

Kincasslagh Parish Newsletter, 20th March 2016

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Schedule of Masses for Holy Week

St. Mary's Church, Kincasslagh

Next Weekend

Holy Saturday @ 9.00 p.m.

Easter Sunday @ 10.00 a.m.

Next Week

Monday & Tuesday @ 10.00 a.m.

Wednesday @ 7.00 p.m.

Holy Thursday @ 7.00 p.m.

Good Friday @ 3.00 p.m.

St. Columba's Church, Acres

Next Weekend

Holy Saturday @ 9.00 p.m.

Easter Sunday @ 11.00 a.m.

Next Week

Mon, Tues & Wed @ 10.00 a.m.

Holy Thursday @ 7.00 p.m.

Good Friday @ 3.00 p.m.

Anniversaries and Masses

Paddy Doohan, Lr. Crickamore, Sat 19th, StC

Evelyn O'Donnell, Sat 19th, StM

Fanny Ward, Keadue, Sun 20th, StM

Mass of the people, Sun 20th, StC

Peggy Sweeney, Mullaghderg, Mon, StM

Bridget Sweeney, Lackenagh, Sat 26th, StC

Annie Gallagher, Chapel Gate, Sun 27th, StM

Deceased members of the Crickamore Band,
Sun 27th, StC

Paddy McLaughlin, Bunaman, who was buried
from St. Mary's on Monday.

Mary Sweeney, Mullaghderg, who was buried
after Mass on Saturday.

Fr. Bartley McFadden, Annagry, who died in the
USA during the week.

Hannah (Phetey) Ferry, Roshine, her daughter

Gracie Kelly, Roshine & Luton, & her husband,

Pat Kelly, Luton, whose anniversary occurs at
this time.

Fundraising Events

Caislean Oir, Annagry

Quiz on **Wednesday @ 10.00 pm**. Proceeds in
aid of **Relay for Life, Donegal**. Teams of 4, €20
per team.

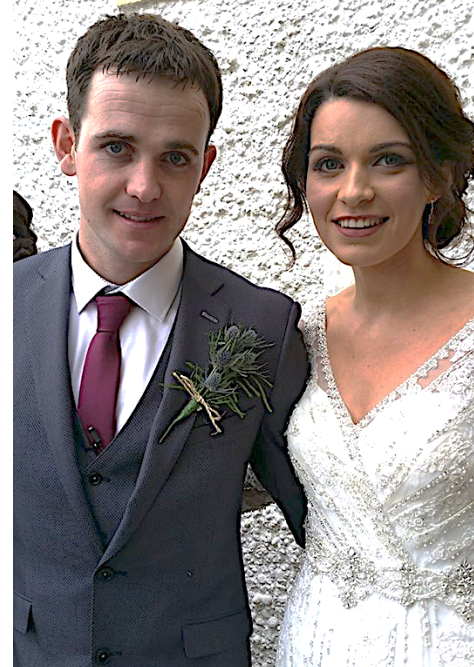
St. Mary's Hall, Kincasslagh

Bingo on **Friday night at 8.30 p.m.** in aid of

Keadue Rovers FC.

A date for the Diary: The 2016 North West
Charity 10k road race walk is in aid of The Irish
Pilgrimage Trust, Donegal Branch and Spina
Bifida Hydrocephalus Ireland, Donegal Branch
and takes place in Letterkenny on Sunday 1st
May. Entry fee: Run €15 Walk €10. Sponsor
Cards available: please contact Alice (Irish
Pilgrimage Trust 0868566432) or Mary (Spina
Bifida 087 260474)

The Happy Couple



Congrats to Niamh Rodgers and Denis O'Donnell
who got married this weekend in Acres.
Congratualtions folks!

There will be a cake sale/social gathering in St
Columba Community Centre on Easter Sunday
27th March after 11am mass. Enjoy a cup of tea
and some tasty bites with lots of lovely prizes on
offer! Proceeds on the day to parish funds!

Altar Service Practice for Holy Week Could the
Altar Servers please come along to a practice on

Monday 21st March at 10.30 a.m. (after Mass) for
Holy Week Ceremonies.

Easter Confessions

Confessions in Kincasslagh will be on Sunday
20th March at 6.00 p.m. & in Burtonport will be on
Monday at 6.00 p.m.

Holy Week Ceremonies Ministers

Kincasslagh

Holy Thursday: Bridget Marry

Good Friday: Ann Carmel O'Donnell (1st
reading & Psalm), Debbie Boyle (2nd reading),
Denis Boyle (others), James Breslin (Narrator),
Kathleen Bonner (Solemn Intercessions).

Holy Saturday: Kathleen Bonner (1st reading),
Charlie Bryson (3rd Reading), Ann Carmel
O'Donnell (5th reading), Denis Boyle (7th
reading), James Breslin (Epistle)

Easter Sunday, Ann Carmel O'Donnell &
Debbie Boyle

New Catholic news website for Ireland

Check out www.catholicnews.ie the new "news"
website from the Irish Catholic Bishops'
Conference featuring news and features for the
Catholic Church in Ireland. Accompanying social
media pages are also available on Facebook as
'Catholic News Ireland' and on Twitter
@CathNewsIreland.

Monster Table Quiz on Good Friday at 8.30 pm
in the community centre in aid of Dungloe
hospital patient fund tables of 4 €20 also on the
night the last of the silver circle for festival will be
drawn.

Adrian Ward Mission to Haiti

I would like to express my huge appreciation and
gratitude to the community once again who
contributed to the Church gate collection on St
Patrick's Day. I am travelling back to Haiti in April.
This money will help so many people. Your
donations amounted to €3056.43

Your generosity is overwhelming and none of this
work would be possible without your help

THANK YOU once again, Adrian Ward



Kincasslagh Parish Refugee Response

Rosaleen has returned from her work with the
refugees and updated the group on what is
happening in Europe. Things have not improved.
But she was looking for a way that we could
donate the parish money and be faithful to our
goal of looking after refugee families. Her advice
was closer to home than we imagined. While
there, she heard of a pilot scheme in place by
Mary's Meals. They are going to established
refugee centres where people have been living
for some time now. They realised that children
were not going to school on a regular basis, and
if that happens for a generation, it takes at least
two more generations to win this advantage back.
Mary's meals have piloted a scheme where each
child that goes to school will receive a hot meal
for doing so. In this way families are indirectly
being looked after as the children are fed and
educated, leaving the adults without this worry.
Both education and the dietary requirements of
the children are being looked after.

I spoke to Fr. Eamonn Kelly who is the president
of Mary's Meals in Ireland. He has assured us
that our parish donation will be used for this
purpose, thereby fulfilling the reason we collected
this money in the first place. We intended to look
after a refugee family. That didn't happen, and we
have been through a huge learning experience to
understand the problem better, and put your
money to its best use. I believe we now have the
chance to look after many families through this
organisation. Fr. Kelly assures me that 90% of
the donation goes to help with the mission, 10%
for administration. I now propose that we hand
over the €7,000 so generously gathered in our
parish to Mary's Meals to be used in this manner.