

St. Mary of the Visitation Parish, Killybegs

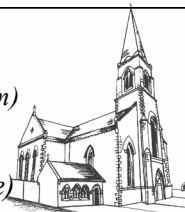
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Masses and Services: Live streaming www.mcnmedia.tv (link on website)



The Celebration of the Sacraments of Confirmation and First Holy Communion

We have contacted each family by email with details of the revised timetable and requesting the names of those attending, in accordance with COVID restrictions. The maximum attendance at each celebration is 50.

- There are three sessions for Confirmation candidates, attendance strictly limited to 4 per family (includes the candidate).
- Attendance for First Communion, with 4 sessions, comprises the immediate family which is parents, brothers & sisters (each family is entitled to at least 4 people present which includes the candidate).

Celebration of the Sacrament of Confirmation:

Saturday 5th September at 11am, 1pm & 3pm

Celebration of First Holy Communion:

Saturday 12th September at 10am, 11.30am, 1pm & 2.30pm.

We are making every effort to conduct these celebrations in a safe environment and only those who are on the approved list of attendance can be admitted. We look forward to a joyful & safe celebration of both sacraments. Your full cooperation will be greatly appreciated.

Priory Institute: registrations taken now for autumn online theology courses. The courses are up to degree level and are heavily subsidised by the Irish Dominicans. www.prioryinstitute.com

Anam Cara Donegal, monthly Parent Evening for bereaved parents on Thursday 10th September at 7.20pm in the Raddison Blu, Letterkenny.

WISE offer a free training and employment service to women living in Donegal. For personal/career development, to get into work or set up your own business call Michelle 086 145 2249 for more info.

Re-opening of Primary Schools

Niall Mór N.S. Tuesday 1st September
Junior Infants finish at 12 noon.

Public Masses

There is no obligation to attend Mass. If you feel sick or vulnerable in any way, don't be in any hurry to return to Mass and other options are available such as online, TV & Radio.

Numbers attending Mass continue to be restricted to 50 and 9 Masses will be celebrated this week.

Please attend only once so that everyone has a opportunity to avail of attending once a week.

This week Masses will be at the following times:

*Monday 10am; Tuesday 10am; Wednesday 7pm; Thursday 10am;
Friday 7pm; Saturday 7pm; Sunday 9am & 11am.*

- Keep a distance of 2 metres from others; use hand-sanitizer both on entry and leaving
- **It is strongly recommended to wear a face covering at all Masses and at all Baptisms.**
- Only occupy a **vacant seat** (no sharing of seats except with family members).
- A **one-way system** will operate: you enter by the main door and leave to the left or right of the altar (through the Adoration Room or by the side door on the hospital side).
- **Kneelers** are not in use (to ensure that people are 2 metres apart).
- **Holy Communion** will be distributed at the end of Mass; after the Final Blessing, you may receive Communion as you leave the Church (this minimises movement in an enclosed space).
- **Two collection boxes** on the newsletter tables on either side as you enter, baskets placed at the exits.
- All Masses will be live-streamed and all 8 weekly Masses will be given the **same consideration.**

Mass attendance: Fri 25, Sat am 11/ pm max, Sunday max/max, Mon 33, Tue 22, Wed 34, Thurs 20/17

- **Sunday 30th August 2020:** *Twenty Second Sunday in Ordinary Time* *Year A*
- **Weekday Readings:** *22nd Week in Ordinary Time* *Cycle 2*

*Due to the Coronavirus restrictions attendance at all Masses limited to 50 people.
They will be relayed on the webcamera: go to killybegsparish.com for a link to the live streaming*

Saturday	29th August:	07.00pm - Alan Raughter (Anniversary)
Sunday	30th August:	09.00am - Special Intentions
		11.00am - Michael Hamilton (Anniversary)
Monday	31st August:	10.00am - James Greenwood (1st Anniversary)
Tuesday	1st September:	10.00am - Fr Eugene O'Carroll (2nd Anniversary)
Wednesday	2nd September:	07.00pm - Special Intentions
Thursday	3rd September:	10.00am - Special Intentions
Friday	4th September:	07.00pm - Special Intentions
Saturday	5th September:	11.00am - Sacrament of Confirmation
		01.00pm - Sacrament of Confirmation
		03.00pm - Sacrament of Confirmation
		07.00pm - Bridget McBrearty & Paddy Heekin (Anniv) & deceased members of the Heekin family Sean Melly (Anniversary)
Sunday	6th September:	09.00am - Deceased members of Wynne, Smith & Blain families
		11.00am - John & Margaret McTeague (30th Anniversary)

Pray for: *Margaret McKeown, Ballinamore, whose funeral took place on Wednesday (mother of Mary Boyle, Harbour View Drive); James Dearg Byrne, who lost his life at sea. Funeral in Kilcar on Saturday. John, Tomás & Amelia Mullan, Moville. Pray for: Fidelma Shovlin. **Suaímhneas Sioraí.***

St Catherine's Vocational School

Return to school dates:

Mon 31st Aug	Staff Only
Tues 1st Sept	Staff Only
Wed 2nd Sept	First year only
Thurs 3rd Sept	First and Fifth years only
Fri 4th Sept	First, Fifth and Sixth years only
Mon 7th Sept	First, Second, Fifth & Sixth only
Tues 8th Sept	First, Second, Third, Fifth & Sixth
Wed 9th Sept	All mainstream classes

Sunday Collection	€ 1,325.00
Retired Clergy	€ 10.00
Restoration Fund	
Envelopes 22nd & 23rd Aug	€ 965.00
Donation	€ 100.00
Total Restoration Fund:	€3,201,788.43

Niall Mór Centre 9741863

Ring to book place. info@niallmorcentre.com
Killybegs Walking Group: Mondays at 10am & Wednesdays 7pm, €2 pp.

Wellness Wednesday: book for Wed 30th Sept.

National Walking Day: Sunday 27th Sept.

Interested in participating or volunteering?

Donegal ETB offering free Courses

Bus Driving with Tourism Visitor Care Due

to commence 28/09/2020 Donegal Town for

14 Weeks. Ring for more info.

Traineeship in Engineering Operations: Tel

Claire or Tara (074) 9120542 for more info.

Killybegs Employment Project Vacancies

Tel: 0749731666 / Email: kepltd2@outlook.ie

Domestic Worker/Activities, Killybegs;

Craft shop Retail & Accounts Assistant, Kbegs;

Caretaker, Niall Mór Centre, Killybegs;

Grounds Caretaker, Inver/Ardaghey;

Caretaker, Inver Community Centre;

Caretaker, Kbegs; Maintenance Workers, Kbegs

Youth Worker, Killybegs.

A Prayer for Spiritual Communion

*My Jesus, I believe that you are present
in this Most Holy Sacrament of the altar.*

I love you above all things

and I desire to receive you into my soul.

Since I cannot receive you now in Holy

Communion, come spiritually into my heart.

I embrace you as if you were already there

and unite myself wholly to you.

Never let me be parted from you. Amen.

