

# KILLEADAN PARISH NEWSLETTER

## MASSES:

Saturdays /Eve of Holidays: 7.30pm

Sundays /Holy Days: 11am

All Weekdays: 10am

Friday evenings: 7.30pm

Craggagh: Temporarily suspended

**CONFESSIONS:** St. Joseph's Chapel on

Saturdays at 2 pm or by appointment

**EXPOSITION:**

Every Friday: 10.30am - 7.30pm



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## **CHURCH WORKS:**

Due to works continuing on Main Entrance and St. Joseph's Chapel areas of the church over the months ahead, **please enter by side door until further notice.** For safety reasons, an exit route is available via sacristy. **Adoration of the Blessed Sacrament** on Thursdays and Fridays will be in the **Parish Centre**. Please note Adoration on Thursday will end at 7pm.

		<b>THIRTY - THIRD WEEK IN ORDINARY TIME</b>	
		<b>JAMES &amp; MARY GALLAGHER, Walshtown</b>	
		<b>THOMAS &amp; MARY WALSH, Derryvohey</b>	
		<b>33rd SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME • World Day of the Poor – PEOPLE OF THE PARISH</b>	
		<b>SEAMUS &amp; ELEANOR FORDE &amp; deceased of FORDE &amp; QUINN Families</b>	
		<b>The Presentation of the Blessed Virgin Mary – The Faithful Departed</b>	
		<b>St Cecilia – The Faithful Departed</b>	
		<b>St Columban – The Faithful Departed</b>	
		<b>33rd week in Ordinary Time</b>	
		<b>MASS OF REMEMBRANCE for those who died since last November</b>	
		<b>&amp; all the deceased</b>	
		<b>GEORGE LEE, Ballinamore, Month's Mind</b>	
		<b>MICHAEL &amp; BRIDIE CORLESS &amp; deceased of CORLESS &amp; QUINN Families</b>	
		<b>DAN DEMPSEY, daughters NESSA &amp; LENORE, son in law PAUL FINLAY MULLIGAN &amp; deceased of DEMPSEY, WALSH &amp; FINLAY MULLIGAN Families</b>	
		<b>LOUIE CLEARY, Station View/James St, 1st Anniversary</b>	
		<b>HENRY KING, Ballyglass, 1st Anniversary</b>	
		<b>FEAST OF CHRIST THE KING - JOHN CAMPBELL, Kinaffe</b>	
		<b>FEAST OF CHRIST THE KING – PEOPLE OF THE PARISH</b>	
<b>Saturday</b>	<b>18 Nov 7.30pm</b>		
<b>Sunday</b>	<b>19 Nov 9.30am</b>		
	<b>11am</b>		
<b>Monday</b>	<b>20 Nov 10am</b>		
<b>Tuesday</b>	<b>21 Nov. 10am</b>		
<b>Wednesday</b>	<b>22 Nov 10am</b>		
<b>Thursday</b>	<b>23 Nov 10 am</b>		
<b>Friday</b>	<b>24 Nov 10 am</b>		
	<b>7.30pm</b>		
<b>Saturday</b>	<b>25 Nov 10am</b>		
	<b>7.30pm</b>		
<b>Sunday</b>	<b>26 Nov 9.30am</b>		
	<b>11am</b>		

**RECENT DEATH:** Pray for TOM McNICHOLAS, Treenagleragh whose funeral took place during the week.

**33rd SUNDAY – WORLD DAY OF THE POOR:** The poor we see with the eyes of flesh; they are there and we can put finger and hand in their wounds and the scars of the crown of thorns are visible on their foreheads; and at this point incredulity no longer has place and we should fall at their feet and say with the Apostle, Tu es Dominus et Deus meus (You are my Lord and my God!). You are our masters, and we will be your servants. You are for us the sacred images of that God whom we do not see, and not knowing how to love Him otherwise shall we not love Him in your person? (Blessed Frederic Ozanam)

**21 NOV. - PRESENTATION OF MARY.** This memorial originally marked the dedication of a sixth century church of the Virgin Mary near the Temple of Jerusalem. The feast is best linked with the other feasts of the birth of Mary (8th Sept) and of the Immaculate Conception (8th Dec). It highlights the holiness of Mary from the beginning of her life on earth that continued through her early childhood and beyond.

**22 NOV. ST CECILIA VIRGIN, MARTYR.** Though a late fourth century church in Rome was named after her, nothing is known of her life or death. Popular legends were written about her in the late 5th century, and in the 16th century she was named the patron of music. Honoured by the Church as a virgin, martyred for the faith, her name is included in Eucharistic Prayer I (The Roman Canon).

**23 NOV: PRAYER TO ST COLUMBAN -** Born in Leinster about 543; died on this day in 615 at Bobbio (Italy). A monk and teacher at Bangor until middle aged who left with twelve companions as "exiles for Christ" to found monasteries in Burgundy (France). He went on to extend the Irish mission through the Alps and into Italy. Author of a monastic rule and a penitential. Noted for his austerity of life, his missionary energy, and his role in the development of individual reconciliation.

Prayer: O Blessed Columban, who in your zeal to follow Christ left your homeland as a wanderer and spent your life in suffering and exile. Help and protect, we humbly ask you, the missionaries of our day who have devoted their lives to preaching the Gospel throughout the world. Obtain for them, we ask you, that same wisdom and fortitude by which you overcame the dangers, which beset your path. Assist and protect us dear St Columban to live for God's glory that when our pilgrimage is over, we may share with you in the joy of our heavenly home, through Christ our Lord. Amen. (The Prayer Trust)

**SUNDAY MASS TIME:** This weekend November 18th/19th Parish Pastoral Council members are giving parishioners present at Masses a slip of paper and pen as they enter the church to choose either 10am or 10.30am as the time for Sunday Mass beginning in the new year. Parishioners are requested to return completed slips and pens to Pastoral Council members as they leave the church. Parish Pastoral Council thanks everyone for their co-operation.

**PARISH PASTORAL COUNCIL** Meeting in Parish Centre this Monday November 20th at 8pm.

**MASS OF REMEMBRANCE** for all who died in our Parish since last November will be celebrated in Kiltimagh Church on Friday next Nov 24th at 7.30pm. A candle with each person's name will be available to be brought forward to the sanctuary by a family member or representative of them during the Mass. A candle with name will also be included for those who died outside our parish and for whom a candle was requested. Candles will be available for everyone present to bring forward to remember their own deceased loved ones.

**BAPTISM:** We welcome into the Christian Community Caela Grace Spindler, Bohola Road, who was baptized in Kiltimagh Church last weekend.

**POPE'S INTENTION FOR NOV:** For The Pope - We pray for the Holy Father; as he fulfills his mission, may he continue to accompany the flock entrusted to him, with the help of the Holy Spirit.

## MINISTERS OF THE WORD

Sat.	18 Nov	7.30pm	Marian Dunne	
Sun.	19 Nov	9.30am	Thomas/ Andrew Maloney	11am Ciara Roughneen - McDonagh
Sat	25 Nov	7.30pm	Gerry King	
Sun	26 Nov	9.30am	Thomas/Andrew Maloney	11am Eithne Mullaney

## MINISTERS OF HOLY COMMUNION

Sat.	18 Nov	7.30pm	Christina Cosgrove & Sarah Fitzgerald	
Sun.	19 Nov	9.30am	Jo Kelly & Monica Rowley	11am Siobhan Devine & John McHugh
Sat.	25 Nov	7.30pm	Pat Lavin & Eadhmon MacSuibhne	
Sun.	26 Nov	9.30am	Andrea Maloney & Tim Nichols	11am Anne English & Margaret Carney

## SERVERS

Sat.	18 Nov	7.30pm	Team 7	Sun. 19 Nov	9.30am	Team 8	11am Team 1
Sat.	25 Nov	7.30pm	Team 2	Sun. 26 Nov	9.30am	Team 3	11am Team 4

**BAPTISM:** We welcome into the Christian Community who was baptized in Kiltimagh Church last weekend.

## CHILDREN'S CORNER (Loyola Press)

God created us and gave us different talents, or things we are good at. God wants us to use the gifts he has given us to help others. In today's Gospel, Jesus tells a parable, or story. In the parable, he mentions a different type of talent, a type of coin. We hear what each of the three servants does with his talents. The first two servants used their talents. Their master rewarded them, but he punished the third servant. Why was the third servant punished? (He buried his talents.) What would happen if we had talents that we "buried" or didn't use? (We couldn't help people. We wouldn't get to enjoy them.) Let's not bury our talents! Make a plan to use one of your talents, something you are good at or that you like to help someone this week. Pray: Thank you, God, for the talents you have given us. We will use them to help others. Our Father...

## FAMILY PRAYER TIME (Loyola Press)

In today's Gospel, Jesus talks about the correlation between faithfulness and responsibilities. Family life provides many opportunities to illustrate this connection for children. As children prove themselves trustworthy, they can be trusted to take on greater responsibilities. Jesus teaches us in this parable that when we show ourselves to be trustworthy in small matters, we can be trusted to participate in greater matters of responsibility. As you gather as a family, take some time to recall how each child in the family has matured and can now be trusted with greater responsibilities. In today's Gospel, Jesus talked about how our trustworthiness in small matters shows that we can also be trusted to share in the work of serving the Kingdom of Heaven. Read Matthew 15:14-30. We share in the work of serving the Kingdom of Heaven when we use our talents to help and serve others. As a family, choose one thing to do this week to serve others. Conclude in prayer together, asking God's help so that your family may serve others more faithfully.

## SEEING YOUR LIFE THROUGH LENS OF THE GOSPEL - Thirty-Third Sunday in Ordinary Time (Intercom)

A gift given in love, is given to be enjoyed, treasured, and used. Through fear, one servant failed to recognise the loving trust being shown to him and buried the talent. When have you found that overcoming fear helped you to make the most of opportunities in life? On the level of our own personal life, faith is not given to us to be locked away, but to be 'traded' with. We trade with it when we believe in its value, trust it, and use it, bringing it into the experiences we have in daily life. Can you recall times when relying on your faith has brought you rewards? Likewise with our own personal gifts and talents. We can fall into the trap of seeing these as our personal possession so that we can do with them as we like, rather than share them as gifts so that they can be multiplied. What is your experience of hoarding or sharing your own gifts? When did you feel most alive? Pope Francis in his letter *The Joy of the Gospel* wrote, 'I invite everyone to be bold and creative in this task of rethinking the goals, structures, style and methods of evangelisation in their respective communities. The important thing is to not walk alone, but to rely on each other as brothers and sisters.'

**MASS FOR BEREAVED PARENTS & FAMILIES:** Mass for bereaved parents / grandparents this Sunday at 3pm in St John's Rest and Care Centre at Knock Shrine. Candles will be lit for all deceased children and their names read out during the Mass, which will be celebrated by Fr James Ronayne, PP Clifden. All are welcome."

**KNOCK BASILICA CONCERT - AN EVENING OF SONGS OF FAITH, HOPE AND LOVE** in Knock Basilica - Friday, 1st Dec, featuring Margo, Philomena Begley, Donna Taggart, John McNicholl and Marc Roberts. Tickets are available from Mary McNicholas, Victim Assistance Head Office, Aiden St., Kiltimagh. 094 9000 251/ 086 3938871. Price €30 from the office. Tickets also available from ticketmaster.ie Limited tickets available on the night.

**PIONEER PINS:** If anyone in the parish would like to receive their Silver or Gold Pioneer pin or become a member of the Achonry Pioneer Association, please email [achonrypioneers@gmail.com](mailto:achonrypioneers@gmail.com) or contact Thomas at 087-2344338 before 31st December 2023.

## COMMUNITY NOTICES

**EXPLORING CHRISTMAS TRADITIONS :**Join Salvador Ryan, professor of ecclesiastical history at St Patrick's Pontifical University, Maynooth, for a festive journey exploring the origins of Christmas traditions. This talk takes place at 3pm on Saturday, 2 December, at the National Museum of Ireland – Country Life, Turlough Park, Castlebar. We are so familiar with elements of the Christmas story, and the traditions which developed from it, that we can almost take them for granted. But where did these traditions come from? Some are very ancient while others are relatively recent. Find out more at this interactive event. Admission is free but booking is required. Telephone the bookings office on (094) 90 31751 or email [educationtph@museum.ie](mailto:educationtph@museum.ie).

**MEMORIAL CARD SERVICE/BOOKLETS** available from culchiePRINT, Aiden Street, Kiltimagh. 094 9000 219/086 3938871

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**CHURCH REFURBISHMENT FUND:** Thank you for your continued support and generosity. If you are a tax payer and contribute €250 or more over a year to the parish, please consider returning a CHY3 Form as soon as possible to enable tax reclaim by the parish on your donation. These CHY3 forms are available at the Church doors. 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