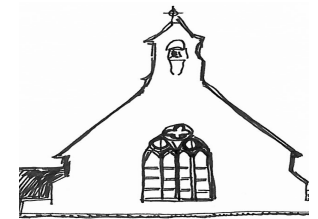


Parish of Killavullen & Annakisha

Second Week of Easter (April 28 – May 4)

19.16



Second Sunday of Easter: We celebrate the Eucharist with increased joy in these 50 days of Easter. **1st R.:** The resurrection strengthened people’s faith, which in turn caused many healing miracles to happen. **2nd Reading:** Christ holds the keys which lead to new life. **Gospel:** Jesus “appears” to his disciples through locked doors; yet Thomas is able to touch his wounds: the resurrection has both physical and spiritual dimensions. His message is of peace and mercy. We continue his work by building harmony and showing forgiveness.

A children’s colouring sheet about today’s Gospel is available from the Usher as you come to church.

Mass and other events this Week

Saturday Vigil Killavullen: 7.00pm

Confessions are celebrated from 6.40pm, prior to the Vigil Mass. At this Mass we welcome Shauna Marie O’Connor (Ross Street) to our Christian community by the Sacrament of Baptism. Welcome, Shauna!

Sunday: Annakisha: 10.00am Killavullen: 11.30am

Monday, Tuesday and Wednesday Killavullen 9.00am

No Mass on Thursday. An Hour of Eucharistic Adoration will take place next Thursday (May 2) at 7.30pm.

Friday, May 3 Killavullen 7.30pm

Sat., May 4 Communion for the 1st Time Annakisha 11.30am

May they rest in God’s embrace: Anniversaries: Arthur O’Keeffe (Annakisha); Eddie O’Shea. **Recent death:** Joseph Luddy (London).

Last weekend’s collections. Thank you for your generosity.

	<i>Annakisha</i>	<i>Killavullen</i>
Holy Places	Combined	€390

Easter Offerings - Thank you to all who contributed so generously to the Easter Offerings collection for the support of your priest.

Bon Mot: Contentment consists not in great wealth, but in few wants.

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Entrance: This is the day (x2)
That the Lord has made (x2)
Let us rejoice (x2) And be glad in it (x2)
This is the day that the Lord has made
Let us rejoice and be glad in it
This is the day (x2)
That the Lord has made

Recessional Hymn

Sing! Sing! Sing alleluia.
This is the day the Lord has made.
Dance! Dance! Dance alleluia. This is the day the Lord has made.
Let us rejoice and be glad. This is the day the Lord has made. Let us rejoice and be glad. This is the day.

The 2019 Cloyne Diocesan Pilgrimage to Knock will take place on Sunday May 12. A local bus will depart Killavullen that morning. Please contact Kathleen Hanley to reserve a place: 086-1556360.

New Shrines to the Sacred Heart and Our Lady in Killavullen will be blessed at Mass at Monday morning Mass. Each candle lit for someone else or your intention is left burning for one day as a reminder to all of your prayer, of your dedication to Jesus, and the intercession of his mother.

Young Christian Workers: The next meeting will take place on Saturday, May 4 in Killavullen Church Meeting Room following the 7.00pm Mass. All young adults are welcome. See ycw.ie or contact Leah McCarthy Cahill (087-3315117) or Fr. Gerard.

Lough Derg Pilgrimage Season 2019: A season guide to one day retreats and the traditional three day pilgrimages at St. Patrick’s Purgatory is available at doorways or see the poster at Church noticeboards.

Cork International Choral Festival: A choir from the festival will sing in Killavullen Church next Friday (May 3) at 11.00am; refreshments will follow in Killavullen NS. All are welcome.

From the Homily of Bishop William Crean during the Chrism Mass at St. Colman’s Cathedral, Cobh (17.4.2019): “I dream of a new era in the life of the Church as it seeks to adapt to a new social climate. As in physical climate change so too in the spiritual sphere, adaption and adjustment are required. ... Our parish structures are very old, a thousand years old, and have served us well as a way of organising our life in the Christian community. But no longer is that the case. As priests and people, we need to think beyond boundaries to make new bonds of connections with fellow believers in Christ. To do that we need to begin conversations to see why we need to adjust and adapt. Together inspired by the abiding action of the Holy Spirit we may begin to lay down new foundations for the Church of the future. Humanly speaking this call for adjustment and reconfiguration is a daunting task but we embrace it with confidence because of the abiding presence of the Holy Spirit.”

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