

Kincasslagh Parish Newsletter, 9th March 2025

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St. Mary's Church, Kincasslagh

Day	time	Masses this week
Sun 9	10	Doalty & Rosaleen Sharkey, Mullaghderg
Mon 10	10	
Tues 11	10	
Wed 12	7	Kathleen Stewart, Keadue
Thurs 13	10	
Fri 14	10	intention
Sun 16	10	Kitty McGonagle, Lochan Dubh

St. Columba's Church, Burtonport

Day	time	Masses this week
Sat 8 th	6.30	Mary Kate and James Michael O'Donnell
Sun 9 th	11.30	Mary Assumpta Gallagher Arlands
Mon 10	10	intention
Tues 11	10	
Wed 12	10	
Thurs 13	10	Claire McCole, Burtonport
Fri 14	10	
Sat 15	6.30	Charlie Breen, Lackenagh
Sun 16	11.30	intention

Anniversaries

Dannie Campbell, Rampart

Recent

Alex McGinnity, Scotland and Arranmore who died last week

Connie Sweeney, Belcruit and Braade who was buried on Saturday.

Our parish bank details.

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

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

Burtonport Festival: There will be a festival meeting in Jimmy Johnny's on Monday 10th March at 9.15 pm everyone welcome

Anam Cara, the organisation that supports bereaved parents, will hold its monthly Parent Support Evening on Thursday 13th March at 7.30pm in the Radisson Blu Hotel, Letterkenny Co. Donegal.

ST COLUMBA'S COMMUNITY CENTRE

Crochet is on Wednesdays at 11am

Rang na Gaeilge

In conjunction with Donegal ETB Beginner's Irish classes are starting in the centre on a Tuesday March 4th 7-9pm. If you would like to book a place please contact the centre 074 9542774 or email burtonportcc@gmail.com. Beidh Céad Míle Fáilte Romhat

Badminton is on Monday evening's 5-6pm National School and 6-7pm Secondary School
COMMUNITY TOOLBOX We now have a community toolbox in the centre. Please feel free to come and borrow anything you need for your DIY project.



First evening was a great success with good input and group sharing. You can still join us in Burtonport Community Centre each Wednesday until 16th April at 8pm. to view the trailer. All welcome.

The 1st Sunday of Lent Year C begins our journey through Lent. This is a time to reflect on our faith and grow closer to God.

Faith and Confession: Romans 10:9-10 emphasizes the importance of confessing our faith in Jesus. This theme reminds us to openly profess our belief in Christ during Lent.

Temptation and Resistance: In Luke 4:1-13, Jesus is tempted by the devil but resists. This teaches us to stand strong against temptations in our lives.

God's Help in Trials: Jesus' time in the desert shows that God is with us in our struggles. We can rely on God's help when we face challenges.

Scripture as Guidance: Jesus uses Scripture to counter the devil's temptations. This shows the power of God's word in guiding us and protecting us.

Salvation for All: Romans 10:12-13 reminds us that salvation is available to everyone who calls on the Lord. This theme highlights the inclusiveness of God's love.

Offering First Fruits: Deuteronomy 26:4-10 speaks of bringing the first fruits to God as an offering. This theme encourages us to give our best to God.

Trust in God: The readings emphasize trusting God in every situation. This trust is key to our faith journey during Lent.

Obedience to God: Jesus' obedience to God in the desert is a model for us. We are called to obey God's will in our lives.

Lent is a special time for reflection and growth in faith. By focusing on these themes, we can deepen our relationship with God.

A big thank you for last weekends Mary's Meals collection at St Columbus. Total 543.45 Euros.

Money Matters

St. Columba's Sunday collection for 23rd February was €1095. Thank you.

Heating oil bill for Acres was €530 on March 4th.

St. Mary's Sunday collection for 23rd February was €600. Thank you.

Due to demand **The Raphoe Diocesan Pilgrimage** to Lourdes has added another date to this year's Pilgrimage. Sunday 18th May departing from Dublin, returning Friday 23rd. This is a 5-night stay in Lourdes, with a Full Pilgrimage Programme with the Raphoe Diocese Pilgrimage, led by Pilgrimage Director, Fr Stephen Gorman. Cost is €925 which includes 5 Nights, Breakfast, Lunch & Dinner in the Agena Hotel, return bus transfers from Letterkenny to Dublin, all taxes and levies. To book contact Joe Walsh Tours on 01 2410800.

Dates for your Diary

31st March – 3rd April Sacred Heart Statue visitation
20th April, Easter Sunday
10th May, First Holy Communion Day
31st May, Parish Mission Starts
7th – 8th June, New Weekend Schedule begins
9th -10th August, Graveyard Blessings

Keadue Rovers Bingo Results 28/2/2025

Winners of the €100 jackpots were Eileen McGarvey, Ranafast & Sheila Sweeney, Mullaghderg. No winner of the two Snowballs. Snowballs now stand at €8,000 and €700 (on 55 numbers) Friday 7/3/2025.

50/50 draw Friday 28/2/2025 - Mary Frances Doherty, Dungloe won €370.

Accepting the prize on behalf of Mary Frances is her sister Patricia. Next draw takes place Friday 14/3/2025.



Keadue Rovers

100+ Club Results - February 2025

1st, €1,000, Rosses Community School, Dungloe

2nd, €500, Maeve McGee, Tubberkeen

3rd, €400, Mary Boyle, Belcruit

4th, €300, Noreen O'Donnell, Acres

5th, €200, Angela McGeever, Keadue

6th, €100, Packie Bonner, Cloughglass

7th, €100, Ryan Sweeney, Rannhyuel

8th, €100, Eugene Sweeney, Meenbanad

9th, €100, Noel McBride, Tubberkeen

10th, €100, Jordan Saville, Dungloe

11th, €100, Eileen Doogan, Loughanure

Recent Match Results: Reserves Saturday 01/03/25:

Keadue Rovers 0-1 Drumbar FC

Seniors Sunday 02/03/25: St. Catherine's 3-1 Keadue Rovers: Oran Fallon

BÍCHE OSCÁILTE/OPEN NIGHT

Scoil an Aingil
Chóimheadai/Keadue NS,
Burtonport




Ar mhaith leat go mbeidh Gaeilge liofa ag do pháiste? Buail isteach le labhairt linn faoi. Clac do pháiste leat fa choinne scannán a chóimhead agus glota spraoil. Would you like your child to be fluent in Irish whilst learning through Irish? Come along to our open night and have a chat. Bring your child for a movie night and some fun!

Scoil bheag le croí mór

21ú Márta 6.30-8pm
21st March 6.30-8pm

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