

**Parish of Malin (Clonca)                      Sunday 20<sup>th</sup> January 2013**  
**Second Sunday in Ordinary Time                      (Year C – Psalter – Week 2)**

Written or e-mail items for the bulletin should reach Fr. Brendan or Malin Parochial House  
 by 7pm on **Wednesday** of the week that publication is requested.

Please include a telephone number. (Email address: [malinparish@hotmail.com](mailto:malinparish@hotmail.com))

**Weekday Masses:**

**St. Patrick's Church, Aughaclay:** Monday and Tuesday at 9.30am.  
**Malin Oratory:** Friday at 10am.  
**Star of the Sea Church, Malin Head:** Monday Tuesday and Friday at 10am.  
**St. Mary's Church, Lagg:** Thursday at 9.30am.

**First Anniversary Mass:** For Angela Grogan, Glengad in St Patrick's Church on Saturday 19<sup>th</sup> January at 6pm.

**Anniversary Mass:** For Danny Glackin, Belfast in St. Mary's Church on Sunday 20<sup>th</sup> January at 10am.

**Month's Mind Mass:** For Mary B. Mc Laughlin, Culkeeney in St. Patrick's Church on Sunday 20<sup>th</sup> January at 10.30am.

**First Anniversary Mass:** For Susan McLaughlin, Fawn in St. Patrick's Church on Saturday 26<sup>th</sup> January at 6pm.

**Anniversary Mass:** For Margaret Doherty, Ballygorman in Star of the Sea Church on Saturday 26<sup>th</sup> January at 8pm.

**Anniversary Mass:** For James Doherty, Ballyhillion in Star of the Sea Church on Saturday 2<sup>nd</sup> February at 8pm.

**Month's Mind Mass:** For Susan Quigley, Lagg in St. Mary's Church on Sunday 3<sup>rd</sup> February at 9am.

**Confessions:** Saturday in St. Patrick's Church, Aughaclay 5.15pm - 5.45pm and 7.15pm - 7.45pm in Star of the Sea Church, Malin Head.

**Collections: Thank You.**

	<b>Aughaclay</b>	<b>Lagg</b>	<b>Malin Head</b>
<b>Parish</b>	810	245	495
<b>Restoration</b>	810	245	490

Parish Fund –	€1550
Restoration Fund –	<b>€1545</b>

**Parish Draw:** Renewal of subscription of the Parish Draw is due at the end of the month, for a six month period the subscription is €35. Contact any promoter. We request new members to join when subscription begins again shortly. The parish draw helps to repay parish debt; hence it is a great source of income to the parish. We encourage more members of our parish community to become promoters in their area and to encourage more to join the draw. Returns from promoters are requested to Malin Parochial House on Monday 28<sup>th</sup> January from 8pm – 9pm.

**Confirmation Candidates:** The first of several up-coming meetings of the Confirmation Candidates will take place in the Glengad Community Centre on Monday 21<sup>st</sup> January at 6.30pm. The schedule has been distributed recently through the parish schools, it is important and a requirement that parental consent is signed and returned to the school in the coming week.

**Malin Head Folk Group:** In recent years the older members of Malin Head Folk Group have moved on to second level education, leaving space for new members. If you are interesting in joining the folk group please indicate your intentions to a group member.

**Parish Website:** Is alive and active and still in its infancy as more information has yet to be uploaded. We welcome feedback – [www.malinparish.ie](http://www.malinparish.ie)

**Hymns at Lagg for Ordinary Time: - Entrance:** Seek Ye First. No.473. **Offertory:** Gifts Of Bread and Wine. No.158. **Communion:** Spirit Of The Living God No.501. **Recessional:** As I Kneel Before You. No.45.

**Scoil Cholmcille, Glengad:** New enrolments parents/guardians who wish to enrol their children in Scoil Cholmcille's Junior Infants for September 2013 should contact the school 9379211 or e-mail ballymenans@eircom.net for enrolment forms. Enrolment forms to be returned by Friday 8th February.

**Malin GAA:** No winner of last week's lotto jackpot. The sequence drawn was 1-4-2-6-3-7-5. €50 winner was Marian Ruddy, Oldtown, Culdaff. Next week's lotto jackpot is €650. The Malin GAA club shop will be open in the clubhouse on Saturdays from 12-2pm and on Sundays from 11-15am to 1-30pm. There is a large selection of club merchandise in stock which can be purchased on the day. Also the club will submit an order to the suppliers on the first day of each month for stock currently not available in the shop. For more details, contact Susan - 9370638.

**Week of Prayer for Christian Unity: 18th to 25th January. Theme: What does God require of us?** As we pray

for and strive towards the full visible unity of the church we - and the traditions to which we belong - will be

changed, transformed and conformed to the likeness of Christ. We want to make the effort together, in humility serving God and our neighbor according to the example of Jesus Christ.

**'His mother said to the servants, 'Do whatever he tells you.' – John 2:1-11**

**Sports Field Draw:** The Malin Head Community Sports Field Jackpot was not won on week ending Saturday 12<sup>th</sup> January. The winner of €50 bonus prize was Francis Kelly, Glengad, with ticket number 60. Next week's jackpot is €750. We thank the community for their support.

**Malin Parish Draw:** The winners of the weekly parish draw for week ending Sunday January 13<sup>th</sup>, are: 1. €200: Patricia Mc Pherson, Malin Road, Carndonagh. 2. €130: Margaret Mc Geoghegan. 3. €65: Mary B Houton, Middletown, Malin Head.

**Malin Bingo:** Malin Bingo is held every Sunday night in St Patrick's Hall, Malin, commencing at 8.30pm. The winners for Sunday, January 13<sup>th</sup>, are as follows: 130euro: Mary Doherty, Carndonagh; Bridget Doherty, Glengad; Mary Doherty, Glengad; Tommy Doherty, Redcastle. 65euro: Patsy Doherty, Gleneely. The Snowball next week is 500euro on 46 numbers and 300euro on 48 numbers.

**Pastoral Centre – Carndonagh:** Pre-marriage course takes place here in The Pastoral Centre, Carndonagh on 22nd/23rd February. Bookings can be made on [www.accord.ie](http://www.accord.ie)

**Annual Diocesan Mass:** For those with Special Needs, and their families and friends, will take place in Saint Joseph's Church, Galliagh, Derry on Saturday 9<sup>th</sup> March at 3.00pm. Bishop Lagan will celebrate the Mass. If you have a child who wishes to receive the Sacrament of Confirmation or First Communion at this Mass please contact the Derry Diocesan Catechetical Centre on 04871264087 or email [ddcc@derrydiocese.org](mailto:ddcc@derrydiocese.org)

**Forty Days of Prayer for LIFE:** We are invited to join together in forty days of prayer for LIFE, until Ash Wednesday on the 13<sup>th</sup> February. The intention is: 'That all human life will be respected from the first moment of conception until the moment of natural death.' We are also invited to offer the rosary every day for this intention, we are also invited to undertake some form of fasting or penance on Wednesdays and/or Fridays during the forty days. **The Legion of Mary will lead the rosary in Star of the Sea Church prior to the beginning of**

**the weekday Mass (Monday, Tuesday and Friday) at 9.40am.** The other days we extend an invitation to promote family prayer at home for the stated intentions.

**Inishowen Gardening club:** The first talk of 2013 will take place on Monday 28th January in the Wesley Hall, Carndonagh at 8pm. The speaker will be Tommy Doherty from NW Polytunnels and the topic is "The Benefits of growing in a polytunnel"

**Church Gate Collection:** For Epilepsy and Brainwave will take place at all Masses this weekend 19<sup>th</sup>/20<sup>th</sup> January.

**Friends of Letterkenny General Hospital:** Are celebrating 21 years of successful fundraising for the hospital. They are formally launching their '€21,000 every 21 days' fundraising campaign on Monday 21<sup>st</sup> January at 7.30pm in the Conference Room, Floor A, Letterkenny General Hospital. Everyone welcome to attend.

**Inishowen Outreach Clinic:** Do you have a hearing loss and need to know more information? If so contact us:

We offer advice on, Family Support, Technical Aids & Appliances, Flashing Doorbells, Smoke Alarms, Amplified Telephone, Listening Devices. Our clinics are held in the Public Service Building in Carndonagh on the following dates: Monday 21<sup>st</sup> January.

**Signal Project:** Photography workshops will recommence on Monday the 21st January from 3-5 pm. In the Glengad Community Resource Centre. Suitable for beginners, and everyone is welcome. An Open Evening will also take place in the Glengad Community Resource Centre. From 6-8pm on Tuesday the 22nd January. Please come along to see photographs taken by local people of the local area. Tea, coffee and sandwiches will be provided.

**Malin Head Community Centre** Caring for Carers programme starting in February at the Community Centre. This is a free programme aimed at addressing the needs of carers. Contact Maria on 0044 77387 85676 or Centre 9370478. Two more new courses Storysacks, this is a fun course for parents and carers of children. The IDP are again running a Free Internet training programme for older people in the area, if interested please ring the office with your name to book a place. All usual activities have resumed again after the New Year.

**Kilcar Variety Group:** Presents a 3 Act Comedy by Sam Cree, "Stop It Nurse", in St Patrick's Hall, Malin on Friday 25th January, doors open 8-00pm, show begins at 8-30pm, admission €10 with all proceeds going to the Oncology Cancer Day Unit at Letterkenny General Hospital, all welcome to come along and enjoy a very funny show while supporting a very worthy cause.

**Web Design Course:** Names are now being taken for a Web Design Course to begin in Serenity House Moville shortly. Duration of Course: 10-12 weeks. Price: €150.00 which can be paid in bulk or over the duration of the course. For further details, call Serenity House on 0749382945.

**Ordinary Time:** Ordinary Time (Year C- Luke's Gospel) began again last Monday after the dual Church Seasons of Advent and Christmas have now concluded. This year the first period of Ordinary Time prior to Lent is shorter than last year as Easter is earlier this year; this period of Ordinary Time is just over four weeks long. Ordinary Time began on Monday 14<sup>th</sup> January and will run to the 12<sup>th</sup> February - Ash Wednesday is the next day. Easter Sunday is the 31<sup>st</sup> March this year. We return to the green vestments. As green represents growth it is apt that we observe the growth of the spring around us in the cycle of the seasons of the year. 'Ordinary' comes from the same root as our word "ordinal", and in this sense means "the counted weeks". In the Catholic Church and in some Protestant traditions, these are the common weeks which do not belong to a proper season. In Latin, these seasons are called the weeks *per annum*, or "through the year".