

**Parish of Malin (Clonca)**  
**Third Sunday in Lent**

**Sunday 3<sup>rd</sup> March 2013**  
**(Year C – Psalter – Week 3)**

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 at 7pm. 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.

**Anniversary Mass:** For John Mc Grory, Bree in Star of the Sea Church on Sunday 3<sup>rd</sup> March at 12noon.

**Month's Mind Mass:** For Matthew Logue, Keenagh in St. Mary's Church on Sunday 10<sup>th</sup> March at 9am.

**Anniversary Mass:** For Mary Ann Doherty, Lower Braghey in Star of the Sea Church on Saturday 16<sup>th</sup> March at 8pm.

**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>	672	195	370
<b>Restoration</b>	673	195	375

Parish Fund –	<b>€1237</b>
Restoration Fund –	<b>€1243</b>

**Stations of the Cross:** Are an ancient part of our Catholic tradition. They help us to enter more fully into the spirit of Lent. The Stations of the Cross will take place on the first five Sunday's of Lent alternating between St. Patrick's Church and Star of the Sea Church. The Third Sunday of Lent they will take place in St. Mary's Church, Lagg. **Stations of the Cross in St. Mary's Church today at 5pm.**

**DDS Mass:** Will take place in St. Mary's Church on Thursday of this week for those enrolled in the Derry Diocesan Society for this parish.

**Trocaire Boxes:** Are available in each of the church porches, you are invited to take one home with you as you leave the church. The main focus of our almsgiving during Lent is the Trocaire Lenten Campaign.

**Lenten Stations:** If you are interested in having a Lenten Station in your home during Lent. Please indicate to either of the priests your intended choice of weekday.

**Bunn, Glengad:** Bernadette and Seamus McLaughlin, Friday 15th March at 8pm.

**Ross Head and Glentoskert:** Marion Doherty, Friday 22nd March at 8pm.

**St. Patrick's Day – Irish:** 10 30am Mass in St. Patrick's Church, Aughaclay on the 17th March will be in Irish. Anyone interested in joining the choir or learning the responses to the Mass are welcome to come along to the Community Hall at the Connelly Foundation Malin Town on Tuesday at 9pm. For more information contact John Mc Colgan phone 9370646 or 0868804456.

**Hymns at Lagg for Lent:** - **Entrance:** God Of Mercy and Compassion. No.180. **Offertory:** My God Accept My Heart. No.305. **Communion:** I Watch The Sunrise. No.262. **Recessional:** I The Lord Of Sea And Sky. No.712.

**Sports Field Draw:** The Malin Head Community Sports Field Jackpot was not won on week ending Saturday 23<sup>rd</sup> February. The winner of €50 bonus prize was Sean Harley, Senior, Malin Head, with ticket number 153. The numbers drawn were: 1,7,4,6,2,3,5. Next week's jackpot is €1050. We thank the community for their support.

**Malin Parish Draw:** The winners of the weekly parish draw for week ending Sunday, February 24th are: 1. €200: Nora Collins, Leitir. 2. €130: Bridie Mc Daid, Killourt, Malin Head. 3. €65: Vincent and Maureen Mc Laughlin, Claggan, Culdaff.

**Malin Bingo:** Malin Bingo is held every Sunday night in St Patrick's Hall, Malin, commencing at 8.30pm. The winners for Sunday, February 24th, are as follows: 130euro: Ann Collins, Carndonagh; Brigid Doherty, Glengad; Bobby Duncan, Carndonagh; Alice Campbell, Carndonagh. 65euro: Ann Mc Colgan, Glengad. The Snowball next week is 500euro on 46 numbers and 300euro on 48 numbers.

**Bunn Water Co-Op:** Are holding their AGM at 3pm on Sunday 3<sup>rd</sup> March in Glengad Community Centre.

**Bus to Knock:** Leaves Saturday 6th April returns Sunday 7th April. Full cost £85 or €110 includes meals & accommodation. Payment in advance. Enquires Tel. 0749320734 or 0863222874 or 0877485523.

**Malin Head Community Alert/Neighbourhood Watch Scheme:** New Telephone Number is 086 2750202. Contact the number if you notice anything suspicious or have any concerns. The old number is inactive. Buncrana Gardaí - 9320540. Be extra vigilant and keep an eye on your neighbours. Report anything suspicious.

**Lenten Thursdays:** Thornhill Centre, Derry each of the Thursdays of Lent, 10.30am to 1pm. The morning begins at 10.30am and ends with a light lunch at 1.00pm. With a focus on the Year of Faith, there will be an element of prayer, reflection on The Creed and quiet time. A donation of £5 per morning is suggested. Please ring 048-71351233 to book.

**Doodle for Google Competition:** This is the last weekend to vote for the Doodle for Google Competition. Scoil Cholmcille, Glengad could win €10,000 technology grant and Caitlin could win €5,000 scholarship grant. So please vote for Caitlin Kelly (class group 2) <http://www.google.ie/doodle4google/vote.html> Only 1 vote per computer, i-pad etc. We would need all your help.

**Spring Retreat:** At Ards Friary Friday 8th -Sunday 10th March. Asking through music, meditation and spiritual awareness, "Where are you now and where would you like to be". Contact Margaret Gallagher. 9384015 or email [margaretdancing@yahoo.ie](mailto:margaretdancing@yahoo.ie) or [www.ardsfriary.ie](http://www.ardsfriary.ie)

**Derry Diocesan Pilgrimage to Lourdes, 1st - 6th July 2013:** The Lourdes Pilgrimage Office, Diocesan Pastoral Centre, 164 Bishop Street is open Tuesday, Thursday's and Saturday's from 11.00am to 1pm. Forms for general pilgrims are available from the sacristy or the Lourdes Pilgrimage Office. Pilgrims who need to register for support or care should contact The Lourdes Pilgrimage Office at 048-71260293.

**Malin Head National School Parents' Association:** Is running a 'Good as New shop' in Carndonagh Shopping Centre from Monday 4<sup>th</sup> of March to Saturday April 6<sup>th</sup>. The shop will be open from 10am to 5pm. If anyone has any items that they would like to donate to the shop, they can do so by taking them to Malin Head school on Friday 1<sup>st</sup> March between 2pm and 3.30pm or the following day, Saturday 2<sup>nd</sup> March between 2pm and 4pm. Alternatively, items can be donated by taking them into the shop at any time during the five weeks it is open. If anyone in the Parish would like to cover a shift or (shifts) in the shop or help out in any way, please contact the school or any of the Parent's Association committee members.

**Little Angels Inter-denominational Service of Remembrance:** Will be held for those who have suffered Miscarriages, Still Births and Neo-Natal deaths at Letterkenny Hospital, will

take place on Sunday 3<sup>rd</sup> March at 4.00pm, in Conwal Parish Church (Cathedral Square), Letterkenny.

**Cursillo Weekends – Walk with Christ:** There will be two Cursillo three-day weekends in Termonbacca. The men's weekend begins at 7.00pm on Thursday 7<sup>th</sup> March and ends on Sunday afternoon 10<sup>th</sup> March. The women's weekend begins on Thursday 14<sup>th</sup> March and ends on Sunday 17<sup>th</sup> March. The weekend program is based on three encounters – with Self, with Christ and with Others. If interested, or for further information email [derrycursillo@gmail.com](mailto:derrycursillo@gmail.com) or phone 0044-7841100174.

**Vintage Fashion Show:** In aid of Cancer Research and Colgan Hall is taking place in Strand Hotel, Ballyliffen, on Saturday 9<sup>th</sup> March starting at 8pm, almost 100 authentic outfits to be seen on the night, tickets €12 available from Strand Hotel, Ballyliffen, Colgan Hall Office & Macs Bookshop, Buncrana. Ring 074 93 29377 for tickets and information.

**Malin GAA:** No winner of last week's lotto. Sequence drawn was 2-5-6-4-3-1-7. €50 winner - Christina Crumlish, Malin Head. €20 sellers - Ryan Coffey. Next week's lotto jackpot is €550. The club will be hosting a 25 Card Drive on Friday March 1<sup>st</sup> in the clubhouse at 8.30pm. €10 to play and half of the pot will be paid out in prizes. Everyone welcome, for more details contact John Byrne on 0862507380. The club is hosting a Monster Bazaar in St Patrick's Hall, Malin on Friday March 8<sup>th</sup>.

**Malin Head Community Centre:** Art classes started 11<sup>th</sup> February at 7.30pm for 6 weeks. €5 per class. **Monday:** Monday: 10:30am Walking Group leave the hall, 7pm Kids football, 7.30pm Adult Art classes, 8pm Whist, 9pm Badminton. **Tuesday:** 4:30pm Afterschool, 8pm Red Cross training, new members welcome. **Wednesday:** 6:30pm Irish dancing, 9pm Set dancing. **Thursday:** 4:30pm Afterschool. **Friday:** 8pm Youth Club. **Saturday:** Music lessons begin at 12 noon, guitar,banjo, bodhran, accordion, tin whistle, €5. For more details ring the office. Friday 29<sup>th</sup> March, Brawl in the Hall.

**About Trocaire:** Trocaire work of mercy in the developing world began in 1973 and since that time countless families and communities have experienced enormous improvements to their lives and have become self-sufficient. In 27 countries worldwide Trocaire stands together with women, men and children who face poverty and injustice. We do this so that people in the developing world have the opportunity to live full lives – lives of dignity, potential, hope and freedom.

Trocaire works in partnership with local organizations around the world to carry out our work. Partnership means that we use our experience, funding and staff to support people in changing their communities. 'Trocaire together' is an opportunity for parishes and schools in Ireland to create a meaningful connection with a community in a developing country. It is a chance to be inspired into action by the struggles, hopes and dreams of community members. Many people know Trocaire from our annual Lenten campaign. The Trocaire box is familiar to communities throughout Ireland. Trocaire is now inviting you to step into the box, to learn, to share and to join us in the challenges of working for a more just world.

**Pope Benedict XVI:** The eight year pontificate of Benedict XVI concluded on Thursday evening last. Speaking to those gathered at Castel Gandolfo in the Alban Hills south of Rome – **'I am (now) simply a pilgrim beginning the last leg of my pilgrimage on this earth.... Let us go forward with the Lord.'**