

Parish of Killavullen & Annakisha

Fourteenth Week of Ordinary Time (July 7-13)

1st Reading: God sends us peace; like a **Fourteenth Sunday:** child in its mother's arms, even so my soul. 2nd Reading: The cross and resurrection of Jesus has changed the meaning of suffering. **Gospel:** Jesus sends his disciples to share the work of healing and the Good News of a loving God.

A children's activity sheet based on 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 6.30pm, prior to the Vigil Mass.

Annakisha: 10.00am **Sunday:**

Killavullen: 11.30am Killavullen 9.00am

Note: No Mass of Friday

Monday to Thursday

Thursday (July 11) Weekly Holy Hour Killavullen 7.30pm

May they rest in God's embrace: John Buckley (Rahan); Dan O'Connell (Annakisha); Patrick and Denis O'Regan.

Last weekend's collections. Míle buíochas.

	Annakisha	Killavullen
Weekly Offering	€205	€655

The Second collection at this Mass is the monthly collection for Diocesan Purposes.

The Summer (Petrol) collection can be returned in the envelope included with the family box, or by using the special envelopes at church doors.

Baptism Preparation: A meeting will take place in the Parish Office on Monday, July 8 at 7.30pm for parents preparing for a baptism.

Comhghairdeas: To Eva Nagle (Ballymacmoy) on her marriage to Johnny O'Mahony at Killavullen Church last weekend; To Gerard Owens (Monanimy) on being awarded a gold pin to mark fifty years as a Pioneer. The pin was awarded at a recent PTAA Mass in Castletownroche.

Bon Mot: It is better to debate a question without settling it than to settle a question without debating it.

Entrance:

A new hymn of praise Let us sing to the Lord. Alleluia Alleluia, Alleluia, This is the day the Lord has made. Ransom for sin his life he gave, R./ Bringing him gifts of bread and wine We receive back his life divine. R./

Recessional Hymn

Christ be near at either hand. Christ behind, before me stand. Christ with me where e'er I go. Christ around, above below. Christ my life and only way. Christ my lantern night & day, Christ be my unchanging friend.

Killavullen Parish Pilgrimage to Glenstal on August 15: Booking forms are available at Churches, the Parish Office and members of the Pastoral Council. We have provided the option of travelling by coach from Killavullen and Annakisha churches, or by car. Arrival at Glenstal for Tea / Coffee at 10.30am. A monk of the Benedictine Community will lead a tour of the Abbey. At 12.10pm we will celebrate Mass with the monastic community for the Feast of the Assumption in the newly renovated Church of St. Columba. Dinner will be provided at the monastery. Afterwards there will be free time to explore the abbey grounds and Italian terraced garden. Depart Glenstal at 4.00pm. Tarif: Adults: €45; U18s: €25. (private car: €40 / €20). Places should be reserved by next weekend with a deposit of €10. See: www.glenstal.org

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Young Christian Workers: The next meeting will take place on Friday, July 12 at 7.30pm in Killavullen Church Meeting Room. New members are welcome, especially as we plan a gala concert "Anthems from Annakisha" on October 4. The line-up will include award winning tenor soloist Dan Twomey; Kellie Lewis (Voice of Ireland); the Cronin Cello Trio; the Willis choral group; the Hickey Sisters; Michael Cronin (toastmaster); Seán Murphy and Kieran Roche (traditional Irish).

Parish Pastoral Council: Last week's meeting included a reflection on the opening rites of the Mass. We aim to create a joyful and welcoming atmosphere at Mass. Though we come together from a variety of backgrounds we are one family before the Lord. We encourage parishioners to arrive some minutes before Mass so as to spend some time in silent prayer and anticipation. The Mass is a gathering around the *Table* of the Lord: this sense is achieved by filling the seats from the front. The opening rites include a procession through the assembly (led by a cross and also including the bible) accompanied by a song. This part of the Mass concludes with the Opening Prayer, which includes a moment of silence as we all pray our intentions for that celebration.

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