Kincasslagh Parish Newsletter, 6th December 2015

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Schedule of Masses

St. Mary's Church, Kincasslagh <u>Next Weekend</u> Saturday @ 7.00 p.m. Sunday @ 10.00 a.m. <u>Next Week</u> Monday @ 7.00 p.m. Eve of Holyday Tuesday @ 10.00 a.m. Immaculate Conception Wednesday @ 7.00 p.m. Friday @ 10.00 a.m. St. Columba's Church, Acres <u>Next Weekend</u> Saturday @ 6.00 p.m. Sunday @ 11.00 a.m. <u>Next Week</u> Mon, Tues, Thurs, Fri @ 10.00 a.m.

Anniversaries and Masses

Pa Sonny and the Crew of the Carraig Una, Sat 5th Dec. StC Joe and Anne Doherty & Daughter Mary, Cruit, Sat 5th. StM John Boyle, Meenbannad, Sun 6th, StM Ann Celine Gallagher, Burtonport, Sun 6th, StC John Sharkey and the deceased members of the Sharkey family, Mon, StM Rose Gallagher, Chapel Gate, Wed, StM Jimmy & Bridget Connaghan. Thurs. StC Nelly O'Donnell, Meenmore, Sat 12th, StC Joe Forker, Cruit, Sat 12th, StM Mary Ferry, Keadue, Sat 13th, StM Margaret Boyle, John Boyle & John Patrick McCready, Sun 13th, StC Fr. Seamus L. Gallagher, Killybegs who was buried on Saturday. Ted Carberry, John Boyle, Michael Coyle, **Doalty O'Donnell and Anthony McLaughlin** whose anniversaries occur at this time.

Fundraising Events

Caislean Oir, Annagry

Quiz on Wednesday @ 10.00 pm. Proceeds in aid of the RANAFAST NS. 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.

Do this in Memory

The next Mass in the Programme is in St. Mary's Church on Saturday 12th December at 7.00 p.m. There will be a short meeting for parents to organise this Mass on Thursday 10th December at 7.00 p.m. in St. Mary's Hall, Kincasslagh.

Anam Cara is holding its monthly Parent Evening on Thursday 10th of December 2015 from 19:30 to 21:00 in the Mount Errigal Hotel, Letterkenny, Co. Donegal. All Anam Cara Services are available free of charge to bereaved parents.

Christmas Bazaar in aid of St Columba's Community Centre takes place on Saturday 5th of December after 6 pm mass in Acres. All welcome. Market / Bargain Rail

The Market/ Bargain rail in St Columba's Community Centre has a special opening for Christmas on Thursday 10th December 2015 from 5 to 8 pm. All items at special prices. Usual openings Tues, 10am - 2pm and Sun after Mass

Christmas Carol Service

There will be an Evening of Christmas song/Carol service in St Columbas Church, Acres on Sunday 20th December at 7pm. Please come along and join our local choirs to remember in song the true meaning of Christmas. Refreshments will be served afterwards in the Community centre! Donations on the evening to parish funds!

Rosses Community Radio is currently looking for volunteers. We are on the lookout for new presenters for any type of radio programme that would be of interest to our Community, full training and support will be given, anyone interested should email us at contact@rossesradio.com

AGM Rosses Credit Union will take place in Ionad Teampaill Chroine, Dungloe on Wednesday 9th December at 8 pm.

Christmas SVP Collection will take place on the weekend of the 12 /13 of December

Jubilee Year of Mercy

This Tuesday the 8th December begins the year of Mercy. Pope Francis has asked that we acknowledge this year as a year when we personally acknowledge God's merciful love in our lives and respond to that love in a real and are interested in setting up a group to organise and steer events in our parish over this year.



This is the door in St. Eunan's Cathedral in Letterkenny which will be designated as the Diocesan Holy Door for the Jubilee Year of Mercy which begins on December 8th. Conveniently those who designed and built the Cathedral more than a century ago were foresighted enough to carve the quite appropriate inscription above the door. (I am the Door). You are invited to the opening of this door onMercy in the cathedral next Sunday 13th December at Noon, followed by Mass by the bishop.

During the year we hope to have a 24 hour Adoration in March, and a commitment to Divine Mercy, as well as confessions for those who wish to avail of this time of mercy.

Remembrance Mass on Tues 8th December at 7.30pm in St Crona's Church, Dungloe for all who have passed away due to Cancer, Long term illness, Tragic or Sudden Death those currently undergoing treatment and Survivors. After mass we will proceed to Stepping Stones to officially light up the Ribbon Memorial Tree. Brendan, Brenda and Aidan McGeehan will turn on the lights dedicating the Angel on top of the Tree to their daughter and sister Leah who passed away earlier this year. Light refreshments served & we will have a raffle for some lovely prizes and our draw will take place .We would love you all join us to support this charity event.



Keeping one wary eye firmly on me, having just poured water on his head, we welcomed little Connor Conrad Baumgartner into the Christian Community last weekend.

A Morning of Culture

You are invited to Sean Teach Neil O'Dónaill for a morning of Songs, Crafts and the story of Neil O'Donaill. Tuesday 15th December 11am to 2pm. A bus will be available for the Rosses CDP on the Chapel Road, bookable at 07495 61686 before December the 7th at 4pm. Refreshments served. Free admission. All welcome.

Kincasslagh Christmas Gathering

This Sunday our gathering starts in Kincasslagh Hall will Mass at 1.00 p.m. followed by refreshments and entertainment. Be there!



Visitation Those who were not visited with Holy Communion this week will be visited next this coming Thursday.