St. Mary of the Visitation Parish, Killybegs

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St Josaphat Prayer for the People of Ukraine
Feast 12th November: Patron Saint of Ukraine
Saint Josaphat,
You stood on the side of justice and right
while showing kindness to friend and foe alike.
Your death was a saintly martyrdom.
Your enemy in the shape of an angry mob beat you with sticks and weighed down your body with stones in deep water.
We ask you to intercede on behalf of your Ukrainian people
who today face martyrdom and suffering.
Bombs, drones, bullets, and deprivation are the sticks and stones that inflict terror and death on innocent people.
We join our prayers to yours O Holy Martyr for your people. May we from whose skies only rain and hail fall look with compassion and goodwill towards your people in Ukraine.
Inspire us to assist in whatever way is within our means.
We ask you with God's help to make us doves of peace and not hawks of war or hatred in this conflict, and in our lives.
Saint Josaphat, intercede for Ukraine and bring peace, only peace.
Amen

Final Hymn: Let There Be Love
Let there be love shared among us
Let there be love in our eyes,
and let your love sweep this nation,
Cause us, O Lord, to arise.
Give us a fresh understanding,
Brotherly love that is real.
Let there be love shared among us,
Let there be love

Let there be peace shared among us
Let there be peace in our eyes,
and let your peace sweep this nation,
Cause us, O Lord, to arise.
Give us a fresh understanding,
Brotherly peace that is real.
Let there be peace shared among us
Let there be peace. Let there be Joy..



Mass of Remembrance,
for all the faithful departed, remembering especially those who died this past year,
Friday 13th November 7pm.
You are welcome to leave a photo or memoriam card or a token of remembrance to be placed by the altar for this Mass.

First Holy Communion Enrolment
this Sunday 8th November 11am. 38 children will be enrolled, 31 from Niall Mór and 7 from Commons. We pray God's blessing on them and their families.

First Friday Calls
Fr Colm will begin First Friday Calls this week.

Altar Servers Outing, everyone included, to Bundoran & Donegal Town on *Wednesday 11th November*, leaving the Church car park at 5pm, each server to have a Parent's Consent Form signed.

Cursillo An Ultreya Wednesday 11th November 7.30pm, Church of Ireland Hall, Donegal Town.

Parish Choir Practice Monday 7.15pm

Entrance Hymn: Come Back To Me
Come back to me with all your heart
Don't let fear keep us apart
Trees do bend 'though straight and tall
So must we to others call.

Chorus: Long have I waited for your coming
home to me and living deeply our new life

The wilderness will lead you
To your heart where I will speak
Integrity and justice
With tenderness you shall know (*Chorus)*

You shall sleep secure peace
Faithfulness will be your joy. (*Chorus)*

- ***Sunday 8th November 2026:*** ***Thirty-Second Sunday in Ordinary Time*** ***Year A***
- ***Weekday Readings:*** ***Thirty-Second Week in Ordinary Time*** ***Weekday 2***

Masses are relayed on the webcamera: go to killybegsparish.com for a link to Online Services **or** mcn.live

Saturday 7th October:	**07.00pm** -	John Bonner (Month's Mind Mass)
		Maureen Doherty (6th Anniversary)
		Jim Murphy (14th Anniv) & Mary Ann Murphy (Anniv)
Sunday 8th November:	**09.00am** -	Tony, Con & Mary Conaghan & deceased family members
	11.00am -	Eithne White (3rd Anniversary)
Monday 9th November:	**10.00am** -	Novena Mass for the Faithful Departed
Tuesday 10th November:	**10.00am** -	Novena Mass for the Faithful Departed
Thursday 12th November:	**10.00am** -	Novena Mass for the Faithful Departed
Friday 13th November:	**07.00pm** -	Mass of Remembrance for the Faithful Departed
Saturday 14th November:	**07.00pm** -	Mary (7th) & Brendan (22nd) Connaghan (Anniversaries)
		Vincent Curran (8th Anniversary)
		Josie Tyler (12th Anniversary)
		Brendan O'Keeney Junior (13th Anniversary)
		Paul Gallagher (27th Anniversary)
		Deceased members of Killybegs Men's Sheds
Sunday 15th November:	**09.00am** -	Roisín (29th) & Dermot (22nd) O'Callaghan (Anniversaries)
	11.00am -	Jimmy Carr (7th Anniversary)

Adoration of the Blessed Sacrament on Monday 11am -7pm

Pray for: ***Peadar Hegarty,*** *whose funeral took place yesterday Saturday in Kilcar (father of Anne Curran, Carricknagore, brother of Christine Smith).* ***Pray for****: Martin Ward, Dan Leslie, Joe Kelly & deceased family* ***Suaimhneas Síoraí****.*

Liturgy of the Word for Children
this Sunday 8th November 11am.
Sunday 22nd November 11am



Save the Date Senior Citizen's Christmas Party on Sunday 6th December in Bay View

Niall Mor Community Centre
Christmas Indoor Market Sun 8th Nov 2-5pm. Large selection of vendors. Family event.
Killybegs Men's Shed Weekly "walking for all" group, Tuesdays 11am. Meet at Traders Carpark, Shore Rd. All welcome.

Niall Mór Community Centre
invites applications for the position of Community Centre Manager. We are seeking an organised, motivated and community-focused person to lead the Centre's day-to-day operations and support its continued development. To apply, send CV and cover letter to Chairperson Jimmy White jimmy@liveirishshellfish.com by Fri 13th Nov.

Anam Cara Donegal, monthly Support Evening for bereaved parents on Thursday 12th Nov 7.30pm, Raddison Blu Hotel, Letterkenny

Sunday Collection	1st November	€1,650.00
Mission Sunday		€ 55.00
Maintenance Fund	1st November	€1,610.00

Thank you for your ongoing generosity.

Adoration in the Adoration Room
every Wednesday evening 6-7pm. All welcome

St. Vincent de Paul Contact No. 087 3507727

Thank You On behalf of the Sheridan family sincere thanks to Fr Colm, Ann, Patricia & all who attended Conor Sheridan's funeral, sent Mass Cards & sympathised. Your support and kindness are appreciated. Mass offered for your intentions.

Killybegs Community Care: Care of the Aged
Church Gate Collection 14th & 15th November.

Primary School Enrolments 2027/ 2028
Schools are accepting new enrolments for 2027/2028 school year from
Monday 2nd November - Friday 26th February
Niall Mór N.S.: See www.niallmor.ie under the Policies/Admissions tab or tel: 074 9731794
Commons N.S.:
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