

Parish of Killavullen & Annakisha

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Thirtieth Week of Ordinary Time (October 27 - November 2, 2019)

Thirtieth Sunday: 1st **Reading:** The prayer of the one who is humble pierces the clouds. 2nd **Reading:** Like St. Paul, we aim to fight the good fight, run the race to the finish and keep the faith. **Gospel:** A parable about prayer and life: don't be self-obsessed, instead make time for God.

Mass and other events this Week

Saturday Vigil Killavullen: 7.00pm

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

Sunday: Annakisha: 10.00am Killavullen: 11.30am

At Masses this weekend a Rosminian priest who will speak on behalf of the Irish Missionary Union.

Monday - Station for Monanimy / Balligriffin,

Gurranachole ..., Slumber Hill Killavullen7.30pm

Tuesday - Station for Loughquinn, Wallstown ...,

Castlekevin, Kilcanway, Carrig; Mount Nagle ..., Annakisha 7.30pm Wednesday, October 30 Killavullen 9.00am

Thursday, Oct. 31: (No Mass) Holy Hour: 7.30-8.30pm

Friday, November 1: All Saints (Holyday of Obligation)

Killavullen 10.00am

Annakisha 7.30pm

November is a month of prayer for the faithful departed. It begins with this feastday of the saints, both celebrated and anonymous, who pray to God with us and for us. We thank them for their good example.

Saturday, November 2: All Souls' Day

Killavullen 9.00am

May they rest in God's embrace: Dan Tobin; Mossie Kent whose anniversaries are at this time. Recent Death: Gerald McCarthy (Ross St.) Thanks to all who came to Killavullen Church last Monday to help clean and polish the Stations of the Cross.

European Summer Time ends this weekend: clocks go back one hour **3 Bon Mot:** Face the sun and let the shadows fall behind.

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. Recessional

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

November Cemetery Prayers will take place next Sunday, November 3:

Annakisha Church cemetery: following 10.00am Mass Killavullen Church cemetery: following 11.30am Mass

Carrigacunna Cemetery: 2.30pm Monanimy Cemetery: 3.15pm

Monthly Communion Calls to the sick or housebound will take place next Friday. Ministers of the Eucharist can bring Holy Communion to the sick or housebound following Sunday Masses. Contact the Parish Office.

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

	Annakisha	Killavullen
Weekly Offerings	€235	€695
Mission Sunday	Combined	€690

Thursday, October 31 is the feast day of Blessed Dominic Collins: Born in Youghal in 1566, Dominic came from one of the town's leading families; his brother and father had served as town mayor. Youghal remained loyal to Queen Elizabeth during the Desmond Rebellion of 1579 when the town was sacked. However, Protestantism was enforced in the town following the suppression of the revolt and the local Jesuit school, which Collins had attended, was closed. Dominic fled to Nantes (France), partly to escape the religious persecution and partly to pursue his chosen career with the military. He rose to the rank of officer with the Duke of Mercoer, but eventually became disillusioned with military life. He joined the Jesuits at the Irish College in Salamanca (Spain) (where, once again, Irish seminarians are studying for the priesthood). In 1601, Dominic accompanied the Spanish Armada and fled Kinsale following defeat at the hands of the English. He was captured and tortured at Dunboy Castle (Castletownbeare). Refusing to renounce the Catholic faith, he was sent back to his native town to be publicly hanged on October 31, 1602. Dominic Collins was among the seventeen Irish martyrs beatified by St. Saint John Paul II on September 27, 1992.

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