

Parish of Malin (Clonca) Sunday 21st April 2013
Fourth Sunday of Easter (Year C – Psalter – Week 4)

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)

Weekday Masses:

St. Patrick's Church, Aughaclay: Monday and Tuesday at 9.30am.
Malin Oratory: No Mass.
Star of the Sea Church, Malin Head: Monday and Tuesday at 10am.
St. Mary's Church, Lagg: Thursday at 9.30am.

Month's Mind Mass: For Owen Doherty, Ballyhillion, in Star of the Sea Church on Saturday 20th April at 8pm.

Month's Mind Mass: For Bridget Doherty, Ballinahona, Glengad in St. Patrick's Church on Sunday 21st April at 10.30am.

First Anniversary Mass: For Margaret Doherty (Billy), Ballymena in St. Patrick's Church on Saturday 27th April at 6pm.

Anniversary Mass: For Teresa Doherty, Sheskin in Star of the Sea Church on Saturday 27th April 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.

	Aughaclay	Lagg	Malin Head
Parish	690	170	435
Restoration	691	165	435

Parish Fund –	€1295
Restoration Fund –	€1291

Confirmation Practice: For candidates their sponsors and those participating in the Sacrament of Confirmation will take place in St. Patrick's Church on Tuesday 23rd April at 6pm.

First Communicants: Those who received their First Communion this weekend are invited to be presented to the parish community at either the Vigil or 12 noon Mass in Star of the Sea Church next weekend. (Communicants are invited to wear what they wore on their First Communion day).

Parish Pastoral Council: The next meeting will take place in Drumcarbit on Monday 29th April at 8.30pm. Preparations are continuing for our **Parish Retreat 11th – 19th May**. Details will follow shortly.

Easter Garden's: If you wish to leave plants, shrubs or flowers at either of the Easter Garden's over the next seven weeks of the Easter Season please feel free to do so.

Hymns at Lagg for Easter: - *Entrance* Christ the Lord is risen today. No.275. *Offertory:* Take our Bread. No. 511. *Communion:* I Am The Bread Of Life. No.226. *Recessional:* Give me joy in my heart. No.159.

Readers for Lagg Church: Proclaiming God's word at Mass is an important liturgical ministry to our community. In Lagg we have six Readers and are looking for more. If you would like to be part of this ministry, please contact Tom Finnigan (9370985 / tolleno@eircom.net) or speak to one of our priests.

Annual Turas to Malin Well: The Annual Pilgrimage/Turas to Malin Well will be held on the afternoon of Sunday 5th May. Rosary begins in the church at 3pm. A bus will be provided for those who have difficulty with the braes. There will be exposition of the Blessed Sacrament in the church from 2pm- 3pm.

Glengad Water Sports Rowing Club: Are preparing and washing their boats for the incoming season on Glengad Pier on Thursday 25th April at 7.00pm. If anyone requires lift jackets or needs existing life jackets checked/serviced bring them along. Come along and see if you fancy being part of this fun way of keeping fit.

Sacrament of Confirmation: Next Thursday evening 37 candidates from our local schools will receive the Sacrament of Confirmation, we request that you might remember our Confirmation candidates in your prayers in the coming week. The Sacrament of Confirmation confers special graces of the Holy Spirit upon the person being confirmed, just as such graces were granted to the Apostles on Pentecost. Like Baptism, therefore, it can only be performed once, and Confirmation increases and deepens all of the graces granted at Baptism. The Sacrament of Confirmation completes the Rite of Initiation, with the reception of the sacraments of Baptism, Penance, Eucharist and Confirmation. The sacrament is called '**Confirmation**' because the faith given in Baptism is now confirmed and made strong. During your Baptism, your parents and godparents make promises to renounce Satan and believe in God and the Church on your behalf. At Confirmation, you renew those same promises, this time speaking for yourself. During Confirmation, the focus is on the Holy Spirit, who confirmed the apostles on Pentecost and gave them courage to practice their faith – **Gifts and Fruits of the Holy Spirit.**

Congratulations: To Joseph and Mary Devlin, Kedycara who celebrated fifty years of marriage last weekend.

Malin Parish Draw: The winners of the weekly parish draw for week ending Sunday, April 14th are: 1. €200: Liz Mc Colgan, Carrowmore, Malin. 2. €130: Fr. Brendan Crowley, Malin Head. 3. €65: John Houton, Trenatubber, Culdaff.

Malin Bingo: Malin Bingo is held every Sunday night in St Patrick's Hall, Malin, commencing at 8.30pm. The winners for Sunday, April 14th, are as follows: 130euro: Bridget Doherty, Glengad; June Gilliam, Culdaff; Bridget Harkin, Carnmalin, Malin Head; Maura Lynch, Merville. 65euro: Rose Duffy, Glengad. The Snowball next week is 500euro on 46 numbers and 300euro on 48 numbers.

Community Sports Field Draw: The Malin Head Community Sports Field Jackpot was not won on week ending Saturday 13th April. The winner of €50 bonus prize was Dan and Jack Mc Laughlin, Back Mountain, Malin Head with ticket no. 131. The numbers drawn were: 3,6,5,7,2,4,1. Next week's jackpot is €1400.

5 Alive Closed Members Weekly Draw: The winners of €50 in the 5 Alive Closed Members Weekly draw by Malin Head Community Association Committee to raise funds for the community centre were: Colette Mattie; Brian Mooney; Colm Kelly; and Catherine and Aiden Carey. There are still some places available - if you would like to enter, contact the committee or the Office. Thank you to the community for your support.

Do you remember the old Irish Cottage? Malin Head Heritage Group are looking for anyone who assisted in any way with the Irish Cottage (Bogg's thatched house) in Bree under Fr. John Doherty in the early 1970's. Many people baked and made crafts - baskets, flower pots, lamps, rugs, crochet etc. We are very interested in hearing their stories with a view to arranging a 'Get Together' during the Gathering in early August, Saturday 10th August from 4 – 7pm. Text or ring Teresa (Mullin) 087 2674857 or Andrea or Eileen at Community Centre 9370478.

Saturday Club: From 10.30am-3.30pm at Day Centre Carndonagh Community Hospital for older people who have memory problems. For information contact 0749722795. Pre-booking essential.

Inishowen Disability Action Group: Wheelchair accessible minibus available for transport bookings. Reasonable rates. Phone 9374529 for further information.

Malin Head Community Centre: **Monday:** 10:30am Walking Group leave the hall, 7pm Kids football, 7.30pm Beginners Art, 8pm Whist, 9pm Badminton. **Tuesday:** 4:30pm Afterschool. **Wednesday:** Pilates 10am, 6:30pm. Irish dancing, 9pm Set dancing, Heritage social 1st May. **Thursday:** 4:30pm Afterschool, 7pm Young Women's Group. **Friday:** 5pm Music Lessons, 8pm Youth Club. Senior Alert Scheme Grant Application Forms for alarms/pendants are available at the Community Centre Office. New Date: Health Day Thursday 23rd May starting 10am.

Presentation of Pioneer Pins: In St. Patrick's Church on Friday 3rd May. Anyone who would like to join the Pioneers for a Full/Silver/Gold pin. Please contact Eugene 0863358105 Liam 9370039 or Martin 9379267. Recent Pioneer collection amounted to €395.

Accord Carndonagh (Inishowen): Are you interested in becoming part of a team who prepare couples for Marriage. If so please telephone 9474103 on Monday Wednesday or Thursday between 10 am - 1 pm for further information.

Glengad FC: Sunday 21st Glengad Utd V Carn FC 2pm. Lotto draw 10th April 4.10.12.15. €50 winner Shay Mc Laughlin Drumcarbit, Malin. Jackpot €2600.

Inishowen Development Partnership: Are offering Basic computer classes. This course is for complete beginners who have never used a computer before. It introduces common computer applications including Word, Internet and Email. We are also offering a Communities Connect course. The course will cover: Internet & E-mail, Skype & Social Networking, Internet Shopping & Online Banking. If interested or you require more information please contact: Reception, Inishowen Development Partnership, on 9362218, and ask for Katie or Maureen.

Music Trail at the I.O.S.A.S Centre & Celtic Prayer Garden: You are invited to a night of storytelling, music and song at the I.O.S.A.S Centre & Celtic Prayer Garden, Lenamore Road, Muff on Friday 10th May at 7.30pm. The Celtic Prayer Garden will come alive with traditional song and story. This is a free event but donations are welcome. Places are limited so booking is essential. For further details or to book contact the I.O.S.A.S Centre on 9384866 or email goldenagecentre@hotmail.com

Lifeline: Will hold their AGM on the 23rd May at 7pm in the Inishowen Development Partnership (IDP) Pound Street Carndonagh. Please come along and show your support for this much needed Service in Inishowen. We support Women, Children and families. Your support would be much appreciated.

Vision Workshop: An opportunity to discover how to move from the negative world of frustration, despair and darkness to a world which overflows with abundance, you will see a future full of promise, hope and possibility. Facilitator: Fr. Flann Lynch O.f.m.cap. Ards Friary. Venue Wesley Hall, Carndonagh on Sunday 28th April 10am - 2pm enrolment from 9.30am. Contact 0861740054.

Malin GAA: Senior and Reserves are away to Gweedore on Sunday. Reserve throw in at 1.30pm. Senior at 3pm. All support welcome. No winner of last week's lotto jackpot of €650. Sequence drawn was 2-7-5-4-1-3-6. €50 winner Angie Doherty, Malin Head. €20 Seamus Doherty (PM). This week's lotto jackpot €700. Underage Training continues as normal details from centre.