

# Kincasslagh Parish Newsletter, St. Patrick's Day, 2024

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## St. Mary's Church, Kincasslagh

| Day     | time  | Masses this week                                                                                                                                                |
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| Sun 17  | 10    | <b>Mary Boyle</b> , Keadue                                                                                                                                      |
| Mon 18  | 11    | <b>Dan Eoghain, Marianne Gallagher, Gracie Duffy</b>                                                                                                            |
| Mon 18  | 11.30 | <b>Burial of Ashes for the late Jean Gallagher</b> , predeceased by her husband Francie Gallagher (Paddy Frank), Cruit and Glasgow. Ashes present at 11 am Mass |
| Tues 19 | 10    | <b>Sally Gallagher</b>                                                                                                                                          |
| Wed 20  | 7     |                                                                                                                                                                 |
| Thur 21 | 10    | <b>Mary Sweeney</b> , Mullaghderg                                                                                                                               |
| Fri 22  | 7     | <b>Neil Gallagher</b> (Charlie) Owey and Leffin, Months mind                                                                                                    |
| Sun 24  | 10    | <b>Annie Gallagher</b> , Chapel Gate                                                                                                                            |

## St. Columba's Church, Burtonport

| Day     | time  | Masses this week                                                                                 |
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| Sat 16  | 6.30  | <b>Charlie Breen</b> , Lackenagh                                                                 |
| Sun 17  | 11.30 | <b>Mary Assumpta Gallagher</b> Arlands. Mary's memorial cards will be available after this Mass. |
| Mon 18  | 10    | <b>Patrick Houston</b> , Birmingham & Lackenagh                                                  |
| Tues 19 | 10    | <b>Margaret O'Donnell</b> , Point Pleasant, NJ and Lackenagh                                     |
| Wed 20  | 10    | <b>John Boyle Dinny</b> , Edinburgh and Lr. Keadue                                               |
| Thur 21 | 10    |                                                                                                  |
| Fri 22  | 10    |                                                                                                  |
| Sat 23  | 6.30  | <b>Bridget Mary Fahy</b> , Crickamore & Cork                                                     |
| Sun 24  | 11.30 | <b>Barney and Ann McGonagle</b> , Cloughglass                                                    |

## Anniversaries

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| <b>Pat Kelly</b> , Luton                |
| <b>Evelyn O'Donnell</b>                 |
| <b>Patrick Campbell</b> , Lower Keadue  |
| <b>Kathleen Bonar</b> , Acres           |
| <b>Bridget Sweeney</b> , Lackenagh      |
| <b>Mary Ward</b> , Belcruit and Dundalk |
| <b>Patrick James Boner</b> , Keadue     |
| <b>Owenie Sweeney</b> , Upper Keadue    |

## Recent

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| <b>Kathleen Anne Coyle</b> , Arranmore & Gilmerton, Edinburgh, who died on Thursday |
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## Taizé

On Good Friday Evening 29<sup>th</sup> March, at 7pm, there will be a Taizé evening so we Christians

can gather at the foot of the cross and show our solidarity with the crucified Christ before his glorious resurrection. All welcome.

## Hamper Draw

There will be a cuppa and a hamper draw on Easter Sunday in the Community Centre organised by Burtonport Choir after Mass.

**Communion classes** of 2018/2019 we are looking for the covers for the seats for the communion breakfast after mass. If anyone knows where they are, could you please contact Natasha Gallagher on 0831101291, or if you have them, please leave them in the community centre in Burtonport.

## ST. COLUMBA'S COMMUNITY CENTRE

Irish class is on Monday at 7pm. All welcome Crochet/knitting is on a Wednesday morning at 11am. All welcome

We are now taking names for the following classes- Healthy Eating class, Decoupage, Cake decorating/Icing, Basic Car Safety/Maintenance.

## COMMITTEE SKILLS COURSE

Are you involved in a committee or club or work as a volunteer? We are now taking names for a computer class which will involve - spreadsheets, desktop publishing showing you how to make posters and notices, Word, Emails, Meetings and time management and Teamwork. This course is funded by Donegal ETB.

## ST.PATRICK'S DAY

The Annual St. Patrick's day (La Gaelach) traditional Irish day in St. Columba's Community Centre, Burtonport from 12 midday to 2pm. All kinds of everything including music, Irish dancing, marching bands, Irish stew and other refreshments. Draws for very valuable prizes with lots of fun for all the family. Béidh cead míle failte Romhat

## RAILWAY WALK

Annual Easter Monday 5k walk in aid of Burtonport railway walk takes place on Monday 1st April at 3pm. Registration from 2pm in the Community centre. Draw for a large Easter hamper sponsored by Sean and Frances Boner, Meenmore will take place after the walk Refreshments served in the community centre. Everyone welcome.

## Welcome



The Christian Community welcomes little Charlie Dean into its numbers as proud mum and dad promise to bring him up in the faith which he can confirm for himself in about 12 years' time.

**Palm Sunday Recital** will be performed by The Donegal Abbey Singers on Sunday March 24 at 5pm in St Patrick's Church Donegal town. This performance will be an hour of music, song and spoken word as part of the Donegal 550th celebrations and a beginning to Holy Week. Special guests are The Tir Chonnill Youth Choir, Goladoo - traditional group. Admission is free, Donations welcome and will be divided between the Townawilly Parish Building fund and the Donegal 550th Celebration fund

**Scoil an Aingil Choimhéadaí/Keadue National School** Clarú foscailte don scoilbhliain 2024-2025. Enrolment opened for the coming school year 2024-2025.

Dáta druidte le haghaidh clárú 9 Aibreán, Closing date for applications 9th April 2024. *Congratulations to Scoil An Aingil Choimhéadaí on achieving the status of a Gaeltacht school. The inspector was delighted with the proficiency of the pupils in Irish and the hard work that staff and parents put in in achieving this remarkable transition. The School principal is confident that each child will be able to communicate easily in Irish in future and also study through the medium of Irish which is*

*advantageous. The ability of having a second language is immense as it makes it easier for children to pick up a third language and its great for the brain, keeping it working and healthy all through life.*

## Keadue Rovers Bingo Results 8/3/2024

Winners of the €100 house jackpots were **Charlie Duffy, Keadue, Rita Cowley, Sheskinarone, Breedge McDevitt, Braade & Mary Rodgers, Acres**. No winner of the two Snowballs. Snowballs now stand at €8,000 and €1,300 (on 51 numbers) Friday 15/3/2024. The next 50/50 draw takes place Friday 15/3/2024.

## Recent Match Results: Reserves:

Keadue Reserves 2 - 0 win away to Gweedore Celtic on Saturday 9/3/24. Two late goals from Jack Ward & Aidan Yank Boyle sealed the win.

Sent by Esther Jordan in Australia, originally from Carlow and who came to visit us last year having been part of our online presence during covid. Thanks for the fun, Esther!!!!

ST. PATRICK'S DAY  
Word Scramble

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aksmrcho \_\_\_\_\_ odgl \_\_\_\_\_

aapred \_\_\_\_\_ cvolre \_\_\_\_\_

wirbona \_\_\_\_\_ kclu \_\_\_\_\_

necpuhalcre \_\_\_\_\_ otp \_\_\_\_\_

enegr \_\_\_\_\_ itsna \_\_\_\_\_

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HAPPY ST. PATRICK'S DAY