

# Kincasslagh Parish Newsletter, 17<sup>th</sup> March 2019

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## Schedule of Masses

**St. Mary's Church, Kincasslagh**

[Next Weekend](#)

**Sunday @ 10.00 a.m.**

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**Mon, Tues Thurs & Fri @ 10.00 a.m.**

**Wednesday @ 7.00 p.m.**

**St. Columba's Church, Acres**

[Next Weekend](#)

**Saturday @ 6.30 p.m.**

**Sunday @ 11.30 a.m.**

[Next Week](#)

**Monday @ 7.00 p.m.**

**Tues, Wed, Thurs & Fri @ 10.00 a.m.**

**First Holy Communion Mass Saturday 30<sup>th</sup> @ noon.**

## Anniversaries and Masses

**Evelyn O'Donnell**, Sat 23<sup>rd</sup>, StC

**Hugh Francis Sharkey**, Sun 24<sup>th</sup>, StM

**Veronica Rodgers**, Maghery, Sun 24<sup>th</sup>, StC

**Joe O'Donnell**, (the Doctor), Sheskinarone

and Perth, Scotland, Monday, StC

**Frances Ward**, Keadue, Tuesday, StM

**Eamon McLaughlin**, Sat 30<sup>th</sup>, StC

**Neil McGonagle**, Cruit, Sun 31<sup>st</sup>, StM

**Charles McDevitt**, Burtonport, Sun 31<sup>st</sup>, StC

## Recent Deaths

**Patrick Campbell**, Dublin and Keadue, buried last Sunday.

## Fundraising Events

**Caislean Oir, Annagry Quiz** on **Wednesday @ 9.30 pm.** in aid of **Rosses Athletic Club.** €20, team of 4.

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

## Youth Listening Meeting

Bishop Alan Mc Guckian invited young people from all over the diocese to a listening meeting with him in February. The meeting was a great success with over 50 young people present. It was agreed to have a follow up listening meeting to explore some of the suggestions. This next meeting will take place in the Pastoral Centre Hall in Letterkenny on Saturday, 30<sup>th</sup> March, from 2-4.30pm. If you are between the ages of 18-35, you are invited to attend. Please bring a friend with you. There will be pizza and

refreshments there. For further information, please contact [0876880545](tel:0876880545).

## Kincasslagh Fundraising Draw



Our March fundraising draw takes place on Sunday 31<sup>st</sup> March in Kincasslagh Hall after Mass. Please ensure payments are up to date before then. Join us in the Hall for a cuppa and a chat. Good luck!!

## St Patricks Day Celebrations Burtonport

Many thanks to everyone who helped in any large or small way towards the successful 2019 St Patrick's day event in St Columba's. The venue was full to capacity from start to finish with a whole host of willing volunteers pitching in to help out in one way or another. We are truly grateful to the many businesses and individuals who donated prizes for the draws, supplying product, preparing and serving food, manning the stalls, cleaning up, entertaining, selling tickets, taking photos, giving donations of cash and buying raffle tickets etc. Your support helped raise €4863.55 on the day and with cash donations and various sponsorship to be added later we estimate that there will be a final donation of almost (in and around) €2000 to be made to each of our three local causes- The Local lifeboat- Burtonport Festival - and St Columbas Community Centre. Thank you.

## Service of Remembrance

Church of the Irish Martyrs, Ballyraine, Letterkenny on Sunday 24<sup>th</sup> March 2019 @ 4pm. From the Management, Chaplains & Staff of Letterkenny University Hospital

**The AGM for Burtonport Railway Walk** takes place in St. Columba's Community Centre on Monday April 1<sup>st</sup> @ 8 pm. In lieu of all the developments and improvements that have been made to the walk in the past number of years a large attendance is expected

**All Ireland U17 FAI Schools** Tom Ticher National Cup Final takes place next Thursday March 28<sup>th</sup> @ 1pm in Ray MacSharry Park Sligo. Rosses Community School V's Lucan CBS . Need plenty of support in Red & White colours. Last time RCS won this title was in 1982. Come out and support our local schoolboys their manager Enda Walsh & training coach Ryan Mc Fadden.

## Darkness Into Light Árainn Mhór

Arranmore Car & Passenger Ferry will put on a late sailing to Arranmore on the morning of Arranmore's Darkness into light walk on May 11<sup>th</sup> from Burtonport at 3am and return at 6am. You can register in the red ferry booking office up to March 31<sup>st</sup> when the early bird rate ends. Also you can register online on [darknessintolight.ie](http://darknessintolight.ie)

**Randex Teoranta** are holding a Family Fun Day at their site in Meenmore, Dungloe on Sat 06-Apr-2019, to celebrate the Randex Health Grand National from 1pm to 7pm. RnG will be broadcasting live, & there's a big screen showing races and live performances

from Clann Mhic Ruairí and local dance and music groups. There will be an Artisan Food and Craft Fair as well as entertainment for children, including a bouncy castle, rodeo bull, face painting and an arts and crafts corner. Admission is free.

## Rosary at the Grottos

For the month of May we are going to our local grotto or shrine each day to pray the Rosary for Life and Faith. We encourage you to make the commitment to visit your grotto every day in May, alone or with others, at a set time or whenever you can. Let us know the location of your grotto or shrine, and if you are planning a set time, include that information so others can join you. Simply visit [www.coastalrosaryireland.ie](http://www.coastalrosaryireland.ie) to register your local grotto or shrine.

## Adrian Ward



I would like to express my huge appreciation and gratitude to the community once again who contributed and helped me to the Church gate collection on St Patrick's Day for my trip back to Haiti . This money will do so much good there and help so many people. Your donations amounted to €3592.17. Your generosity is overwhelming and none of this work would be possible without your help.



**ALL IRELAND ROSARY RALLY**