

Schedule of Masses

St. Mary's Church, Kincasslagh

[Next Weekend](#)

**Saturday @ 6.30 p.m. Beginning with
Candlemass Blessing**

Sunday @ 10.00 a.m.

[Next Week](#)

Wednesday @ 7.00 p.m.

Friday @ 10.00 a.m. (St. Bridget)

St. Columba's Church, Acres

[Next Weekend](#)

Sunday @ 11.30 a.m.

[Next Week](#)

Monday @ 10.00 a.m.

Thursday @ 10.00 a.m.

Friday @ 10.00 a.m. St. Bridget

Saturday @ 10.00 a.m. Candlemass

The Vigil Mass reverts to St. Mary's Church next Weekend

Anniversaries and Masses

Noreen O'Donnell, months mind and her son in law **Lawrence Breslin**, Sun 27th, StM

Toney Owey Manus Gallagher, Tullyisland, Sunday 27th, StC

Celine McCauley, Thursday, StC

Ellen McCole, Friday, StC

John Rosie Gallagher, Chapel Gate, Sat 2nd, StM

Recent Deaths

Eileen Sweeney, Lackenagh, who was buried on Tuesday.

Anniversaries

Jim Healy, Newcastle West, Co. Limerick

Charlie Ward, Kerrytown

Fundraising Events

Caislean Oir, Annagry Quiz on **Wednesday @ 9.30 pm.** in aid of **Rosses Radio**. €20, team of 4. **Please note new Starting Time.**

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

Thank you

Thank you for the donations to the flowers in St. Columba's Church for Christmas again this year. Your contribution is very much appreciated.

This Years Ecumenical Service in St. Mary's Church, Kincasslagh was a great event, in which our communities came together to

pray for Justice. Many thanks to Rev. Liz Fitzgerald who gave an excellent homily to focus us on the task at hand, and to our musicians who led the congregational singing. To those who did the readings and prayers. To Sophia who volunteered to assist the service as altar clerk, and to Sheila and the crew in the Hall, and all who donated to the tea and buns afterwards.



Burtonport Festival will hold the first of the monthly quizzes in Jimmy's Bar on Friday 25th January at 10pm

**STAND WITH
NURSES
& MIDWIVES**

Vacancy for CES Scheme Burtonport for general operative/ environmental worker. If interested, please apply by contacting Yvonne McGinley on 087 773 6247 by February 1st. Thank you.

CLG An Clochán Liath will hold their bi-monthly meeting on Monday 28th of January in the clubhouse at 8:00pm. All welcome.

St. Blaise

The Blessing of throats will take place during the Sunday Masses of next weekend, 3rd February.

St. Bridget

SAINTS FUN FACTS

by John Sheppard

Brigid was raised by Druids in Ireland and as a child heard St. Patrick preach.

She never forgot that and it was St. Patrick who heard her final vows upon entering into the convent.

She founded a double monastery in Kildare, an art school and many convents all over Ireland.

Her extraordinary spirituality, charity and compassion for those distressed were legendary.



St. Brigid of Ireland

She was born in 451 or 452 at Faghart, near Dundalk, in Ireland. Her name is that of the pagan goddess of fire. She converted to Christianity, inspired by the preaching of St. Patrick. She founded a double monastery, of monks and nuns, at Kildare, the first women's monastic community in Ireland, and she died there in 525.

Candlemas (also spelled **Candlemass**), also known as the **Feast of the Presentation of Our Lord Jesus** is a Christian Holy Day commemorating the presentation of Jesus at the Temple. It is based upon the account of the presentation of Jesus in Luke 2:22-40. It falls on February 2, which is traditionally the 40th day of the Christmas-Epiphany season. While it is customary for Christians in some countries to remove their Christmas decorations on Twelfth Night (Epiphany Eve), those in other Christian countries historically remove them on Candlemas. On Candlemas, many Christians also bring their candles to their local church, where they are blessed and then used for the rest of the year; for Christians, these blessed candles serve as a symbol of Jesus Christ, who referred to himself as the Light of the World.^[1]

FASHION SHOW

SUNDAY 10TH FEBRUARY

TICKETS ON SALE
COMMUNITY CENTRE
MARKET BARGAIN RAIL
XL SHOP

in aid of
Parish Funds

BEAUTY CORNER

RAFFLE PRIZES

POP UP SHOPS

FASHION
2018
CLOTHING

BURTONPORT COMMUNITY CENTRE
3.00PM-5.30PM

Friends of St. Mary's Fundraising Draw
First Draw takes place this Sunday after 10.00 a.m. Mass in St. Mary's Parochial Hall. All welcome, refreshments served.

Friends of St. Mary's Church

Kincasslagh

MONTHLY PRIZE DRAW

1 st	€500
2 nd	€200
3 rd	€100
4 th	€100
5 th	€50
6 th	€50

Good Luck!