Walk on Saturday 15th September. Register before 15th August. www.hpbc.ie or tel 9740828 for more details.

Niall Mór Centre Fun Summer Camp

Aug 13th - 23rd. Tel Mary 9748000 / 9741863

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