

KILLEADAN

MASSES:

Saturdays /Eve of Holidays: 7.30pm

Sundays / Holy Days: 11am

All Weekdays: 10am

Friday evenings: 7.30pm

Craggagh Community Centre: 9.30am

CONFESSIONS:

Saturdays: 2 - 3pm & 7 - 7.20pm

First Fridays: 7 - 7.20pm

ADORATION:

Every Wednesday: 10.30-8pm

Every Thursday: 10.30am - 8pm

Every Friday: 10.30am - 7.30pm



CHURCH OF THE HOLY FAMILY

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MASSES FOR THE WEEK

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| Saturday | 16 Feb | 7.30pm | ~ MICHAEL CHARLTON, Ballyglass |
| | | | ~ MAUREEN WALSH, Goulboy and deceased family members |
| | | | ~ FRANK WALSH, Treenlaur - 1st Anniversary |
| Sunday | 17 Feb | 9.30am | Craggagh: JOHN MURTAGH, Laragan, and deceased family members |
| Saturday | 23 Feb | 7.30pm | ~ JAMES & EILEEN LAVIN, Pulronaghane |
| | | | ~ DERMOT COYNE, Main Street |

RECENT DEATH: Your prayers are asked for the following: AMY GILL, Coolaught; MAUREEN NELSON, Manchester, formerly Maureen Lavin, Garryroe, sister of the late J.P. Lavin; MAUREEN CONWAY, Kinaffe; MARY KATHLEEN (Kay) KELLY, New York, sister of Tom Kelly, Carrendine

MINISTERS OF THE WORD

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| Saturday | 16 Feb | 7.30pm | Margaret Carney | Paul Cleary |
| Sunday | 17 Feb | 11am | Kathleen Tarpey | Danny Doherty |
| Saturday | 23 Feb | 7.30pm | Dympna Evers | Tom Moriarty |
| Sunday | 24 Feb | 11am | Eithne Mullaney | Aidan Staunton |

ALTAR SERVERS ROTA

| Day | Date | Time | Team | Day | Date | Time | Team |
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| Saturday | 16 Feb | 7.30pm | Team 1 | Sunday | 17 Feb | 11am | Team 2 |
| Saturday | 23 Feb | 7.30pm | Team 3 | Sunday | 24 Feb | 11am | Team 3 |

MINISTERS OF HOLY COMMUNION FOR FEBRUARY 2019

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| 7.30pm | Deirdre Cleary | Petua Mooney | Eadhonn Mac Suibhne |
| 11am | Bridie Doherty | Mary Kenny | Anne Forde |

KILTIMAGH SOCIAL SERVICES ROTA FOR FEBRUARY 2019

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| 3rd | Jeanette & Fintan Carroll | Driver: Seamus Corry/Gerry Gill |
| 10th | Eileen Glynn | Butcher: Conlons |
| 17th | Bernie Corry | Grocer: Carrolls |
| 24th | Margaret Freeman | |

EUCCHARISTIC ADORATION THANKSGIVING: An afternoon of Thanksgiving for Eucharistic Adoration will be held in the Pastoral Centre, Charlestown on Sunday, 24th Feb from 4-6pm. The afternoon begins with Words of Welcome followed by quiet adoration, talk, introduction to the Diocesan Committee, and questions and answer session. The afternoon concludes with tea, refreshments and exchange of ideas on promoting and supporting adoration across the diocese. There will be a Literature Stand with leaflets and booklets suitable for adoration on display. It is hoped that all parishes in the diocese will be represented at this afternoon of Thanksgiving. All welcome to attend.

CHOIR WORKSHOP IN KNOCK: A workshop for choirs hosted by the Irish Church Music Association will be held in Knock Parish Church on Thursday, 28th Feb from 7.30-9.30pm. Music will be provided. Cost is €10 per person.

For reservations, contact Knock Shrine by phone on 094 9375355 or email faithrenewal@knockshrine.ie

LOURDES PILGRIMAGE COLLECTION: The annual Achonry Lourdes Collection takes place this weekend, 16th/17th February. Dates of the pilgrimage this year are August 29th - September 3rd. Each year the Pilgrimage brings about 30 people in the sick section. This collection helps to cover some of the cost involved. A Triduum of Masses has been offered in Lourdes for your kindness towards the pilgrimage.

PARISH PASTORAL COUNCIL & FINANCE COMMITTEE: Next meeting will be on Monday, 18th February at 8pm in St. Joseph's Chapel.

HOLY HOUR OF EUCCHARISTIC HEALING with hymns, readings, reflections and quiet prayer will take place in Charlestown Church, Sunday, 17th February at 6pm. All are welcome to attend.

CHURCH REFURBISHMENT FUND

Continued thanks to everyone for your generosity and support. To make contribution direct to the Refurbishment account in Kiltimagh Credit Union, the account numbers are as follows: Holy Family Church A/c 5877
Electronic transfer: IBAN: IE51KDCU99217699530509 BIC: KDCUIE21XXX

TOWARDS PEACE

Towards Peace is a service offering spiritual support to those who have experienced abuse perpetrated by Church personnel, individually or institutionally. The vision of *Towards Peace* is to provide a safe supportive space for people and their families, whose spiritual life has been damaged by abuse. It is also a responsive to the continually growing understanding of the spiritual impact of the trauma of abuse. *Towards Peace* provides spiritual support through one-to-one spiritual direction sessions, with a qualified spiritual companion. If you have been abused and would like a space to reflect on the impact of the trauma of abuse on your own relationship with God and spirituality, *Towards Peace* is here for you. You can call 01 505 3028, 086 7710533 or go online at www.towardspeace.ie. There are up to 12 sessions available and these sessions are free.

PRO LIFE CAMPAIGN Church gate collection takes place on 23/24 Feb. This campaign promotes and defends human life at all stages, from conception to natural death. It also campaigns for resources to support and assist pregnant women and those in need of healing after abortion.

SEEING YOUR LIFE THROUGH THE EYES OF THE GOSPEL - Luke 5:1-11

- (1) We are told that Jesus 'fixed his eyes on the disciples' before speaking. This suggests that he was about to say something that he really wanted them to take in. Surprisingly he then tells them it is no bad thing for us to be poor or hungry. But perhaps you have recognised the truth in what St. Augustine said, 'You have made us for yourself, O Lord, and our hearts are restless until they rest in you.'
- (2) 'Blessed are you who weep' is not an encouragement to be miserable. Rather it is an affirmation of the importance of loving relationships in life. We are blessed to have such people in our lives, but there may also be pain. Yet is it not true that the blessing of loving and being loved is worth the price you pay?
- (3) Jesus said that his followers would be open to opposition and ridicule because of him, and that they are blessed when this happens. Unpleasant it may be, but have you not been grateful on those occasions when you have the courage to stand by something that you believed in?

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MASS BEGINS: The opening parts of the Mass are called the Introductory Rites. When the priest arrives at the altar he kisses it. This is a sign of respect. He then goes to the special chair which is near the altar. We call this the 'Presider's Chair'. The priest leads us in prayer from this chair. We all make the Sign of the Cross together. This is the way we begin almost all our prayers. The priest then says, 'The Lord be with you.' and we answer by saying, 'And with your spirit.' This is a special way of greeting us and reminds us that God is always with us. The priest then introduces the Penitential Act.

COMMUNITY NOTICES

COMMUNITY GAMES: A meeting of Kiltimagh Community Games takes place in the Community Centre on Monday 18th Feb at 8.30pm. The last committee stepped down at meeting held last year but are facilitating this meeting in the hope that some parents will step up and get involved. Kiltimagh has a long association with Community Games nationally and it would be a shame for it to end. If you have a child interested in community games or would you like to become involved in them, please show your support and come along to the meeting.

CONTACT SOCIAL: There was a very enjoyable evening when the Contact group met in the Parish Centre last week. Our very reliable friends Ollie Burke, Michael Griffin, Eilish Quinn and Jodie Durcan provided excellent music and song, and our good friend Ann Connell entertained us with her sean nós dancing. James Corcoran and Jodie Durcan recited some wonderful poetry for the group. Prizewinners on the night were Phil Creaby, Hilary Foley, James Corcoran, Bernie Reilly Kathleen Deacy and Bridie McSorley. The Contact group would like to see more new faces at their gatherings which is a lovely relaxed evening where friends gather to catch up on recent events, hear new stories, chat and enjoy the entertainment provided by the members themselves.

CRAGGAGH NATIONAL SCHOOL ENROLMENT: Craggagh N.S. are accepting enrolment applications for 2019/20 school year. Enrolment forms are available to download from our website www.CraggaghNS.ie or can be obtained by contacting the school 094 9365177 or emailing secretary@craggaghns.ie

ST. PATRICK'S FESTIVAL is fast approaching and preparations are well underway to make this the most amazing festival ever! We are delighted to announce that our friends from Manchester, the Oldham Scottish Pipe Band and also The Quaker City String Band from Philadelphia will be here with friends and family to celebrate St. Patrick's Weekend with us. Events over the weekend will include the annual concert in the Town Hall, Fireworks in the Sculpture Park, the big Parade and also a Gala Evening. Now is the time to decide on your float for the Parade. This year there will be a prize for best dressed window so if you have are business, or private householder, you can take part in the competition. There is no theme so the sky is the limit. We appeal to businesses and members of the public to enter a float in order to increase numbers, thus increasing the enjoyment of the Parade.

KILTIMGH TIDY TOWNS A.G.M. takes place in the Parish Centre, on Monday, 18th Feb at 9pm. Agenda will include discussions on painting projects, completion of basketball court, planter bed on James st., Grotto on Swinford Road, Major clean-up at the Museum. Please come along and get involved to keep our town a place to be proud of.

MEMORIAL CARD SERVICE available at The Copy Shop, Aiden St. Tel: 086 3938871/094 9282890. Also available at The Copy Shop are personalised candles and cards for Holy Communion, Confirmation, Weddings etc.