

# Kincasslagh Parish Newsletter, 1<sup>st</sup> December, 2024

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## St. Mary's Church, Kincasslagh

Day	time	Masses this week
Sun 1	10	Funeral for Leo Bonner
Wed 4	7	Joseph O'Donnell, Doalty O'Donnell & the crew of the Carriag Una
Sat 7	6.30	Alice Doogan Gortnasade months mind
Sun 8	10	Bridget O'Donnell, Mullagher & her Parents Hugh & Molly Donnell

## St. Columba's Church, Burtonport

Day	time	Masses this week
Sat 30	6.30	Ita Keightley, Milltown
Sun 1	11.30	Ann Brown Gallagher Burtonport
Mon 2	10	Maureen Sean & Eimear Kelly
Tues 3	10	Diana & Denis Doherty, Cruit
Thur 5	10	intention
Fri 6	7	Noreen McGarvey birthday remembrance
Sun 8	11.30	Terence Breslin, Pole Road

## Anniversary

Patsy Walsh, Dungloe
John Winnie O'Donnell, Annagry

## Recent

Peter Doohan, North Wales & Drumnatiny, Falcarragh
Leo Boner, Belcruit, who died on Thursday and who will be buried after 10 am Mass on Sunday 1 <sup>st</sup> Dec.

## Our parish bank details.

St Columba Burtonport Parish A/C  
 IBAN: **IE05BOFI90487878674363** BIC: BOFIE2D.  
 Kincasslagh Church A/C  
 IBAN **IE33BOFI90487858877323** BIC BOFIE2D

Heating Oil Bill- St. Columba's 29<sup>th</sup> Nov is €837  
 Heating Oil Bill- St. Mary's 25<sup>th</sup> October is €1026

**You are invited** to the launch of Life Link, a ground-breaking all-Ireland pregnancy care initiative. This project is a step forward in providing compassionate support to women facing unplanned pregnancies, empowering them to choose life, and building a culture that cherishes every child. Bernadette Smyth Founder/Director Precious Life. Thurs 5<sup>th</sup> Dec 7:30 PM at the Mount Errigal Hotel, Letterkenny

**Anam Cara**, the organisation that supports bereaved parents, will hold its monthly Parent

Support Evening on Thurs 12<sup>th</sup> Dec at 7.30pm in the Radisson Blu Hotel, Letterkenny. **This event is free and open to all bereaved parents regardless of the age your child died, the circumstances of their death, or how recent their death was.** No need to register in advance. We also offer an online support group meeting. To find out more call 01 4045378 or email [info@anamcara.ie](mailto:info@anamcara.ie)



**Donegal Pro Life** will hold their monthly Vigil/Gathering at Hospital Roundabout, Letterkenny on Friday the 6<sup>th</sup> Dec at 1pm. Also we ask that people pray at 6 pm in their homes or local church for the protection of the unborn in our country.

**The AGM of The Rosses Credit Union Limited** will take place in Ionad Teampaill Chróine, Dungloe on Monday 9<sup>th</sup> December at 7pm. All members are invited to attend. There will be light refreshments and a prize draw for all members present.

## BURTONPORT COMMUNITY CENTRE

**Crochet** is on every Wednesday from 11 am-1pm. All welcome

**Badminton** We have a qualified coach for badminton on Monday evenings

**5pm - 6pm National school,**

**6pm - 7pm Secondary School** To book contact Centre Facebook page/text 087 6317683

**The annual Burtonport festival** night at the races takes place in The Lobster pot on Monday 30<sup>th</sup>

December at 10pm. Horses will be on sale shortly at €10 each.

## CHRISTMAS FOOD APEAL FOR CAPUCHIN DAY CENTRE FOR THE HOMELESS IN DUBLIN

The Christmas food appeal takes place in St. Mary's Hall Kincasslagh on **Saturday November 30<sup>th</sup> & Sunday December 1<sup>st</sup> from 11am -3pm.** Non-perishable items only please Dried pasta, Canned foods, Rice, Cereals etc. We cannot accept glass containers, Fresh foods or clothing.

**The annual bazaar** in aid of St. Columba's Community Centre was a huge success with a large attendance and an overall profit of €5451. The committee would like to extend a sincere thanks to all who helped in any way especially all who attended, gave vouchers & other items on offer, those who baked & the people who helped organise this major event on the day and a special thank you to the staff of the community centre. The proceeds from the bazaar will be a huge benefit to the day to day cost of running our centre. Season's greetings to all our friends.

## Welcome



Rian Daithi Harvey was the most chilled our dude I've met for a long time and he gave us a great day out at his recent baptism in St. Mary's. Congrats to David and Pauline!

## Jubilee Pilgrimage to Rome and Assisi - QUB Alumni and Friends

The Catholic Chaplaincy at Queen's University Belfast will lead a Pilgrimage to Rome and Assisi for alumni and friends. Departing 25 August 2025 for 7 nights, staying in excellent hotels in Rome and Assisi, this promises to be a once-in-a-lifetime trip. Every quarter century, the Holy Father invites the faithful from across

the world to make pilgrimage to the Eternal City and to avail of the special graces associated with the ancient custom. The Pilgrimage's Spiritual Director will be Queen's Chaplain, Fr Dominic McGrattan, with dedicated tour guide, private coach travel and group meals included. In addition to a rich itinerary which takes in visits to the principal sacred and cultural sites, we will also observe the customs associated with this Year of Jubilee declared by Pope Francis. For further info including price, itinerary and how to book, please email Chaplaincy Director, Shannon Campbell, at [catholicchaplaincy@aub.ac.uk](mailto:catholicchaplaincy@aub.ac.uk)

## Keadue Rovers Bingo Results 22/11/2024

Winners of the €100 house jackpots were **Margaret Bonner, Cloughglass & Margaret Hanlon, Calhame, Declan O'Donnell, Annagry, James Breslin, Belcruit (Shared).** No winner of the two Snowballs. Snowballs now stand at €8,000 and €1,550 (on 56 numbers) Friday 29/11/2024.



50/50 draw Friday 22/11/2024 - Rebecca Blaney, Dungloe won €585. Next draw takes place Friday 6/12/2024.

**The Annual SVP Church Gate Collection** takes place next weekend, 7<sup>th</sup> & 8<sup>th</sup> December.

## Parish Baptisms

Baptisms take place in Acres Church on the 1<sup>st</sup> & 3<sup>rd</sup> Saturdays of the month and in Kincasslagh Church on the 2<sup>nd</sup> & 4<sup>th</sup> Saturdays at 2.00 p.m., or 4pm if there is a wedding.

## Visitation

The sick and Housebound will be visited with Holy Communion this Thursday