



Parish of Killavullen and Annakisha

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Twenty Fourth Week in Ordinary Time (September 12-18)



Twenty Third Sunday Jesus the Messiah

1st Reading: The Messiah, who will be sent by God to save the people of Israel, will be a humble servant, not a warlord.

Psalms 114: A song about God's compassion and guidance.

2nd Reading: We can prove our faith by our good deeds.

Gospel: Jesus asks a question of his friends that we often ask of ourselves: "Who do people think I am?" Do they identify me by my work, my family, my personality? Many people know Jesus by hearsay; it is only those, like his disciples, who know him by personal experience, that can tell his true identity. To really know Jesus, we must "live our lives for the sake of the gospel."

Public Mass Times this week

Monday to Wednesday Killavullen 9.00am

No Mass on Thursday

Friday, September 17 Killavullen 7.30pm

This will be the Autumn Station Mass for Killavullen and Ballymacmoy.

Saturday Vigil Mass for 24th Sunday Killavullen 7.00pm

Sunday Twenty Fourth Sunday Annakisha 10.00am

Killavullen 11.30am

Confessions are celebrated in the Reconciliation Room of Killavullen Church at 6.30pm on Saturdays. This space has been adapted to the Covid restrictions.

Resting in God's embrace: Anniversaries: Jim Thornhill (Kilcanway); Sheila Quirke (Ballyhemmock).

Last Weekend's Collection: Thank you for your generosity.

	Killavullen	Annakisha
Weekly Offerings	€480	€260

A contribution of €100 was made from last weekend's collection for Diocesan Purposes. This weekend's monthly contribution to the parish's building fund can be made as you enter or leave the church using the white envelope that came with your annual packet of mini envelopes. This year the buildings' fund is dedicated to maintenance and repairs at Annakisha Church and new floor covering at Killavullen, which will be installed next Spring.

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

Recessional: Faithful is the Lord our King
Let us all in glory sing. Ever praise in word
and song: Holy, Holy, Holy Lord.
God of life and God of seed; God of nations
lands and creeds; God of heaven, God of
earth, God made man in lowly birth.

Covid-19 has not gone away: The capacity of our churches has been increased to 50%. Please continue to observe all safety protocols we have in place.

Autumn Stations: The Autumn Stations will be celebrated in our two churches this year, or at other public venues. The Station Offerings for the Autumn, which are your priest's income, may be contributed at any Mass using the blue envelope (dated 26 September) that came with your packet of mini-envelopes.

The Dominican Congregation in Ireland is offering a series of lectures on matters of theology, faith and scripture this Autumn. The lectures are pre-recorded and are followed up with live, online seminars. For more information see the following brochure: www.lumenop.ie

Catholic Magazines Here are some recommended titles:

- **Africa** St Patrick's Mission Society, Kiltegan, Co Wicklow. This magazine is published nine times annually and costs €10 through a promoter.
- **The Far East**, the magazine of the Columban Missionaries is published seven times annually from Dalgan Park, Co Meath. It costs €15 through a promoter.
- **The Messenger of St Anthony**, an international magazine of news and faith formation published eleven times annually by the Franciscan at Padua. Postal delivery: €24. Subscribe at <https://www.messengersaintanthony.com/> or the coupon available at churches.
- **The Messenger of the Sacred Heart**, is published monthly by the Irish province of the Jesuits and costs €24 through a promoter.
- **The Pioneer** is a monthly publication of the Pioneer and Total Abstinence Association. It's not just for Pioneers! €30 through a promoter.

Please give your name and number to a member of the Pastoral Council after Mass this weekend if you are interested in a subscription to a particular magazine. Or contact Julia Sheahan (086-3985397) regarding *Africa*, *The Far East*, *The Messenger of St Anthony*, *The Sacred Heart Messenger* and Kathleen Hanley (086-1556360) for *The Pioneer*

Bon Mot: *If you want to lift yourself up, lift up someone else.*