



Kincasslagh Parish Newsletter, 30th November 2025

Tel: 074 954 2006 – 086 2300 620 - Email: frpatward@gmail.com - Facebook Kincasslagh Parish - Web: www.kincasslagh.ie - SVP 087 050 7895

St. Mary's Church, Kincasslagh

Day	time	Masses this week
Sun 30 th	11	
Wed 3	7	John Sharkey, Mullaghduff
Fri 5	10	
Sat 6 th	6.30	Paddy Neilly Gallagher, Meenbannad Bridget O'Donnell, Mullaghderg Denis Doherty & his daughter Diana Doherty Joe Forker, & Charlie & Anne Sweeney & Mary O'Donnell, Cruit

St. Columba's Church, Burtonport

Day	time	Masses this week
Sat 29	6.30	Michael McShane, Birthday remembrance & Marjorie Boyle, Burtonport & Edinburgh. Nellie Boyle, (Houston), Birmingham & Acres
Sun 30 th	12	Funeral Mass for Hughie Sweeney, Sheskinarone
Mon 1	10	Roseanne & John Joe Sharkey, Lower Keadue & Perth, the Sharkey family, Lower Keadue, & the Ward family (Teague), Lackenagh
Tues 2	10	
Thur 4	10	intention
Fri 5	10	
Sun 7	11	Ann Brown Gallagher Burtonport Packie & Sheila Boner, Meenmore Liz Nash, Milltown, months mind. Susan Ward Arlands, and her husband John and son Hugh

Anniversaries

Patsy Walsh, Dungloe
John Winnie O'Donnell, Annagry
John Anne Ward, Keadue

Recent

Mary Aloysuis Bonner, Lackenagh who was buried on Friday in Belcruit after 11am Mass in St. Columba's
Joe Sweeney, Ballydevitt who was buried on Sat 29th November in Killymard. Nephew of Marie Ann & John Paddy Og.

Rosary & Divine Mercy Chaplet after Mass in St. Columba's after weekday Masses except Eucharistic Adoration in St. Columba's on Monday after 10 am Mass for an hour, & in St. Mary's on Wednesday 11-12 noon.

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

Money Matters

St. Mary's Sunday collection was €2015.
St. Columba's collection was €610. Thank you.

HOW TO REPORT CLERICAL ABUSE

If you have a concern, or complaint of child abuse, either current or historical, please contact:

Designated Liaison Person, Margaret Northage on: 086 2183 011 or by email: safeguarding@raphoediocese.ie.

You are advised also to contact statutory authorities: Tusla (Child & Family Agency) - Tel: 074 9102233
Gardaí National Protective Services Bureau - Tel: 01 6663430/6663435 or email: GNPSB_SCMU@garda.ie.

Free Counselling & Support is available through
Towards Healing: Freephone - Rol: 1800 303416

Freephone - N. Ireland & UK: 0800 0963315
Freephone - Hearing Impaired: 085 8022859

Christmas Lights Burtonport. There will be a quiz in aid of the Burtonport Christmas lights on Friday 5th December in Jimmy Johnny's at 10pm

A EUCHARISTIC HEALING SERVICE will take place in Teach Pobail Cholmcille Naofa, Cnoc Fola, Bun Na Leaca, F92 D586 on Sunday 7th December at 3.00pm. All are welcome. 'They cried to the Lord in their trouble and he saved them from their distress; he sent out his word and healed them' Psalm 107:19-20



Keadue Rovers Bingo Results – 21/11/2025

Winners of the €100 House Jackpots:

Dom Bonner, Drumnacart
Anne Timoney, Sheskinarone

No winner of the two Snowballs! Current Snowball prizes: €8,000, €300 (on 47 numbers)

Next chance: Friday, 28/10/2025

50/50 Winner (€600): Heidi Nguyen, Derryduel

Next 50/50 draw: Friday, 5/12/2025

Recent Match Results: Saturday 22/11

Development Team Ulster Shield. Keadue Rovers 2
Fintown Harps 0 Liam Ferry & Aaron McCafferty

Anam Cara Donegal, the organisation that supports bereaved parents, will hold its monthly Face to Face Parent Support Evening for bereaved parents on Thursday 11th December at 7.30pm in the Raddison Blu Hotel, Letterkenny F92 FK15.

This event is free and open to all bereaved parents regardless of the age of their child, the circumstances of their death, or how recent their death was. There is no need for registration, this is a walk in meeting.

We also offer online support group meetings.

We offer an event that will take place online on Monday 8th December at 7pm. On the online version of the newsletter, click [Here](#) to get the Zoom invitation.

The Bereavement Information Evening is open to all bereaved parents regardless of the age the child died, or the circumstances of their death. Our guest speaker for the evening will be David Trickey.

David is a leading Consultant Clinical Psychologist who has specialised in working with traumatised children, young people and their families since 2000. He continues to focus on direct clinical work, and the training and supervision of others working with traumatised children, young people and their families.

To find out more call 01 4045378 or

email info@anamcara.ie

Gliginí na Rosann- Grúpa Tuismitheoir agus

Tachran 1 gClubtheacht CLG Naomh Muire, lochtar na Rosann, gach Déardaoin 10-11:30r.n. Níl aon costas ar an ócáid ach caithfear clárú le síle @tuismitheoiri.ie roimh ré. Is i an Ghaeilge teanga an ghrúpa.

11/12/2025- Gliginí le Mamaí Clause. Beidh Mamaí Clause ag tabhairt cuairt ar na páistí óga Déardaoin 11ú Nollaig. Beidh scéalaíocht, ceol agus craic go leor againn.

BURTONPORT COMMUNITY CENTRE

CROCHET is on Wednesday mornings 11am-1pm.

NEW BEGINNINGS COMMUNITY SHOP is open Monday-Thursday 9am -1.30pm. We accept donations of Men's, Ladies and children's clothes, shoes and accessories, Bric a brac and toys. We have a great selection of items.

We now have a large range of Christmas gifts and clothing in the shop.

A reminder that the Annual Bazaar takes place on Sunday 30th November at 3pm in aid of St. Columba's Community Centre. We will have all types of items for sale including Handmade items, knitting and baking, our usual bingo games and a great value auction. The Bazaar is always the main fundraiser during the year for our much used community centre and always attracts a capacity attendance.

CIRCUITS is on Tuesday and Thursday evenings at 7.30pm

BADMINTON is on Monday 5-6pm national school, 6-7pm secondary school and 7pm for adults

SOILSE NA NOLLAIG

We are delighted to announce that our Christmas lights will be officially switched on near the pier area on Saturday evening 6th December at 5.30pm. For 2025 we have added new items which will look very well. Refreshments will be served and we look forward to a large attendance. Béidh Ceád Míle Fáilte Romhat.

The AGM of The Rosses Credit Union Limited will take place in Ionad Teampaill Chróine, Dungloe on Monday 1st December at 7pm. All members are invited to attend. There will be light refreshments from 6.30pm in advance of the AGM and a prize draw for all members present after the AGM.

This Advent and Christmas, Focus Ireland invites parishioners to host a carol service or festive singalong and help end child homelessness for good. There are currently over 5000 children and their families experiencing homelessness in Ireland. Whether it's a parish choir event, a school performance, or a community gathering, your carols can help bring hope and dignity to those in need.

Learn more and sign up at www.focusireland.ie/this-christmas-help-to-end-child-homelessness-for-good/

Visitation

The sick and housebound will be visited with Holy Communion this Thursday & Friday.

Dates for your Diary

13th December @ 6.30 pm – Youth Mass – St. Marys.
23rd December @ 7pm – Carol Service in St. Columba's.
24th December @ 6pm – Children's Christmas Mass in St. Columba's.
24th December @ 9pm – Christmas Mass in St. Mary's
25th December @ 10am. Christmas Mass in St. Mary's
25th December @ 11.30 am, Christmas Mass in St. Columba's