



# Kincasslagh Parish Newsletter, 8<sup>th</sup> March 2026

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## St. Mary's Church, Kincasslagh

Day	time	Masses this week
Sat 7	6.30	Connie Sweeney, Braade
Sun 8	11	Kitty McGonagle, Lochan Dubh James O'Donnell & Hughie O'Donnell, Belcruit East
Mon 9	7.30am	
Tues 10	10	
Wed 11	7pm	Kathleen Stewart, Keadue
Thurs 12	10	
Fri 13	7.30am	
Sun 15	11	Mary, Sheila & Pat Sweeney

## St. Columba's Church, Burtonport

Day	time	Masses this week
Sat 7	6.30	Mary Assumpta Gallagher Arlands Anthony Conaghan, Crickamore, parents Pat & Mary & brother Thomas Colm (Frank) O'Donnell, Leffin
Mon 9	10	
Tues 10	10	
Wed 11	10	
Thurs 12	10	
Fri 13	10	
Sat 14	6.30	Charlie Breen, Lackenagh & deceased members of the Breen & O'Donnell families Claire McCole, Burtonport Philip McCafferty, Arranmore birthday remembrance

## Anniversaries

Fr. Jim Tormey, Dublin, Chile & Peru
John Neil John Gallagher
Tess Greene, Dungloe
Danny Campbell, Rampart

## Recent

Maureen Durkan Purdy, Philadelphia
Seamus Gallagher, Mullaghderg Banks, buried last Sunday

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

## Money Matters

St. Mary's Sunday collection was €1090. St Columba's Collections were €780 & extra €60 for Emigrants. Thank You.

**Job Notice** March 2026 The HSE seeks to recruit Permanent Health Care Assistants (Home Support) in the following areas: Arranmore Island, Burtonport, Doochary, Dungloe, Fintown, Glenties, Lettermacaward,

Portnoo, Co. Donegal. Application by sending up to date CV to: Email: [sinead.power3@hse.ie](mailto:sinead.power3@hse.ie) The role mainly involves providing personal care to individuals in their own homes. Workers must be available to work early mornings, afternoons, evenings and nights on week days and weekends for up to 39 hours per week and have access to transport. Workers may have a set of clients to attend to, typically spending 30, 45 or 60 minutes with a client before moving to the next one. Evidence of successful completion of Fetac/QQI level 5 in healthcare modules 'Care Skills' and 'Care of the Older Person' or equivalent qualifications and minimum of one years relevant experience providing care are required. Where an individual has not yet completed the above modules but can demonstrate significant experience of caring, applications may be considered in conjunction with a personal commitment to commence the healthcare modules within the first 12 months of employment. The current salary scale is €36,288 rising to €45,484 (nine year scale). Actual pay is calculated on the number of hours worked each week. Informal enquiries to Sinead Power on 074 97 22715.

## Ladies Golf Information Night

Curious about taking up golf? Join us at Cruit Island Golf Club on Monday 9<sup>th</sup> March @ 3pm. A meeting designed for women who want to learn the game of golf! Or get back to it! Or recent beginners who want to develop their skills. Connect with other women on the night and meet some members. Bring a Pal!

## BURTONPORT COMMUNITY CENTRE

**CROCHET** is on Wednesday mornings 11am-1pm.  
**BADMINTON** is on Monday 5-6pm national school, 6-7pm secondary school and 7pm for adults  
**NEW BEGINNINGS COMMUNITY SHOP** is open Monday - Thursday 9am-1.30pm. We are now accepting donations of Ladies, Gents and children's clothing and accessories., toys, books and bric a brac.  
**LINE DANCING** is on a Friday morning at 11am.  
**The annual Easter Monday 5km walk/run** in aid of our Railway walk takes place on Monday 6<sup>th</sup> of April at 3pm. A reminder the €12 membership for Friends of the railway walk is now due. All monies collected will go to the maintenance of the walk.  
**ROSSES VIP CHINA ANNUAL TEA PARTY** takes place in St. Columba's Community Centre on the 19<sup>th</sup> April 2026 commencing at 3pm. This year the VIP group will be dividing the takings between themselves and the local Darkness Into Light committee. Looking forward to seeing you on the 19<sup>th</sup>.

## Keadue Rovers Bingo Results – Friday 27/02/2026

Winners of the €100 House Jackpots:  
Game 6: Teresa O'Donnell, Milltown

**Game 12: James O'Donnell, Bunaman**  
No winner of the two Snowballs tonight! Current Snowball prizes: €8,000; €550 (on 52 numbers)  
50/50 Jackpot Winner:

Congratulations to Elcie Boyle, Lower Keadue, winner of €530. The next 50/50 draw will also take place on Friday  
13/03/2026



Keadue Rovers 100+ Club – February 2026 Draw!

- 1<sup>st</sup> (€1,000): Brendan Ward, Meenbanad
- 2<sup>nd</sup> (€500): Martin Oglesby, Burtonport
- 3<sup>rd</sup> (€400): Pauric Neely (JNR), Crickamore
- 4<sup>th</sup> (€300): April Boyle & Shane Maloney, Keadue
- 5<sup>th</sup> (€200): Kevin Duffy, Cruit
- 6<sup>th</sup> (€100): Adam Boyle, Keadue
- 7<sup>th</sup> (€100): Packie Boyle, Dungloe
- 8<sup>th</sup> (€100): Brendan Boyle, Keadue
- 9<sup>th</sup> (€100): Ciara Gallagher, Maghery
- 10<sup>th</sup> (€100): Ameila JJ O'Donnell, Burtonport
- 11<sup>th</sup> (€100): Angela McGeever, Keadue
- 12<sup>th</sup> (€100): Dean Murray, Keadue

**Recent Match Results: Saturday 28/02**

*Development Team Old Orchard Inn Division 2.*

Keadue Rovers 1 Fintown Harps 2 Matthew Comiskey  
**Sunday 01/03 Senior Team, Brian McCormick Sports Premier Division.**

St Catherine's FC 4 Keadue Rovers 1 Own Goal for Keadue



**Please spread the word** about our upcoming pilgrimage for girls 14+ (Secondary School Age) to the Czech Republic & Poland in June 2026.

In the Porch notices you will find a poster with further details and the link to register. There are limited spaces so please tell any teen girls you may know to register soon! It's a wonderful opportunity for teen girls to grow in faith, make new friends, and visit some incredible pilgrimage sites. God bless,  
SHM Donegal/Derry Community

## Welcome



Please extend a warm welcome to Mollie who joined our Christian community at a lovely service last weekend in St. Mary's. Congrats to JJ and Gloria.

**Womens world day of Prayer** in Mullaghduff Community Centre on Friday 6<sup>th</sup> March. See notice board.

## Our Confirmandii



Our Confirmation Classes have begun and these young people have started their journey towards receiving the gifts and working with the fruits of the Spirit. We ask you to pray for them in the next month of their journey.

**St Patrick's Day Masses will be at 10am in St. Mary's & 11am Mass in St. Columba's.**