Kincasslagh Parish Newsletter, 31st January 2016

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Schedule of Masses

St. Mary's Church, Kincasslagh

Next Weekend

Saturday @ 7.00 p.m.

Sunday @ 10.00 a.m.

Next Week

Monday @ 10.00 a.m. St. Bridget Tuesday @ 10.00 .m. Candlemas Day

Wed @ 7.00 p.m. St. Blaise (Throat Blessing)

St. Columba's Church, Acres

Next Weekend

Saturday @ 6.00 p.m.

Sunday @ 11.00 a.m.

Next Week

Sunday 31st @ 7.00 p.m.

Monday @ 10.00 a.m. St. Bridget

Tuesday @ 10.00 a.m. Candlemas Day

Wed @ 10.00 a.m. St. Blaise (Throat Blessing)

Thurs & Fri @ 10.00 a.m.

Friday @ 7.00 p.m.

Anniversaries and Masses

Toney Owenie Manus, Tullyillion, Sat 30th, StC Lawrence Breslin, Sat 30th, StM

Mary & Patrick Sweeney, Bunawillian, Sun StM Deceased members of the Burtonport Bowling

Club, Sunday 31st Jan, 7.00 p.m., StC

Ellen McCole. Monday. StC

John Rosie Gallagher, Wednesday, StM

Charlie Duffy, Glasgow, Friday, StC

Connie & Deceased members of the Variety

Group, Friday @ 7.00 p.m. StC

Hugh & Grace Gallagher & John Conaghan,

Sat 6th, StC

Paddy Neilly, months mind, Sat 6th, StM

Fred Sharkey, Sun 7th, StM.

Manus Sweeney, Upper Cruit who died recently in Edinburgh. Funeral in Edinburgh on Monday.

Kate & Jim Moy & Alan Johnson, Milltown, ,

Stephen & Charlie Sweenev.

Jim Duffy Meenmore, whose anniversaries occur

at this time. May they rest in peace.

Fundraising Events Caislean Oir, Annagry

Quiz on Wednesday @ 10.00 pm. Proceeds in aid of the Rosses Community School
PILGRIMAGE TO MEDJUGORJE. 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**

Friends Of The Old Railway Walk

A registration weekend for 2016 Friends of the Old Railway walk will take place on Sat 30th from 5.45 p.m. – 7.00 p.m. and again on Sunday 31st 10.45 a.m. – 12 noon at St Columba's Community Centre Burtonport. We would like to thank everyone who has registered already as this €12 annual contribution goes a long way towards keeping the walkway well maintained throughout the year. THANK YOU.

Welcome



Congrats to Martina and Padraig on the birth and baptism of little Roisín. Hope she can sing like her mammy.

Events in the Parish 2016

First Confessions – Thursday 21st April, St. Columba's Church at 7.00 p.m.

First Holy Communions – Saturday 21st May, St. Mary's at 1.00 p.m.

Confirmations – Sunday 29th May @ St. Mary's Church. @ 12.00 p.m. Noon.

Blessing of the Graves

Kincasslagh Church Graveyard, Sat 30th July after 7.00 p.m. Mass in St. Mary's.

Cruit Island Graveyard Sunday 31st July after 11.00 a.m. Mass in St. Columba's

Belcruit Graveyard 6.00 p.m. on Sunday 31st July

Thanks: Ecumencial Service

Sincere thanks to the Hall Committee for their wonderful reception after the beautiful ecumencial service in St. Mary's last Sunday. Also to Rev. Stanley Johnson, Margaret Boyd and Fr. Matt for their input and co-ordination, and to Colette Moloney for her beautiful reflection.

Dungloe GAA Membership Registration Night for 2016 - Saturday the 6th of February. 5-6pm at The Ionad, Maghery. 6:30-7:30pm Burtonport Community Centre at The Clubhouse, Rosses Park.

8pm at The Clubhouse, Rosses Park.

Jubilee Year of Mercy

After a very productive meeting on Thursday evening, it has been decided to introduce the following events in our parish.

During Lent, the Divine Mercy Chaplet and Rosary will be prayed after Masses in St. Columba's Church, and will be available for all parishioners either in the chapel or using our Webcam.

24 Hours of Adoration will be held in each chapel. In St. Columba's, it has been proposed to hold 24 **Hours of Mercy** on Friday 4th and Saturday the 5th March, starting at 5.00 p.m. on Friday and ending at 5.00 p.m. on Saturday.

24 Hours of the Passion will be held in St. Mary's on 24th – 25th March, Holy Thursday and Good Friday. Relfelctions on what Jesus was dealing with during these hours of the passion will be available.

In both chapels, groups are asked to take responsibility for an hour. It need not be a religious group, i.e., cards, bingo players, etc! A pilgrimage to Kerrytown Shrine has been proposed from each chapel, carrying the images of the Divine Mercy, meeting at the shrine together to pray, on the 15th May this year. The images of the Divine Mercy in each church will be set afloat throughout the houses of the parishes from Ash Wednesday onwards, so that the year of Mercy has a tangible presence in each townland, in as many homes as possible. A page will be available in each Chapel so people can ask for the image when it reaches their townland. Watch this space 4 more!

Poetry Reading - with Deirdre Hines - March 1st at 11 a.m. In the Rosses CDP Dungloe. Deirdre will read a selection of her poetry and talk about her time spent with the travelling community.

Poetry Workshop March 1st at 2 p.m. In the Rosses CDP, Dungloe. Cost €5 bookable in advance by February 12th. Deirdre will lead the workshop and particpants will be consulted on course contact. Please contact Rory Cleary on 0872767939 or email rory.cleary@tesco.net

Anam Cara is holding its monthly Parent Evening on Thursday 11th of February 2016 from 19:30 to 21:00 in the Mount Errigal Hotel, Letterkenny, Co. Donegal (weather dependent). All Anam Cara Services are free of charge to bereaved parents.

St Anthony's Retreat Centre Presents

Open day to a place of beauty and serenity Saturday; 6th February 2016, 1-2pm

Come and look around both the quiet space and exceptional accommodation in St Anthony's Retreat Centre. Staff will guide you in visiting the beautiful Oratory and the 5 en-suite oil heated hermitages as well as experiencing a 10 minute trail of the little pilgrim garden on the grounds of St Anthony's followed by tea and coffee. An opportunity not to be missed for all for who are seeking the gift of peace; find help and healing and growth in His Presence.

God Bless, Fr Neal Carlin

Rome/Assisi: Fr Eamonn Mc Laughlin invites you to join with him on a unique pilgrimage to Rome & Assisi for the Year of Mercy from 5th - 13th April. Cost: €899. For inquiries and bookings, please contact Amanda (Marian Pilgrimages) on 01 8788159. Early booking is advised.

Tá Údarás Na Gaeltachta at tairiscint Scoláireachtaí Printíseachta i réimse leathan ceirdeanna gur fiú níos mó ná €2000 an ceann iad d'iarrthóirí le cáilíocht mar cheardaí a bhaint amach. Is d'iarrthóirí Gaeltachta le gaeilge líofa na scoláireachtaí seo.

Tuilleadh eolais agus foirm iarratais ar fail ach glaoch ar 091-503139 nó 091-503121 nó suíomh idirlín an Údaráis. Ní mór foirm iarratais a bheith ar ais roimh 26/02/2016.