

Parish of Malin (Clonca) Sunday 30th August 2015
Twenty - Second Sunday in Ordinary Time (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 and Tuesday at 9.30am. First Friday at 7pm.

Malin Oratory: Friday at 10am.

Star of the Sea Church, Malin Head: Tuesday at 10am. First Friday at 7.30pm.

St. Mary's Church, Lagg: Thursday at 9.30am.

Saints Days:

Monday 31st August: St Aidan of Lindisfarne

Thursday 3rd September: St Gregory the Great

Friday 4th September: St Mac Nissi

Anniversary Mass: For Edward McCole, Camata in St. Patrick's Church on Saturday 29th August at 6pm.

Month's Mind Mass: For Anne Toland, Westown in Star of the Sea Church on Saturday 29th August 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 |
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| Parish | 570 | 135 | 300 |
| Restoration | 570 | 140 | 295 |

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| Parish Fund – | €1,005 |
| Restoration Fund – | €1,005 |

Malin Parish Pilgrimage to Knock on Saturday 26th September as part of the Derry Diocesan Pilgrimage. Early booking essential. Contact William Doherty 086 0629085 or email: dohertywilliam@hotmail.com. Full details and price later.

Bus to Knock for Our Lady of Miraculous Medal on Saturday 12th September overnight stay for Grandparents day on 13th September. Full cost £90 or €120 for accommodation, meals and bus. Payment in advance. Tel. N.I. 00353749320734 or 003537856427403 from R.O.I. Tel. 0749320734 or 0892245598

Bus to Knock for Padre Pio leaving 19th September returning 20th September. Full cost £90 or €120 for accommodation, meals and bus. Payment in advance. Tel N.I. 00353749320734 or 003537856427403 or R.O.I. Tel. 0749320734 or 0892245598.

Mass for Bikers: Mass will be celebrated on Sunday 6th September at 1.30pm in St Aengus' Church, Burt, Co.Donegal for motor biker's. A time to pray, a time to remember all those bikers who have lost their lives in recent times and a time to ask for God's blessing. After the Mass all the bikes and riders will be blessed. A collection will be taken up at this Mass for the RNLI and a short bike run to the Ned's Point RNLI station for refreshment. All are very welcome. Please let any friends who are bikers know. The chapel is on the main Derry to

Letterkenny the N13, about 3 minutes from the border.

St. Patrick's Hall, Malin: Tenders are requested for supply and fitting of a new kitchen for the parish Hall. For full details contact Fr Devlin. 074 93 70615.

Church-gate collection for Malin Parish Youth raised €512. Thanks for your generosity.

MA in Catholic School Leadership: Working in partnership with Saint Mary's College, Twickenham, the Derry Diocesan Catechetical Centre will offer the MA in Catholic School Leadership beginning Autumn 2015. This is a post graduate degree dedicated to the professional development and spiritual formation of Catholic leaders. It is a great opportunity for those who aspire to leadership roles or with an interest in the Catholic School system. If you require any further information please contact The Derry Diocesan Catechetical Centre 02871264087 or email tferry@derrydiocese.org

Malin parish schools have a Job Bridge position for a classroom/general assistant commencing September 2015. Please contact Fr. Devlin on 0749370615 for further details. Usual Job Bridge conditions apply.

Malin Head Sports Committee meeting on Tuesday 1st September at 8.30pm in the meeting room in Star of the Sea Church.

Malin Head Community Sports Field Draw: The jackpot was not won in the Malin Head Community Sports Field Draw on Sunday 23rd August. The bonus prize of €50 was won by Sinead Moriarty, Carnmalin, Malin Head with ticket number 177. The numbers drawn were 2-4-7-3-5-6-1. Next week's jackpot is €2,150.

Malin Head Community Associations 5 Alive Draw: The winning number for Saturday 22nd August is 17. Winners this week are Margaret Glackin and Celia Boyce. Thank you to the community for your continued support. There are still places available.

Malin Parish Draw: The winners for Sunday 23rd August are: 1. €200: Henry Mc Closkey, Drumcarbit, Malin. 2. €130: Gerardine and Jimmy Doherty, Bunn, Glengad. 3. €65: Tom and Monica Doherty, Ballymena, Glengad.

Malin Bingo: Bingo is held in St Patrick's Hall, Malin every Sunday night at 8.30pm. Winners for Sunday 23rd August are: €130: Paddy Doherty, Glengad; Emer O'Brien, Culdaff; George Mc Daid, Glengad and Michelle Hunter, Malin Head. Next week's Snowball is €500 on 46 numbers; €300 on 48 numbers.

Glengad FC: Sunday 30th August - Premier Division Glengad Utd v Merville. 2pm. Reserve Shield Buncrana Res v Glengad Res 11am. Lotto draw 19th August numbers 5-16-19-25. €20 winners: Carmel Kelly; Roy Kelly and Mary B Doherty. Jackpot €4,750.

Malin Head Youth Club: Registration for Malin Head youth club for 2015-2016 will be on Friday 4th September from 8pm - 9pm. The youth club will be starting the following Friday 11th September at 8pm. A.G.M. will be on Tuesday 29th September at 8pm.

Malin GAA: Radio NaGaeltachta Senior Championship fixture: Sunday 30th August – Gaoth Dobhair V Malin in Magheragallen, Gaoth Dobhair at 3pm, reserves at 1.30pm. All support

welcome. There was no winner of this week's jackpot of €2,100. The numbers drawn were 3-2-5-6-7-4-1 and the €50 winner was Gráine Byrne, Beagh with the €20 seller's prize going to Christopher McLaughlin, Aughuclay. Next week's jackpot is €2,150.

Fun Quiz in Farren's Bar in aid of Ulblereagh National School on Friday 4th September at 10pm, All support welcome.

A Herbal Walk will take place on Saturday 5th September at 3pm, meeting at Sea Rovers football pitch at Gortnamullan. Contact Teresa O'Hagan on 0868476845.

The Cairn Theatre Group presents "The Light of other Days" in The Cairn, Greencastle. Every Tuesday evening at 8pm (to the end of September). The highs and lows of life in the Irish countryside with popular songs, humorous drama and Irish dance. Enquiries: Tel: 9381104.

Inishowen Development Partnership are delivering a FETAC Spreadsheet Methods (Excel) Level 4 course which will be held in the Sliabh Sneacht Centre, Drumfries starting on Monday 7th September from 7pm – 10pm x 10 wks. For more information about this course, or to register a place for yourself please ring Katie or Maureen on 074 9362218 or email reception@inishowen.ie

Inishowen Women's Information Network will hold an AGM in their offices 18 Millbrae Heights, Carndonagh, Co.Donegal on Friday 4th September at 7pm all welcome.

The Parable of a Child by Steve Goodier: There is a difference between education and experience. Education is what you get from reading the small print. Experience is what you get from not reading it! But isn't it true that great learning comes from both education and experience? Let me tell you a parable: A young school teacher had a dream that an angel appeared to him and said, "You will be given a child who will grow up to become a world leader. How will you prepare her so that she will realize her intelligence, grow in confidence, develop both her assertiveness and sensitivity, be open-minded, yet strong in character? In short, what kind of education will you provide that she can become one of the world's truly great leaders?" The young teacher awoke in a cold sweat. It had never occurred to him before—any one of his present or future students could be the person described in his dream. Was he preparing them to rise to Any position to which they may aspire? He thought, 'How might my teaching change if I knew that one of my students were this person?' He gradually began to formulate a plan in his mind. This student would need experience as well as instruction. She would need to know how to solve problems of various kinds. She would need to grow in character as well as knowledge. She would need self-assurance as well as the ability to listen well and work with others. She would need to understand and appreciate the past, yet feel optimistic about the future. She would need to know the value of lifelong learning in order to keep a curious and active mind. She would need to grow in understanding of others and become a student of the spirit. She would need to set high standards for herself and learn self discipline, yet she would also need love and encouragement, that she might be filled with love and goodness. His teaching changed. Every young person who walked through his classroom became, for him, a future world leader. He saw each one, not as they were, but as they could be. He expected the best from his students, yet tempered it with compassion. He taught each one as if the future of the world depended on his instruction. After many years, a woman he knew rose to a position of world prominence. He realized that she must surely have been the girl described in his dream. Only she was not one of his

students, but rather his daughter. For of all the various teachers in her life, her father was the best. I've heard it said that "Children are living messages we send to a time and place we will never see." But this isn't simply a parable about an unnamed school teacher. It is a parable about you and me—whether or not we are parents or even teachers. And the story, our story, actually begins like this: "You will be given a child who will grow up to become...." You finish the sentence. If not a world leader, then a superb father? An excellent teacher? A gifted healer? An innovative problem solver? An inspiring artist? A generous philanthropist? Where and how you will encounter this child is a mystery. But believe that one child's future may depend upon influence only you can provide, and something remarkable will happen. For no young person will ever be ordinary to you again. And you will never be the same.