

## Parish of Killavullen & Annakisha

Twenty-Ninth Week of Ordinary Time (October 20-26, 2019)

Entrance Hymn -

As we are gathered, Jesus is here; One with each other, Jesus is here. Joined by the Spirit, washed in the blood part of the body, the Church of God. As we are gathered, Jesus is here; One with each other, Jesus is here.



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.
Guide and shepherd to the end

Communion for the First Time and Confirmation 2020: This weekend we welcome children who are preparing for Communion for the First Time and Confirmation, along with their families and us all who will support them in this special time of preparation for the sacraments. They will commit to try their best to:

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- Take time to pray each day.
- Join their parish for Sunday Mass
- Live as a follower of Jesus by having respect, tolerance and compassion for all people.
- Celebrate the Sacrament of Reconciliation.
- Prepare well at home and at school for Confirmation or Communion for the First Time.

**Cloyne Diocese Pioneer Association:** an open meeting will be held in Castletownroche Hall on Tuesday, October 29 at 3.00pm.

**ISPCC Childline:** A coffee and cake morning will take place on Saturday, October 26 from 1030am-1.00pm at the Notter Home, Monanimy Lower. **Giveblood.ie:** A clinic will take place at Mallow Racecourse on October 22

(5.00-8.30pm) and 23 and 24 (3.00-5.00pm and 7.00pm-9.00pm)

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## Prayer of St. John Newman (1801-1890) - "I have a mission"

Lord, you have created me do some definite service. You have committed some work to me that you have not given to another. I have my mission; I am a link in a chain, a bond of connection between persons.

I will trust you, whatever, wherever I am.

If I am in sickness, my sickness may serve you.

If I am in perplexity, my perplexity may serve you.

If I am in sorrow, my sorrow may serve you. You do nothing in vain. You know what you are about. Though friends be taken away, though I feel desolate, though my spirits sink, though my future is hidden from me, yet I will trust you, for you know what you are about. Amen.

**Twenty Ninth Sunday:** 1<sup>st</sup> **Reading:** Moses lifts up his arms in prayer for Israel, supported by his brother (Aaron) and companion (Hur). 2<sup>nd</sup> **Reading:** Stay true to the wisdom you have learned. **Gospel:** Never lose heart and your prayer will be answered.

## Mass and other events this Week

Saturday Vigil Killavullen: 7.00pm

Confessions are celebrated from 6.30pm, prior to the Vigil Mass.

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9.00am

Sunday: Annakisha: 10.00am Killavullen: 11.30am

(No Mass on Friday)

**Monday - Thursday** 

Holy Hour: Thursday at 7.30pm.

May they rest in God's embrace: Patrick and Bridie Thornhill.

Last weekend's collection. Thank you for your generosity.

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Weekly Offerings	€195	€665
<b>Building Fund (Monthly)</b>	Combined	€1290

The second collection today will be the annual collection for Mission Sunday. **New Light at Killavullen:** The restored east gable window at Killavullen Church was installed this week. The church's original 19<sup>th</sup> century timber frame was repaired and painted by Sean O'Keeffe, while the century-old glass was remounted in new metals by Alexander Vugs. New interior lighting has been installed by James and Brian Mellerick: the "Nexia" fittings provide better illumination with 80% less energy use. The Stations of the Cross will be cleaned this week and the spaces occupied by the previous light-fittings repainted.

**Autumn Stations:** Please contact Fr. Gerard if you would like to host the Mass for your area. There are envelopes for making Station Offerings, for the support of your priest, at Church doorways.

**Young Christian Workers:** A meeting will take place in the Parish Office next Saturday, October 26 at 11.00am. All young adults welcome. Forms are available from the sacristy to enroll for the John Paul II Award.