

St. Mary of the Visitation Parish, Killybegs

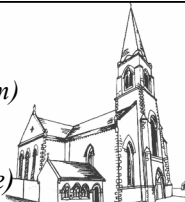
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Masses and Services: Live streaming www.mcmedia.tv (*link on website*)



Feast Day of St Catherine of Alexandria
Sunday 25th November Masses 9am & 11am
Prayer Service at St Catherine's Well at 4.00pm.

 **Christmas Shop Now Open!!** Christmas gifts now available. Call to Parish Office & have a look..

Last Man Standing
Thanks to everyone who entered this competition. There were **280** entries. Once matches for Week 1 are completed on Monday, a list of remaining competitors and remaining selections will be posted on the Parish Office window and on our website: killybegsparish.com (*go to Newsletters*)
Thank you and good luck!

- Parish Christmas Deliveries**
- The Parish Christmas Newsletter and the complimentary Parish Calendar 2019 are being delivered to each household in the parish the week beginning 3rd December.
 - At the same time the Church Envelopes and the Restoration Envelopes will be delivered. Anyone not on the list who would like a set of envelopes, please let Ann know in the Parish Office.
 - We are appealing for help with the deliveries. Anyone who can help please come to the Parish Office Monday week 3rd December 7pm - 7.30pm.

The Divine Mercy Centre, Letterkenny Tel: 074 9169934
Open Day: Sunday 2nd December 10.30am - 8.30pm.
Tuesdays: Prayer Meeting at 8.15pm.
Thursdays: "Encountering the Divine Mercy Image" 8.15pm.
December 8th: Explanation of Lectio Divina, 2pm - 5pm.

December Sunday Rota

READERS
Vigil 7pm: Pat Connaghan
09.00am: Breege McGuinness
11.00am: Tadhg Gallagher

COLLECTORS
Vigil 7pm: Donal O'Donnell, Fred Smith, Ann Marie Leslie
09.00am: Rose McBrearty, Michael Melly
11.00am: Lena Gavigan, Rosemary Kelly

MINISTERS OF THE EUCHARIST
Vigil 7pm: Anthony McBrearty, Patricia O'Boyle, Mary Murrin (J)
09.00am: Rita Cunningham, Teresa Doherty
11.00am: Caroline O'Gorman, Mary Gallagher, James Gavigan

Christmas First Friday Calls
on Thursday & Friday 6th & 7th December.

Christmas Carol Services
St. John's: Wed. 5th December, 7.30pm
St. Mary's Wednesday 12th December 7pm

Advent Reconciliation Service
Monday 17th December 7.00pm

First Holy Communion:
Do This In Memory Next celebration: this Sunday 25th November 11am.

Board of Management Meeting
Niall Mór N.S. Monday 26th Nov 8pm.

Hospital Rota for Eucharistic Ministers now available on middle aisle.

Community Care Care of the Aged Christmas Party
Sunday 2nd Dec in Tara Hotel at 12.30pm.
Mr & Mrs Claus will be there. Tel: Celia 085 2806365 / Ann Marie 9731459 or leave your name in Post Office by Friday 30th November.
Everyone is welcome to join us to make the day special for our Senior Citizens.

All-Night Vigil at Knock Shrine December 7th - 8th
Confessions from 10pm in the Chapel of Reconciliation and Vigil at 12 Midnight in the Basilica with Rosary, Stations of the Cross and Holy Hour with Fr Brendan Walsh SCA. Concelebrated Mass at 4am with His Excellency Archbishop Okolo, Papal Nuncio. For info on coaches to the vigil see: www.knockshrine.ie

St Joseph's Young Priests Society
Church Gate Collection
Saturday 1st & Sunday 2nd December.

Night Vigil to Knock
on Friday 7th December. Anyone interested tel: McBrearty's 074 9731056

Legion of Mary The Chaplet of Divine Mercy in Graveyard on Friday 30th Nov at 3pm for the Holy Souls. All welcome.

- Sunday 25th November 2018: Christ the King** Cycle B
- Weekday Readings:** 34th Week in Ordinary Time Cycle 2

Saturday 24th November: 07.00pm - John O'Donnell (Anniversary)
Con McBrearty (Anniversary)
& deceased Breslin & McBrearty families
Catherine McGuinness & Frank Cunningham (Anniversaries)
Sean McBrien (3rd Anniversary)

Sunday St Catherine of Alexandria, Patron Saint of Killybegs Parish
25th November: 09.00am - Bridie Meehan (Month's Mind Mass)
11.00am - Alfie Walsh (14th Anniversary)

Monday 26th November: 10.00am - Dan & Maggie McCloskey & Jim McCloskey (Anniv)

Tuesday 27th November: 10.00am - Sue Barnes R.I.P.

Thursday 29th November: 07.00pm - Special Intentions

Friday 30th November: 10.00am - Molly & David Love (25th Anniversaries)

Saturday 1st December: 07.00pm - John McGuire, Teresa Carroll & deceased McGuire family
Paddy & Mary Byrne (Anniversaries)
Margaret Diver & deceased family members
Margaret Gallagher (Anniversary)
Jim & Madge Murrin (Anniversaries)

Sunday 2nd December: 09.00am - Pat & Alice Conneely (Anniversaries)
11.00am - Nora Egan (1st Anniversary)

Adoration: Sunday 6.00pm to Monday Midnight
Rosary/ Divine Mercy/Adoration Adoration Room Tues 5.45pm - 6.45pm.

Please note:
Mass on Thursday at 7pm

Pray for: Hugh O'Neill, Dunkineely, wake in Eyeries, Beora, Co Cork, Sunday 4pm-8pm, funeral on Monday at 11am; Vincent Curran, St Catherine's Rd, whose funeral took place on Monday; Mary Mahon, Wolverhampton, who died this week (sister of Teresa Smith); Kathleen Jackson, whose funeral was in Toronto, Canada, last week (sister of Teddy O'Shea). Pray for: Paul Boyle, Frankie McBrearty, Crew of the Carraig Una: Ted Carbery, John Boyle, Anthony McLaughlin, Doalty O'Donnell, Michael Coyle. Suaimhneas Siorai

Christmas Lights Switch On
Sunday 2nd December at 6pm.
Come along and join in the fun with Santa as we kick off Christmas in Killybegs.

Blessed Sacrament Adoration
25th November - Maureen Cunningham
2nd December - Mary Gallagher

Christmas Craft Fair
30th November - 14th December
in Killybegs Carpet & Maritime Centre. Starts with Coffee Morning Friday 30th November 10am - 4pm.

Sunday Collection €1,261.00
Restoration Fund
Envelopes 17th & 18th November €1,710.00
Total Restoration Fund: €2,982,209.43

Variety Concert in Foresters Hall on Friday 30th November, 8.30pm. €10/€5.

The Singing Priests
Celebrate Twelve Days of Christmas in St. Mary's Church, Stranorlar on Friday 28th December. For info tel: 028 71382876

Niall Mór Centre 9741863 Ring to book a place..
Citizen's Advice: Mondays 2.30pm - 4pm.
Drop in service, no need to pre-book.
Pilates with Martina: Mondays mixed class 9-10pm.
To book tel: 0863846302.
Parent & Toddler Group: Tuesdays, 11am - 12.30pm. Everyone welcome.
Slimming World: Tuesdays 5pm & 7pm.
Weight Watchers: Mondays: 4.45pm & 6pm.
Golden Rose Academy: Workshops Sun 2nd & 16th Dec, 10am-5pm. Day of healing meditation and sound meditation. Tel: Janet Deane 0876123214.

Pilgrimage to Medjugorje 2019.
Holy week 17 April - 24th April. Ex Dublin.
Spiritual Director Fr Terri Smyth. €689 pp.
Bus leaving from Letterkenny.
For info contact Bernie at 087 935 3953.

Charity 25 Card Drive on Thurs 29th Nov 7.30pm at Old Commons N.S. Proceeds to Temple St Children's Hospital. Tel: PJ Leslie 0749731459. Donations welcome. Prizes on the night. All levels of card players welcome.