

## St. Mary of the Visitation Parish, Killybegs

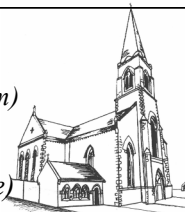
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Masses and Services: Live streaming [www.mcnmedia.tv](http://www.mcnmedia.tv) (link on website)



### No Public Masses: Live-Streamed Masses only.

Saturday: 7pm

Sunday: 11am

Monday, Tuesday, Wednesday,  
Thursday, Friday: 10am

Saturday: 7pm

Sunday: 11am.



### COVID Level 3 Restrictions

- ◆ Donegal continues at level 3 of COVID-19 restrictions.
- ◆ Mass will be celebrated here behind closed doors, live streamed as usual. See time-table.
- ◆ Funerals and Weddings may take place, with numbers restricted to 25.
- ◆ All Baptisms need to be rescheduled.
- ◆ The church remains open for private prayer 8.00am to 8.00pm.
- ◆ While visiting the church, please observe all covid guidelines for your own protection and for the protection of others.
- ◆ These new restrictions apply until 16th October.

### COVID-19

#### How can I protect myself from Coronavirus?

**Stay at home as much as possible.** Only go out when you must. Be responsible, be safe.

Try and limit the number of people you meet with outside of your home and the time you spend with them.

**Proper hand washing, respiratory hygiene and social distancing** are more important than ever.

**Wear a face covering** in shops and other indoor settings and on public transport - this is the law, you may be fined or refused entry if you don't wear one.

### Love after Love

by Derek Walcott,  
poet and playwright,  
won the Nobel Prize for Literature in 1992.  
In this poem *Love after Love*  
Walcott invites us  
to remember, to accept,  
and to appreciate all the moments of our life.  
For as heart breaking as some of these  
memories may be, these moments are what  
makes us who we are.

These are what will allow us to accept  
ourselves as we are and become whole again.  
For Walcott every human being should be  
able to sit and feast on their life.

*The time will come  
when, with elation*

*you will greet yourself arriving*

*at your own door, in your own mirror and*

*each will smile at the other's welcome,*

*and say, sit here. Eat.*

*You will love again the stranger who was  
your self.*

*Give wine. Give bread. Give back your heart*

*To itself, to the stranger who has loved you*

*all your life, whom you ignored*

*for another, who knows you by heart.*

*Take down the love letters from the bookshelf,*

*the photographs, the desperate notes,*

*peel your own image from the mirror.*

*Sit. Feast on your life.*

Compiled by Fr Dennis McBride CSSR

- **Sunday 4th October 2020:** *Twenty Seventh Sunday in Ordinary Time* *Year A*
- **Weekday Readings:** *27th Week in Ordinary Time* *Cycle 2*

Masses will be relayed on the webcam: go to [killybegsparish.com](http://killybegsparish.com) for a link to the live streaming

<b>Saturday</b>	<b>3rd October: 07.00pm</b> - Jim (41) & Maggie McFadden (30) & P.J. (40) (Anniversaries) George & Veronica Flaherty (Anniversaries) Julie McGuire (5th Anniversary) Tommy Byrne (Anniversary)
<b>Sunday Day for Life</b>	<b>4th October: 11.00am</b> - Special Intention
<b>Monday</b>	<b>5th October: 10.00am</b> - Mary Mc Bride R.I.P.
<b>Tuesday</b>	<b>6th October: 10.00am</b> - Sheila Wilson-Doyle R.I.P.
<b>Wednesday</b>	<b>7th October: 10.00am</b> - Special Intentions
<b>Thursday</b>	<b>8th October: 10.00am</b> - Margaret & Charles Mooney (Anniversaries)
<b>Friday</b>	<b>9th October: 10.00am</b> - Joe, Annie & Jim Brennan (Anniversaries)
<b>Saturday</b>	<b>10th October: 07.00pm</b> - Katie & Kathleen Mc Brearty & deceased members of extended Mc Brearty family Francis Friel (4th Anniversary)
<b>Sunday</b>	<b>11th October: 11.00am</b> - Denis Byrne (6th Anniversary)

**Pray for:** *Annie Deane, Ardara, who died recently (mother of Charlotte Fuller, Glen, & Isobel Scott, Donegal). Pray for those whose anniversaries occur at this time: Mary Graglia, Michael Cassidy. Suaimhneas Síoraí.*

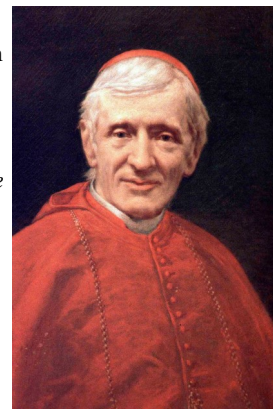
Feast of  
St John Henry Newman  
9th October

*"We can believe what  
we choose. We are  
answerable for what we  
choose to believe"*

Born 1801  
Died 1890  
Canonised 2019.

An Anglican priest,  
became a Catholic  
priest and cardinal;  
theologian and poet.

Founded the Catholic University of Ireland 1854



**Rural Social Scheme** There are vacancies for participants on the Rural Social Scheme in Áislann Chill Chartha. Tel: Seán 0879692340 / 074 9738376.

**Killybegs Employment Project Vacancies**  
Tel: 0749731666 / Email: kepltd2@outlook.ie

Domestic Worker/Activities, Killybegs;  
Craft shop Retail & Accounts Assistant, Killybegs;  
Caretaker, Niall Mór Centre, Killybegs;  
Grounds Caretaker, Inver/Ardaghey;  
Caretaker, Inver Community Centre;  
Caretaker, Killybegs; Maintenance Workers, Kbegs  
Youth Worker, Killybegs.

**Sunday Collection** € 1243.00

**Restoration Fund**  
Envelopes 26th & 27th September € 718.00

**Total Restoration Fund: €3,207,871.43**

*Thank you for your continued generosity*

**An Tobar Domhain** livestreamed on Raphoe Diocese Facebook Page from Thursday 1<sup>st</sup> Oct. 9.15pm. Join Bishop Alan for this time of prayer and reflection. It is also livestreamed on the Cathedral webcam at [www.churchservices.tv/letterkenny](http://www.churchservices.tv/letterkenny)

**Video Recordings of Confirmation and First Communion**  
now available Tel: 0876654550

**Congratulations and Best Wishes to**  
Edward Leslie and Sorcha Kinnane  
who were married recently.

**Niall Mór Centre 9741863**  
*Ring to book place. info@niallmorcentre.com*  
*Walking Group: Mondays, 10am & Wed 7pm.*

**COVID-19 Support Line for Older People**  
ALONE manage a national support line and additional supports for older people who have concerns or are facing difficulties.  
The support line is open seven days a week, 8am - 8pm, by calling 0818 222 024.