

Parish of Malin (Clonca) Sunday 3rd August 2014
Eighteenth Sunday in Ordinary Time (Year A – Psalter – Week 2)

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: Monday and Tuesday at 9.30am.
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: For Kathleen McColgan, Ballysalla, Glengad in St. Patrick's Church on Saturday 9th August at 6pm.

Anniversary Mass: For Bill Coffey in Star of the Sea Church on Thursday 14th August at 8pm.

Month's Mind: For Bridget Croft, nee Kelly, Magheramanus, Melbourne, Australia in St Mary's Church on Sunday 17th August 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.*

	Aughaclay	Lagg	Malin Head
Parish	618	215	345
Restoration	617	210	350

Parish Fund –	€1,178
Restoration Fund –	€1,177

Annual Blessing of the Graves will take place on Sunday 17th August at 3pm in Aughaclay and 5pm in Lagg.

40 Hours: In Star of the Sea Church, Malin Head on Sunday 3rd August beginning after 12am mass and continues until holy hour at 6pm. It then continues on Monday 18th after 10am mass and ends with Rosary and Benediction at 6.30pm.

Baptism Preparation and Support Group: The Parish Pastoral Council has recently taken steps to create a Support Group for Baptism preparation in our parish. This arose from the awareness that baptism is a very important step for parents in terms of handing on the faith to the next generation. It is the sacrament by which the parish community grows and welcomes new members. It is an opportunity for parents to deepen their own faith whilst understanding their important role in strengthening the faith of tomorrow. This group wish to celebrate with parents the joy of their child's birth and to welcome them into the worshipping community of the parish. The actual program is currently being developed within the parish and we look forward to sharing it over the next few weeks.

Malin Head Sports Day: The Annual Malin Head Sports Day will be held on Friday 15th August commencing at 2pm. This is a wonderful opportunity to enjoy the many sports and amusements whilst supporting Malin Parish fundraising. Great day for all the family! Meet up with your friends! Volunteers are requested for help on the day. Please contact Fr Charley. Donations of baking and sandwiches for the tea tent and dance would be very much appreciated! Any donations for Lucky Dip may be left with Margaret Farren.

Sports Day Dance: The Annual 15th August Sports Dance will be held in Malin Head Community Centre with music by Capricorn. Admission including supper is €5. Be there!

The 8th National Grandparents pilgrimage to Our Lady's shrine at Knock takes place on Sunday 14th September. Blessing of the sick 2.30pm, Mass 3pm. Chief Celebrant Archbishop Charles Brown Papal Nuncio. Everyone welcome. Children are invited to compose a prayer for their Grandparents and send it to CGA office, Castlebar, St Westport, Co Mayo. All prayers will be displayed in the basilica and blessed during the Mass. For further information, coach and train travel phone 098 24877 or email info@catholicgrandparentsassociation.com

Explore God's call for you... exploreAway is a programme which provides the opportunity for young, single, men and women between the ages of 21- 40 who are interested in exploring religious life and the priesthood in a reflective and prayerful environment. Join us on Sunday 14th September 2014 from 2pm - 6pm in St. Teresa's Church, Clarendon Street, Dublin 2 or on Sunday 12th October 2014 from 2pm - 6pm in Clonard Monastery, Belfast, BT13 2RL to find out more about exploreAway. It promises to be an informative and relaxed afternoon with some good pizza and chat to follow! Booking is essential; please contact Sr. Gabrielle Farrell on 087-3584447 or Fr. Alan on 085-7664480. www.exploreAway.net, www.vocationsireland.com

Churchgate Collection: Donegal Parents and Friends Association for People with Intellectual Disability will hold their annual Churchgate Collection on Saturday 9th August and Sunday 10th August. Please support.

Lough Derg Three Day Pilgrimage: Wednesday 13th August is the last day pilgrims can commence the Three Day Pilgrimage. One Day Retreats recommence on 17th August. For further information contact Maureen or Sharon. Tel 00353 71 9861518 email info@loughderg.org

Malin GAA: There was no winner of last week's lotto. Sequence drawn was 6-4-7-1-2-3-5. €50 winner was Hannah Hunter, Malin Head. €20 seller's prize winner was Seamus Doherty PM. Next week's jackpot stands at €1,100.

5Alive Draw: The lucky winners of €50 in the 5Alive Draw for July 26th are Fionn O'Riordan and Keiran Logue, with number 38. We would appreciate any of our community, home or away, to join in and support our community fundraising efforts. Contact Jim Mullin or Eamonn Ward. Thanks again for your support!

Malin Head Community Sports Field Draw: There was no winner of the Malin Head Community Sports Field Draw on Sunday 27th July. The jackpot stands at €3,250. The numbers drawn were 4-6-7-5-1-2-3. The bonus prize of €50 was won by Paul Fildara, with ticket number 70. Thank you for your support.

Malin Parish Draw: The winners for Sunday 27th July are: 1. €200: John Doherty, (B), Westown, Malin Head. 2. €130: Chrissy Mc Laughlin, Ross Head. 3. €65: David Mc Laughlin, Magherard, Malin Head.

Malin Bingo: Bingo is held in St. Patrick's Hall, Malin every Sunday night at 8.30pm. Winners for Sunday 27th July are: €65: Liza Kelly, Glengad. €130: Carmel Mc Laughlin,

Malin Head; Ann Hirrell, Carndonagh; Mary B Doherty, Glengad. Next week's Snowball is €500 on 46 numbers; €300 on 48 numbers.

August Festival at the Top: Friday 8th: Music in Seaview Tavern - Off the Record. Saturday 9th: Live music in Seaview Tavern with Sean Sands. Live music in Farrens with Bullet. Sunday 10th: Family Car Treasure Hunt: €10. Register between 3pm – 4pm at Malin Head Community Centre. Live music in Farren's Bar with Felix Healy. Wednesday 13th: Fun Quiz in Farren's Bar. Proceeds in aid of the Community Centre. Thursday 14th: Talent Night in Farren's Bar. Friday 15th: 2pm: Annual Sports Day in Doc's field. Sports Dance in Malin Head Hall. Music by Capricorn. Admission including supper only €5. Live music in Seaview Tavern from 4pm – close. Live music in Farren's Bar with Mickey and Claire. Saturday 16th: Brian Glackin Memorial Cup in Doc's field at 6pm – see posters for details. Memorial Cup Presentation and Barbeque Doherty's Bar, Umgal 9.30pm. Farrens Bar live music with John Harley. Sunday 17th: Annual Saddle Rock Sponsored Swim at Port Mor Pier - 3pm sharp, in aid of Foyle Search and Rescue. Contact Anne Marie Coffey on 085 108707 for sponsorship forms. Farren's Bar live music with Borderland. Be there! Enquiries to Malin Head Community Centre. Follow us on Facebook or e-mail malinheadcommunity@hotmail.com

Heritage Booklet: The new Summer edition of Malin Head News and Heritage Booklet is now available in the local shops and in Maureen Matties. There are some copies of back issues available in Mullin's Shop.

Heritage Display: Anyone who missed the last Heritage display will have a further chance to view on Wednesday 27th August from 6pm to 9pm in Malin Head Hall.

Glengad FC 200 Club: The club is currently launching a 200 club with the draws due to commence in September and every month after. Tickets available from all club members or can be contacted by e-mail, phone details below if you wish to purchase any. Costs for the year are €20 per month or alternatively four payments of €50, two of €100 or a one off payment of €200. The excellent prizes on offer EVERY month are €1,000, €500, €250 and €100. Remember if you're not in you can't win!!!

Malin RNLI: Fun, frolics and music on the green on 3rd August starting from 3pm. 3pm: fun and frolics to include Archery, Golf Chipping, bale rolling, spud gathering, wellie throwing, turf footing, bouncy castles etc . 4pm: walking treasure hunt. 4pm - 6pm: music by Malin's talented musicians – Caroline Glackin and Matthew Crampsey. 5pm: Cooking demo by the famous no salt chef Brian McDermott. 6pm: Tug-O-War. Followed by DISCO in the Malin Hotel. All proceeds to benefit Lough Swilly RNLI & Irish Coast Guard Greencastle. A fun day in Malin for all the family.

Scoil Treasa Naofa, Malin (Old School 1951- 1984) Reunion will be held in the Malin Hotel on Saturday, 9th August 2014. Tickets are €20 which includes a 3 course meal and dancing to Shunie. Tickets are available in Malin Cash Stores, Bogg's Butchers and in McClean's Shop or by contacting Siobhan 0879450666, Evelyne 087630804, Orla 0863696137.

Afternoon teas will be served in Malin Presbyterian Church Hall each Saturday during July and August from 2.30pm - 5pm. Also books and home-made greetings cards etc. on sale. Teas are €3 and everyone is very welcome.

Malin Church Dance: Come along to Malin Church Dance on Friday 8th August, in the Malin Hotel. Music by Outbound Express, admission €5. Dancing 10pm - 1:30am. Door prizes, spot prizes and raffles on the night. Everyone welcome.

Rashenny N.S: An Open Day will take place in the school on Wednesday August 6th from 11am to 4pm to mark the 175th Anniversary of the school. All welcome. A commemorative booklet will be on sale on the day.

Colgan Hall 10th Annual Art Exhibition taking place August Bank Holiday Weekend. Sunday 11am - 5pm, Bank Holiday Monday 12am - 5pm and Tuesday 5th 10am - 5pm. All Welcome.

Night Prayer for Families

God our Father, I come to say: thank you for your love today; thank you for my family and all the friends you give to me. Guard me in the dark of night and in the morning send your light. Amen.