

# Kincasslagh Parish Newsletter, 23<sup>rd</sup> October 2016

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## Schedule of Masses for this Week

### St. Mary's Church, Kincasslagh

#### Next Weekend

Saturday @ 7.00 p.m.

Sunday @ 10.00 a.m.

#### Next Week

Friday at 7.00 p.m.

### St. Columba's Church, Acres

#### Next Weekend

Saturday @ 6.00 p.m.

Sunday @ 11.00 a.m.

#### Next Week

Mon, Tue & Fri @ 10.00 a.m.

## Anniversaries and Masses

**Packie Walsh**, Burtonport, Sat 22<sup>nd</sup>, StC

**Joe & Doalty O'Donnell** & the **Crew of the Carraig**

**Una**, Sat 22<sup>nd</sup>, StM

**Bridget & John Sweeney**, Sun 23<sup>rd</sup>, StM

**Sadie Moy**, Rannah, Burtonport, Sun 23<sup>rd</sup>, StC

**George Bonner**, Meenbannad, Mon, StC

**Rose Ann & John Joe Sharkey**, Lr. Keadue & Perth, Tues, StC

**Francie Gallagher**, Cruit who was buried on

Thursday from St. Mary's Church.

**Bella Gallagher**, Lackbeg, & **Nora Grant**, whose

anniversaries occur at this time.

## Fundraising Events

**Caislean Oir, Annagry Quiz** on **Wednesday 5<sup>th</sup> Oct,**

**10pm.** In aid of **Mullaghduff Senior Citizens.** €20 per team of 4

**St. Mary's Hall, Kincasslagh Bingo** on **Friday night at 8.30 p.m.** in aid of **Keadue Rovers FC.**

**Thank You.** I would like to acknowledge with appreciation the following contributions towards Church Windows: €230 worth of donations.

**Burtonport Festival AGM** - will take place in St Columba's Community Centre on Tuesday 25<sup>th</sup> Oct at 8:30pm. The current committee is stepping down and it is imperative that we get some new leaders for the 2017 festival. Everyone welcome.

## Keadue NS

1. "Craft Circle " night will commence Thurs Nov 10<sup>th</sup> (and following Thursdays) 7.30 -9.30pm in Keadue N.S., Burtonport. Cost 5 euro per night. For further information please contact Katy Boyle 0868288342. Everyone welcome.

**Connect Youth:** Weekly Youth Initiatives for 10-16

Yrs @ the Youth Project encouraging Positives Choices, Raising Awareness on Youth Trends, Development of Personal Skills, Link with Peers/Community, Special Interest Activities & Social Spaces for Face2Face Interactions. Check projects Facebook **Rosses NYP** for details

**'Marbhna – A Requiem Mass'** composed by Odhran O'Casaidé at Knock Basilica 12 noon Sunday November 6<sup>th</sup>, commemorating all those who died in 1916.

It sets out to explore the beauty of sean nós voice, together with chamber choir and orchestra, classical solo voices, traditional and early music instruments. The blend of Irish and classical music reflects two great musical traditions in Ireland at the time of the Rising. It is the first orchestral setting of a Dies Ires in the Irish language.

## The Kube



Thank you to Triona Boner and Breda Sweeney for presenting the parish with this unbelievable cheque for €7448.70, the proceeds from the hugely successful night in the Waterfront Hotel.

**The Crickamore Band** will hold an information/Registration day on Saturday the 29<sup>th</sup> of October at 11:15am in the Dungloe Gaa clubhouse for present members and any new children interested in joining. We are looking for interest in Drum's, Flag Girls and children to learn to play the Flute. Please feel free to come along.

## Job Vacancies

**Caretaker** – Community Employment Scheme – Glenswilly. Duties: Litter control, Grass Cutting, General Maintenance.

**Driver / Caretaker** – Community Employment Scheme – Cara House. Duties will include: Collecting children and participants from crèche/courses. Shopping, preparing rooms, cleaning and housekeeping.

These positions are in the areas mentioned. These are developmental opportunities, no experience necessary. Accredited training will be provided to support your career. Please contact 074 9120654 for both inquiries

## Burtonport Welcome Centre Society

1<sup>st</sup> Annual General Meeting will take place at 7.30pm on Monday 24<sup>th</sup> October 2016 at the Burtonport Welcome Centre.

## Message from Adrian

Hurricane Matthew blew it's way through Haiti on the 7<sup>th</sup> of October, almost 3 weeks ago now. It left a path of destruction behind it, with between 960-990 people dead. Flooding of up to 4ft water in a lot of areas. A 40ft steel container was swept away from some of the farmlands and found 2.5 miles down the road. I have been overwhelmed with the amount of concern people have with our projects in Haiti. Thankfully all the houses that have been built in the past 6 years have stood up to the forces that hurricane Matthew had thrown at them. The main damage to other houses was roofs blown off and some walls tossed because they were poorly built. 'Haven' is helping them by having a secure roof over their heads for their families. Thank you for your well wishes and concerns. As you know Megan and myself are travelling there in April and hope to do as much as we can on your behalf.

**Pop Up Museum**, a treasure trove of culture & history. If you do one thing on the Bank Holiday Weekend (30<sup>th</sup> & 31<sup>st</sup> Oct) come along to the St. John Bosco Centre, Donegal Town on Sunday or Monday between 12 and 6pm for an Aladdin's cave of memorabilia, culture and history. Also Celebrating 85<sup>th</sup> Anniversary of the consecration of the St Patrick's Basilica in Lough Derg. There will be a display of documentation on the construction and dedication vestments photos and other memorabilia."

## Taize Evening

There will be an evening of Taize music in St. Columba's Chapel on Friday 4<sup>th</sup> November at 7 p.m., during our novena of Masses for the Holy Souls.

**Donegal Local Development Company** is currently recruiting participants and community organisations for their **Rural Social Scheme** waiting list. The scheme provides income support for farmers/fishermen who are currently in receipt of

long-term social welfare payments. Participants on the scheme work 19.5 hours per week. To find out if you or your community group could benefit from the **Rural Social Scheme** please contact **Stephen Shevlin, RSS Programme manager on 074 91 27056.**

## Cancer Charity Dinner Dance

Have you ever wanted to raise funds for a Cancer Charity but never got the time to get round to it well for €50.00 you could be in with a chance, there will be a Cancer Charity Dinner Dance in **The Waterfront Hotel, Dungloe on Sunday 30<sup>th</sup> October 2016 @7pm** (Bank Holiday Weekend) with music by Pat Gallagher and Band. The Cancer Charity will be nominated by the ticket holder and ticket drawn on the night with chosen Cancer Charity will get to present cheque with profits from this event along with the organisers. This is a ticket only Event with tickets available in local Shops or you can contact 087-7028202 or 086-4038526. Your support would be much appreciated

Thanks to everyone who joined us at **Elvis Rocking in the Hills of Donegal Fan Club** for our big Elvis Event on 17<sup>th</sup> September in The Stepping Stone, who bought raffle tickets and lines for the hamper, and gave donations. With your support we have raised the amazing amount of €4525.00 for the Special Needs Classroom and Sensory Room in Dungloe National School. Our next Elvis Event will be on 18<sup>th</sup> March 2017.

## Christmas Shoebox Appeal

If you are interested in giving a shoebox filled with small gifts this year for poverty stricken children abroad, please contact Pius Gallagher, Annagry, 086 0579096 for leaflets and more information. Your gift filled shoebox will enable a child to have a brighter Christmas. All boxes need to be returned by Friday 11<sup>th</sup> November, to Unit 2 next to Annagry post office. Alternatively you can contact the above number and collection can be arranged. Thank you.

"**The New Years Eve Social Gathering**", in aid of the Acres Chapel windows restoration is going ahead! We will have a meeting in the centre on **Wednesday evening at 8pm** to discuss any ideas people have for the night, for anyone who would like to donate their time, baking or talents for the night. If you can't make the meeting and would like to help you an contact Triona on 0860851046 or Marion on 0879247846.