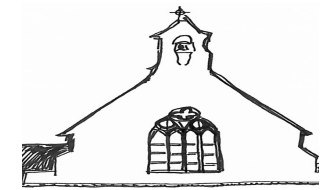


Parish of Killavullen & Annakisha

Last Week of Ordinary Time (November 24-30, 2019)

19.41



Feast of Christ the King: 1st Reading: The tribes of Israel rejoice in King David, their messiah (“anointed” of God). **2nd Reading:** Jesus restored creation that had lost its way: “he has taken us out of the power of darkness”. **Gospel:** Jesus was a king whose authority was shown by love rather than power. For those who trust in him, Christ holds the keys to God’s kingdom.

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

No Mass on Monday

Tuesday, Wednesday, Thursday **Killavullen 9.00am**
Holy Hour Thursday Killavullen 7.30pm

Friday, November 29 **Killavullen 7.30pm**
This will be memorial mass for parishioners who have died over the past twelve months.

May they rest in God’s embrace: *Anniversaries:* John Lane (Slumber Hill); Tara O’Keeffe. Jerry & Margaret Deady; Denis Kelly; Tom Dillon. Maurice and Mary Hickey (Ballymacmoy)
Recent death: Marie Crowley (Kilcanway).

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

	Annakisha	Killavullen
Weekly Offerings	€185	€640
Social and Family Services	<i>Combined</i>	€390

The semi-annual **Sacristan’s Collection** takes place today as a Second Collection. Our sacristans do a wonderful job of preparing both churches for each and every liturgy, and help to keep them clean between services. They are on constant standby to keep our churches as places of welcome and worship. Your generosity today is a way to express your appreciation. Donations made through the mini-envelopes will also benefit the parish’s tax rebate scheme from Revenue. Alternatively, there are envelopes at church doorways for making a donation.

Entrance Hymn –
 Hail Redeemer, King divine!
 Priest and Lamb, the throne is thine;
 King, whose reign shall never cease,
 Prince of everlasting peace.
 Angels, saints and nations sing :
 “Praised be Jesus Christ our King;
 Lord of life, earth, sky and sea,
 King of love on Calvary!

Recessional:
 King most holy, King of truth,
 Guard the lowly, guide the youth;
 Christ the King of glory bright,
 be to us eternal light.
 Angels, saints and nations sing :
 “Praised be Jesus Christ our King;
 Lord of life, earth, sky and sea,
 King of love on Calvary!

Memorial Mass for Deceased Parishioners: Twenty-two funerals have been recorded in the parish’s *necrology* (register of those who have died) since November 2018. At next Friday’s Mass, following the proclamation of the Gospel, members of the Pastoral Council will read from the necrology and a candle for each person will be brought to the sanctuary. Those who wish to include the photo of a deceased family member can place it on the baptismal font before Mass.

Children’s Liturgy of the Word – will begin next Sunday, December 1 at the 11.30am Mass (First Sunday of Advent) and will take place at that Mass for the first three Sundays of each month. At the beginning of Mass children aged between 5-9 (Junior Infants to Third Class) will be invited to join the two adult leaders in the Meeting Room, behind the gallery. They will hear the Mass readings explained in a child-friendly way and then re-join their families for the Our Father.

Parish Pastoral Council: The council discussed the quality of our celebration of the Liturgy of the Word. We have also contributed to a deanery meeting following Bishop Crean’s appeal for suggestions to be made on making a pastoral plan for the diocese.

Parish Safeguarding Committee: A meeting of the parish committee for safeguarding children will take place next Tuesday, November 26 at 7.30pm in the Parish Office.

Pre-baptism Meeting: A meeting for those families preparing an infant for baptism will take place next Wednesday, November 27 at 7.30pm

A Coffee Morning - will be held in Killavullen Community Hall this Sunday (November 24) from 10.00am to 1.00 pm. This event is being organised by Sean Murphy, Sean Palmer and Michael Cagney as part of the fundraising campaign for street children of Kolkata with Hope Foundation.

Bon Mot: *Never base permanent decisions on temporary feelings.*