

Parish of Malin (Clonca) Sunday 11th December 2016
The Third Sunday of Advent (Year A – Psalter Week 3)

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Mass Times
St. Patrick's Church - Saturday 6pm Sunday 10.30am
Star of the Sea Church - Saturday 8pm Sunday 12 noon

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Weekday Masses:

St. Patrick's Church, Aughaclay: Monday at 10am
Malin Oratory: Friday at 10am
Star of the Sea Church, Malin Head: Monday, Tuesday 10am and Friday 7:30
St. Mary's Church, Lagg: Thursday at 9:30am

Saints Days: Monday 12th December: *Our Lady of Guadalupe & St. Finnian*
 Tuesday 12th December: *St. Lucy*
 Wednesday 13th December: *St. John of the Cross*

Anniversary Mass: James Doherty, Buliban, on Saturday 10th December at 8pm in Star of the Sea Church.
Anniversary Mass: John Joe Kelly, Drumcarbit, on Sunday 11th December at 10 30am in St Patrick's Church.
First Anniversary: Philip Lafferty, Bunn Glengad, on Saturday 17th December at 6pm in St Patrick's Church.
Months Mind Mass: Eliza Doherty, Magherard/Nottingham on Saturday 31st December at 8pm in Star of the Sea Church.
Anniversary Mass: Mary McDaid, Bunn, Glengad, on Sunday 1st January at 10 30am in St Patrick's Aughaclay
Anniversary Mass: Ellen Farren, Gortnarrin, Culdaff on Saturday 14th January at 6pm in St Patrick's Aughaclay
Anniversary Mass: Jim Mullan, Bree, on Saturday 7th January 2017 at 8pm in Star of the Sea Church.

Confessions: Saturday in St. Patrick's Church, 5.15pm - 5.45pm and 7.15pm -7.45pm in Star of the Sea Church.

Collections for the last week: *Thank You.*

	Aughaclay	Lagg	Malin Head
Parish	600	140	280
Restoration	600	145	275

Parish Fund –	€1,020
Restoration Fund –	€1,020

Penitential Service for Christmas: Sunday 18th December at 6pm in St Patrick's Church, Aughaclay

Malin Parish Auction raised €6585 euros. Thanks to the organising committee, donors and supporters !!

Maintenance at St Patrick's Church Aughaclay: The inside gable wall at the doors end needs dry-lining due to dampness and the wainscoting along walls is warping and damaging radiators and electrical sockets. The proposed remedy is to remove the wainscoting. Any comments are welcome to Fr Devlin before Christmas.

Continuous Prayer for Marriage and Family Life: The Parish Council is exploring the possibility of Malin Parish taking responsibility for one day per month of continuous prayer. Fr Johnny Doherty will speak at Masses on the weekend of 7/8 January 2017.

Christmas Cards are now on sale at St. Anthony's Retreat Centre and Columba House, Derry. Proceeds from the sale of these cards go to St. Anthony's Retreat Centre, Burnfoot, Co. Donegal. IOSAS Centre and Celtic Prayer Garden 074 93 84866 www.celticprayergarden.com

The Net. The December edition of 'The Net' is now available. This month's coverage includes: Aghyaran Day of Renewal, Novena blessings for Cappagh and Christ the King Youth Choir, St Joseph's PS Drumquin Golden Jubilee, Drung harvest time thanksgiving, Dungiven Choir launches CD, Fahan Nazareth House thanks for garden funds, Galliagh marks St Joseph's Church 60th anniversary, and much more.

Malin Parish Draw: The winners for Sunday 4th Dec are: 1. €200: HESSIE DOHERTY, Glengad 2. €130: Kathy Doherty, Leitir. 3. €65: Aine Houton, c/o Margaret Houton, Carndonagh.

Malin Bingo is held in St Patrick's Hall, Malin every Sunday night at 8.30pm. Winners for Sunday 4th December are: Hamper inners: John E Doherty, Rasheeny. Turkey winners: Eileen Doherty, Rasheeny and Tracy Mc Laughlin, Malin Glen. €130: Bridget Harkin, Carmalin, Malin Head; Kathleen Doherty, Rasheeny; Mary Carroll, Gleneely. €65: Mary Jo Mc Clenaghan, Culdaff; Mary Billy, Glengad. Next week's Snowball is €500 on 46 numbers; €300 on 48 numbers.

Glengad Gym & Community Centre: Classes on daily and the gym is open 365 days a year 6am - 10pm

Malin Head Community Centre Classes: *Monday:* Whist at 8.30pm. *Tuesday:* Sewing 10am-12pm on first and third Tuesday of every month. Hair and Beauty 7-9pm. Photography: 7.30pm-9.30pm. *Wednesday:* Box Exercise: 9.30am. Children's Irish Dancing from 6.30 - 8pm. Kids Drama 7.45 - 8.45pm. Set Dancing at 8.30pm. Heritage Group: every 2nd Wed 7pm-9pm. *Thursday:* Lunch Club at Northern Bites 12pm-2pm (new members welcome), After Schools Club. *Friday:* Youth Club – 8 - 11pm. **New Course:** Gymnastics starting 14th January 2017. 11.30am-12.30pm: 4-8 year olds 12.30pm-1.30pm: 8 years+6 week course: €30 must be paid in advance due to demand and limited places.

Malin Head Bazaar: The Annual Bazaar will be held on this Sunday, 11th December at 3pm in Malin Head Community Centre. Great variety of prizes! Fun day out! Visit Santa in his grotto! And the wonderful Live Nativity scene! Don't miss the chance to win amazing prizes, including a 40 inch 4K Samsung smart TV! If you're not in, you can't win! Hope to see you there!

St. Stephen's Day Swim: Swim off the turkey and ham and all those chocolates in aid of Malin Head Community Centre: contact Kevin Farren 086 8352073 for further details and lines.

Malin Head Calendar for 2017 is available locally with breathtaking local scenes! The perfect gift for friends and family away from home!

Malin Head Heritage Group plan to explore and record the history of the local townlands over the new few years. Starting with Ballyhillion, we are looking for family histories of the Ballyhillion homes, old place names, photos - any information at all. If you can help please contact Nell Gallagher or Teresa (Mullin) Doherty at candtdoherty@eircom.net 087 2674857. **New Malin Heritage Booklet:** Available in local shops. Just €2.

The Five Alive Draw in aid of Malin Head Community Hall for Saturday, 3rd December was won by Pat Rodger and Barbara and Noel Babby, with number 44. Thank you to the community for your support.

Community Sports Field Draw: The jackpot was not won in the Malin Head Community Sports Field Draw for Sunday 4th December. Bonus winner was Barbara Doherty, WestDenis Kelly, Killlourt, Malin Head, with numbers drawn: 5,7,1,4,5,3,2 with ticket number 168. Next week's jackpot is €2650.

Malin GAA: The lotto jackpot of €550 was won by Katie Gibbons, Malin Head. The seller's prize went to Stephen Farren. The numbers drawn were 7-3-1-5-4-2-6. Next week's jackpot is €500. **Calendars:** The club are featured on a Wild Atlantic Way calendar which contains many spectacular pictures along the route. The club are selling these priced at €10 from the club shop or any committee member. This would make a lovely present to send to friends or relatives who may be living abroad. Contact John Byrne for further details on 0862507380.

Facility Bookings: All bookings for sports hall/gym should be made through Susan Byrne 0867832242. All bookings for pitch should be made through Gerard Mc Laughlin 0868704255. All bookings for upstairs/ function room should be made through John Mc Laughlin 0863858654. Remember the clubhouse is available for private functions/parties with stage, sound system, kitchen, bar and toilet facilities – contact John on the above number. **Club Shop:** The Club Shop is open every Saturday from 12.00pm to 2pm and Sunday from 11.20am to 2pm or alternatively contact Susan Byrne on 9370638 or 0867832242. The shop stocks a great range of in all sizes including coats, jackets, hoodies, tracksuits, socks, shorts, hats, gear bags and much more club merchandise. The club facebook page has a picture of some of the many items available along with a pricelist. **Pool Room** is now open every Saturday and Sunday evenings from 8:00pm to 11:00pm. in the clubhouse for anyone looking to play a game of pool. **Jiving Lessons** continue in the clubhouse every Monday from 9pm to 10pm with Josie &

Catriona. €5 per person. **Irish Dancing** in the clubhouse every Wednesday from 4:00 to 5:15pm and every Friday 4:00 to 5:30 for boys and girls from age 3 upwards. All beginners welcome, competitive and non-competitive dancers. Contact Donna for details 0862615755. Charlie Byrne Health and Fitness is now running exercises classes in the New Get Fit Gym at the Malin Gaa Clubhouse. Mixed morning classes at 6:30am and 9:30am, Ladies only class at 6:30pm and Indoor cycling at 7:30pm on Monday, Wednesday and Friday. Men's class on Tuesday and Thursday at 7:30pm. €5 per class or €60 for all classes for 6 weeks. The New Get Fit Gym at the Malin GAA Centre has now gift vouchers available. Perfect for a Christmas gift. For existing club members a 1 year gym membership costs €100 and for new or non-existing members is €120. Charlie Byrne Health & Fitness gift vouchers also available for fitness classes, personal training and nutrition programs. Call into gym at any time or call Charlie on 0874103782 or contact on Facebook.

JCM Hospital Adult Training Unit Charity Shop across from Kelly's Filling Station, Millbrae, Carndonagh, running until Christmas.

Carndonagh Community School Fifth Year Leaving Cert Applied Class: Charity Shop "TWICE AS NICE" every Friday from 9.00 am until 3.00pm in Unit Five. Entrance is by the gate beside the Boys Primary School. All welcome. **Carndonagh Community School Transition Year Students** present a Christmas Craft Fair will be held on Friday, 16th December from 11.00am. until 6.00pm. in The Aras. Christmas Crafts, Hand Made Decorations and Home Baking will be on sale.