



Parish of Killavullen and Annakisha

Twenty Ninth Week in Ordinary Time (October 17-23)

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Twenty Ninth Sunday *Christ, the servant of God..*

1st Reading: The suffering servant of Isaiah. Any pain, suffering or time of loss in our lives is something we would naturally want to avoid. But it can also be a time when we lead ourselves, and others, back to God.

Psalm 32: The Lord upholds those who keep the faith.

2nd Reading: We can make our approach to God through Christ in whose priesthood we all have a share.

Gospel: The last verse of today's text is regarded by scripture scholars as the *ipsissima verba Iesu* – his own and original words. Jesus saw himself as the one who would lead us back to God by laying down his own life. When we serve others, rather than ourselves, we are following the Gospel.

Mass Times this week

Monday – Wednesday		Killavullen	9.00am
	<i>No Mass on Thursday</i>		
Friday		Killavullen	7.30pm
Saturday	Sunday Vigil	Killavullen	7.00pm
Sunday	30 th Sunday	Annakisha	10.00am
		Killavullen	11.30am

Confessions: Saturdays at 6.30pm in Killavullen Church.

There are children's worksheets based on today's Gospel available in the 'crying room' and upstairs landing at Killavullen and the Entrance Table at Annakisha.

May they Rest in God's Embrace: Michael Magner (Castletownroche), months mind. Nora Beechinor (Ballymacmoy). Willie-John Roche (Killavullen). Meg Walsh (Cloughoula)

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

	Killavullen	Annakisha
Weekly Offerings	€470	€305
Buildings Fund	Combined	€1445

GAA Club - exercise classes for the over 60s are held in the Hall on Mondays at 10.00am. €2 per session. Contact: John at 083-1053666

BonMot: *Growing old is inevitable. Growing up is optional.*

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Entrance: Longing for light, we wait in darkness. Longing for truth, we turn to you. Make us your own, your holy people, Light for the world to see.
Christ, be our light! Shine in our hearts. Shine through the darkness. Christ, be our light! Shine in your Church gathered today

Recessional: *Bind us together, Lord, bind us together, with cords that cannot be broken; bind us together, Lord, bind us together, bind us together with love.*
 There is only one God, there is only one King, there is only one Body - that is why we sing:

Covid-19 guidelines are expected to be reviewed next week and may be eased from October 22. Parishes will continue to observe the public health recommendations that hinder the spread of the virus. The upcoming Synod calls for greater *communion* with Christ, *participation* in the life of the Church and a share in its mission. *Consider taking a more active part in Church life once restrictions are lifted:*

- **Altar Servers (4th to 6th Class):** Every second weekend in teams of 2.
- **Minister of the Eucharist:** At Sunday Mass and/or to bring a communion to a housebound person who is a close contact.
- **John Paul II Award:** For young adults (aged 16+) who volunteer a regular service to their parish and community over the course of a year.
- **Children's Liturgy of the Word Leader:** At church meeting rooms.
- **Parish Choir:** Will practice on Monday evenings in Killavullen Church and sing at the 11.30am Mass. Contact: Fiona Hannon or Cathy Dingavan
- **Meditation Group:** will meet on Monday evenings to practice meditation in the tradition of John Main. See: <https://www.wccm.org/>

Adsumus Sancte Spiritus – Prayer at the Synods

We stand before You, Holy Spirit, as we gather together in Your name.
 With You alone to guide us, make Yourself at home in our hearts;
 Teach us the way we must go and how we are to pursue it.
 We are weak and sinful; do not let us promote disorder.
 Do not let ignorance lead us down the wrong path
 nor partiality influence our actions.
 Let us find in You our unity
 so that we may journey together to eternal life
 and not stray from the way of truth and what is right.
 All this we ask of You, who are at work in every place and time,
 in the communion of the Father and the Son,
 forever and ever. Amen.

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