

**Parish of Malin (Clonca)**

**Sunday 4<sup>th</sup> May 2014**

**Third Sunday of Easter**

**(Year A – Psalter – Week 3)**

Email items for the bulletin should reach parish web address 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:**

No Mass.

**Malin Oratory:**

Friday at 10am.

**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 John Doherty, Carnmalin in Star of the Sea Church on Saturday 3<sup>rd</sup> May at 8pm.

**Months's Mind Mass:** For Ellen Brennan, Ballinahona, Glengad in St Parick's Church on Saturday 3<sup>rd</sup> May at 6pm.

**Anniversary Mass:** For Seamus McCloskey, Drumcarbit in St Patrick's Church on Sunday 4<sup>th</sup> May at 10.30am.

**Month's Mind Mass:** For Harry Mc Gilloway, Dunegard in Star of the Sea Church on Saturday 10<sup>th</sup> at 8pm.

**Anniversary Mass:** For Dennis Mc Laughlin, Drumaville, in St Patrick's Church on Saturday 31<sup>st</sup> May at 6pm.

**Anniversary Mass:** For Celia Farren, Glentoskert in St Patrick's Church on Sunday 15<sup>th</sup> June at 10.30am.

**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>	655	180	292
<b>Restoration</b>	655	175	290

Parish Fund –	<b>€1,127</b>
Restoration Fund –	<b>€1,120</b>

**Good Friday Holy Places Collection:**

Aughaclay €855

Malin Head €515

**Total €1,370**

**Presentation night for Fr Crowley** on Thursday 8<sup>th</sup> May in St Patrick's Hall, Malin at 8pm, with local entertainers, and refreshments. Everyone welcome.

**Malin Parish First Communions** will be in St Patrick's Church on Saturday 10<sup>th</sup> May at 11am.

**Wedding's Booked with Fr Crowley:** Couples who have weddings booked with Fr Crowley in Malin Parish are asked to contact Fr Devlin 074 93 70615 to confirm arrangements.

**Derry Youth Community:** Are you a young person of faith aged between 18 and 25, who is interested in a 10- month, 'time-out' period where you will come together with 5 other young people and live in community? You will live in a structured, secure environment, from where you will be expected to reach out to other young people in schools and parishes to facilitate

faith-based activities. More information available on <http://www.derryyouthcommunity.com>. Closing date for applications May 16<sup>th</sup> 2014.

**“Making our Faith Flesh and Blood: Being Christ's Body today”** with Timothy Radcliffe OP at Drumalis Retreat and Conference Centre, Larne on Saturday, 17<sup>th</sup> May 2014. The day begins with registration at 9:30am and ends at 4:30pm approx. The cost of the day is £35 per person and includes refreshments and lunch. For further information or to book a place, please contact Drumalis during office hours (Mon-Fri, 9 am–5 pm).  
Tel: 028 28272196/28276455 or Email: [drumalis@btconnect.com](mailto:drumalis@btconnect.com)

**Tenders for Malin Town Kiddies Corner Community Playgroup:** Tenders are invited for re-roofing the flat roof at the back of the building, and plaster boarding inside. Tenders to be in by 10<sup>th</sup> May 2014. Those interested should contact Gerard Mc Laughlin (Rustard) on 0868704255.

**New Heritage Booklet:** Volume 5 of Malin Head Heritage booklet now on sale, priced €2 in local shops. Some great wee stories in it! Have a read!

**Annual Pilgrimage to Malin Well** on this Sunday 4<sup>th</sup> May, leaving Star of the Sea Church at 3pm. All welcome. Transport available for anyone having difficulty walking.

**Glengad Youth Club's Annual Church Gate Collection** will take place next weekend, 10<sup>th</sup> and 11<sup>th</sup> of May, at St Patrick's Church, Aughaclay. All support is much appreciated.

**Malin Head Community Sports Field Draw:** There was no winner of the Malin Head Community Sports Field Draw on Sunday 27<sup>th</sup> April. The jackpot stands at €2600. The numbers drawn were 1,7,4,2,6,5,3. The bonus prize of €50 was won by Noel Doherty (Babby), Westown, Malin Head, with number 57. Thank you for your support.

**Malin Parish Draw:** The winners for Sunday 27<sup>th</sup> April are: 1. €200: Riley and Brooke Houton, Bunagee, Culdaff. 2. €130: John Douglas, Ballymena. 3. €65: Brendan Mc Kinley, Ballymena.

**Malin Bingo:** Bingo is held in St Patrick's Hall, Malin every Sunday night at 8.30pm. Winners for Sunday 27<sup>th</sup> April are: €65: Mary Breslin, Quigley's Point. €130: Mary Jo Mc Clenaghan, Culdaff; Mary B Doherty, Lematuder; Mary Farren, Templemoyle; Annie Mc Carron, Clonmany. Next week's Snowball is €500 on 46 numbers; €300 on 48 numbers.

**Heritage Night:** The next Malin Head Heritage evening is on Wednesday 7<sup>th</sup> May 7pm to 9pm in Malin Head Hall. Jim Toland will speak on the Donovan family and Inistrahull Island. We want everyone with any interest or connection with the island to come along and share their knowledge. Refreshments.

**Malin GAA:** There was no winner of this week's lotto jackpot of €550. The sequence drawn was 6-1-5-7-4-2-3. The €50 winner was Gerard Rustard, Ballylannon. The €20 seller's prize went to The Kelly Family. Next week's jackpot stands €600 and as always we would like to thank the local community for their continued support of our weekly lotto draw.

**Glengad FC:** Sunday 4<sup>th</sup> May Aileach v Glengad Utd 2pm. Glengad Res v Aileach Res 11am. Saturday 10<sup>th</sup> May C.O' Donnell Cup Final Glengad Utd v Clonmany in Maginn Park, Buncrana. KO 6pm. Lotto draw 23<sup>rd</sup> April Numbers 2.11.12.13. €20 winners: Kevin Mc Gonagle. Rosaleen Duffy. John Mc Daid. Jackpot €1400

**Scoil Treasa Naofa, Malin (Old School 1951- 1984) Reunion** will be held in the Malin Hotel, on Saturday, August 9<sup>th</sup> 2014. An event page has been set up on Facebook (Scoil Treasa Naofa Malin) to promote the reunion. Please "Like" and spread the word to your family and friends home and abroad, to make this a memorable night. Net proceeds will be donated to the Parents Association of the current school. Tickets will be on sale in all local outlets or Contact Orla 0868588593, Siobhan 0879450666, Evelyne 0876308046.

**Saddle Rock Cycling Club** in conjunction with St Brigid's N.S. Glenmakee Carndonagh are hosting a cycle on Sunday 11<sup>th</sup> May, leaving G&S Supermarket. Registration €10 from 9.30am to 10am sharp. 3 routes: 4, 17 & 30 mile. Carn- Gleneely- Culdaff- Malin. Refreshments afterwards @ G&S. Get on your bike & get out there. Bike Safely.

**Inishowen Development Partnership** are delivering a Healthy Motivation, Eating & Exercise Together programme in Carndonagh in early May. The 8 week prevention programme aims to support 12 families in North Inishowen with children under 5 years, to reduce the risk of childhood obesity, through the provision of life skills and to make positive lifestyle changes to ensure children get the best start in life. The programme is FREE and will include cookery/ physical activity with lots of fun. If this programme interests you, it is important that you contact Mary McCallion on 0749362218 or Email [mmccallion@inishowen.ie](mailto:mmccallion@inishowen.ie) immediately to register.

**Attention of all men:** Would you like to live longer? - then take STEPS to make it possible. Why not join the Inishowen Men's Walking Group in Carndonagh and kick-start the valuable habit of walking that is extensively known to provide numerous health benefits? Inishowen Development Partnership is delighted to promote this initiative in the Carndonagh area and hope it will encourage the successful rollout of other Green Prescription Projects across the Peninsula. For information on the programme or to start a Walking Group in your area please contact Margaret on 086 837 5592 or by email on [margaret@inishowen.ie](mailto:margaret@inishowen.ie).

### **Prayer for Mothers**

Good and Gentle God, we pray in gratitude for our mothers and for all the women of theory who have joined with you in the wonder of bringing forth new life. You who became human through a woman, grant to all mothers the courage they need to face the uncertain future that life with children always brings. Give them the strength to live and to be loved in return, not perfectly, but humanly. Give them the faithful support of husband, family and friends as they care for the physical and spiritual growth of their children. Give them joy and delight in their children to sustain them through the trials of motherhood. Most of all, give them the wisdom to turn to you for help when they need it most. Amen. ([www.marypages.com](http://www.marypages.com))

## **Slow Me Down, Lord**

Slow me down, Lord! Ease the pounding of my heart, by the quieting of my mind. Steady my harried pace, with a vision of the eternal reach of time. Give me, amidst the confusions of my day, the calmness of the everlasting hills. Break the tensions of my nerves, with the soothing music of the sighing streams that live in my memory. Help me to know the magical restoring power of sleep. Teach me the art of taking minute vacations of slowing down to look at a flower; to chat with an old friend or to make a new one; to pat a stray dog, to watch a spider build a web; to smile at a child; or to read a few lines from a good book. Remind me each day that the race is not always to the swift; that there is more to life than increasing its speed. Let me look upward, into the branches of the towering oak and know that it grew slowly and well. Slow me down, Lord, and inspire me to send my roots deep into the soil of life's enduring values; that I may grow toward the stars of my great destiny. ( Wilferd A. Peterson)