

**Parish of Malin (Clonca)
Second Sunday of Lent**

**Sunday 1st March 2015
(Year B – 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 at 9.30am.
Malin Oratory: Friday at 10am.
Star of the Sea Church, Malin Head: Monday and Wednesday at 10am. Tuesday and Friday at 7.30pm.
St. Mary's Church, Lagg: Thursday at 9.30am.

Saints Days:

Wednesday 4th March: St Casimir
Thursday 5th March: St Kieran
Saturday 7th March: St Perpetua

Month's Mind Mass: For Kathleen McLaughlin, Ublereagh in St. Mary's Church on Sunday 1st March at 9am.

Anniversary Mass: For John E Doherty, Sheskin, Bree in Star of the Sea Church on Saturday 7th March at 8pm.

Anniversary Mass: For Sadie McGinley, Ballygorman in Star of the Sea Church on Saturday 11th April at 8pm.

Anniversary Mass: For Mary Anne and Rodger Doherty, Lower Braghey in Star of the Sea Church on Saturday 14th March at 8pm.

Anniversary Mass: For Jim and Jeannie Farren, Kittycara in St. Patrick's Church on Saturday 14th March at 6pm.

Anniversary Mass: For Robert John Synott in St. Patrick's Church on Sunday 29th March at 10.30am.

Parish Stations during Lent:

Friday 13th March: Madeline and Paddy Mc Laughlin, Ross Head.

Friday 20th March: Annie Hunter, Slieveban.

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	650	165	325
Restoration	650	165	335

Parish Fund –	€1,140
Restoration Fund –	€1,150

Lourdes Hospitalite Collection: There will be a second collection (after Communion) at next weekend Masses. The annual diocesan collection is the main funder for the care of sick pilgrims from all over the diocese. Prayer cards for the success of the pilgrimage will also be available in all churches.

Grow in Faith during Lent: An opportunity to deepen our understanding of our faith and what it means for us in our lives will be provided each Sunday during Lent in Connolly Home at 6.30pm. All welcome.

Trocaire Boxes are at the back of each of the churches. The support of those in need is an essential part of our journey during Lent.

Station Masses during Lent: If anyone would like to have Mass in their home during Lent, please contact Fr Logue or Fr Devlin.

Malin Parish Confirmation Preparation Programme: Malin Parochial Hall, Thursday 5th March at 7pm, for children, (Donegal youth service information awareness on substances). Retreat Saturday 7th March 12am – 4.30pm., for children (Iosa centre and Celtic Prayer garden). Confirmation Saturday 28th March, at 11am in Aughaclay.

Malin Parish Baptism Preparation Group will be meeting parents and godparents on Wednesday 4th March at 8pm in Connolly Home. The purpose is to help parents understand the meaning and importance of baptism in our journey of faith and to support them in their role as parents. In a relaxed and informal gathering we hope that it will be an enjoyable experience for all.

First Communion 2015 will be celebrated on 9th May at 11am in St Patrick's Church Aughaclay for the children of Glengad and Malin Town schools. It will be celebrated on 16th May for the children of Malin Head and Urblereagh schools.

First Confession 2015 will be celebrated in St Patrick's Aughaclay on Tuesday 10th March at 6pm for children of Malin Town NS and Glengad NS.

Children's celebration of Easter will take place on Saturday 21st March in St Patrick's Hall, Malin Town. Artwork preparation, discussions and refreshments concluding with children's Mass at 6pm in St Patrick's Church, Aughaclay. For all children of the parish from First Communion class upwards.

John Paul II Award: The Parish is delighted to offer our congratulations to Danielle Mc Laughlin, Ross Head who recently was awarded the John Paul II award. She has given time and energy to helping in Youth work in the parish and reading in Aughaclay Chapel.

Alzheimers collection: The total amount collected was €612. Thank you for your support.

Malin GAA: There was no winner of this week's lotto jackpot of €800. Sequence drawn was 2-3-7-5-4-1-6. €50 winner was Jennifer Monagle, Drumaville. €20 seller's prize winner was Bronagh McCarron. Next week's jackpot is €850. Ulster League Fixture: Malin V Eglis in Connolly Park @ 12pm on Sunday 1st March.

Glengad FC: Sunday, 1st March Glengad v Clonmany 2pm. Glengad Res v Aileach Res 11am.

Malin Head Community Sports Field Draw: The jackpot was not won in the Malin Head Community Sports Field Draw on Sunday 22nd February. The bonus prize of €50 was won

by Mary B Houton, Middletown, with ticket number 35. The numbers drawn were 6-7-1-5-3-4-5. Next week's jackpot is €1,450.

New Five Alive Weekly Draw: This is the start of the 2015 Malin Head Community Association 5 Alive Draw. There are still places available and we would appreciate your support. The winning number for 21st February is 28. Winners this week are Evelyn Mattie and Margaret McNulty. Thank you to the community for your continued support.

Malin Parish Draw: The winners for Sunday 22nd February are: 1. €200: Bridie Mc Daid, Killourt, Malin Head. 2. €130: Boggs family, Malin Town. 3. €65: Mary A. Kelly, Ballymena.

Malin Bingo: Bingo is held in St Patrick's Hall, Malin every Sunday night at 8.30pm. Winners for Sunday 22nd February are: €65: Teish Crua, Glengad. €130: Joanne Ruddy, Glengad; Sadie Monagle, Dunegard, Malin Head; Mary Mc Donald, Killian, Malin; Rose O'Donnell, Carndonagh. Next week's Snowball is €500 on 46 numbers; €300 on 48 numbers.

Living History Competition: Application forms for Malin Head Heritage Group's third Living History Competition are now available from your local National School, Mullin's Shop, Jim Rudden, Denis Doherty (Owenie), Nell Gallagher, John O Hagan, Elaine Mc Daid and candtdoherty@eircom.net. All students are encouraged to enter. The more entries, the more of our past is recorded. This time we are focusing on cures, local superstitions, fairy stories, myths and faith in everyday life. First prize is €50.

Malin Head Community Centre: Monday: Guitar lessons 5pm - 7pm. Art 7pm. Whist 8.30pm. Sea Rovers 6.30pm. Tuesday: Zumba 10am. Sea Rovers 7pm. Wednesday: Irish dancing 6.30pm. Drama 7.30pm. Set dancing 8.30pm. Thursday: Sea Rovers 7pm. Friday: Youth Club 7pm & 8pm.

Irish dancing classes on every Wednesday at 4pm and every Saturday at 12.30pm in the Malin GAA, for boys and girls aged 3 and up. Suitable for all levels. For more information contact Donna 0862615755

Malin Head Defibrillator Group: The CPR defibrillator course which was due to take place on Monday, 2nd March has been cancelled due to unforeseen circumstances. The course will now take place on Monday, 13th April.

Malin Head National School are opening a good as new upstairs in G&S, Carndonagh from March 2nd to April 4th. We are looking for donations of clothes, shoes, toys, bric-a-brac, books etc. We will have a couple of hours during a few days at the end of the month where people can drop off donations, dates will be confirmed. Everything will be greatly appreciated. Also, if anyone can offer their services for a shift in the shop we would be very grateful. We are in particular need of people to do evening shifts from 1.30pm to 5pm. If anyone can help in any way please contact Christina on 0851636865.

Malin Branch of the Irish Wheelchair Association will hold their AGM in the Connolly Foundation, Malin on Friday 13th March at 1.30pm.

Bocan Drama Group presents "Separate Beds", coming to Malin Head Community Centre on Friday 13th March. Family concessions!

Fun Quiz on Monday, 16th March in Farren's Bar in aid of The Palliative Care Department in Galway University Hospital. Please support this worthy cause!

Community School Annual Fund Raising Ceili: For one year only the Ceili will be held in the Colgan Hall! Why? Because the Aras and P.E. Project will not be ready until April. The Ceili is on Friday 6th March from 9pm until midnight. Music is by Martin Doogan. Admission is €5 including supper. Everybody welcome.

Community Development: A public meeting will take place in the Malin Hotel on Friday, 13th March at 8pm. The aim of this meeting is to try to set up a Malin Parish Community Text Alert System. Venessa Clarke from Muintir Na Tire, National Association for the promotion of Community Development will be attending this meeting and will provide us with relevant information. Also Sgt Paul Wallace who is the Crime Prevention Officer for Donegal will be present on the night. We urge all parish members to attend this meeting.