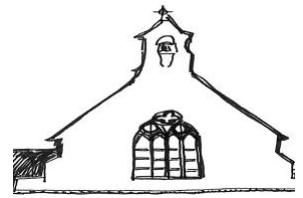


# Parish of Killavullen and Annakisha

## Third Week of Easter (May 4-10, 2025) 25.18



### Third Sunday of Easter

**First Reading:** The early Church in Jerusalem (just like the Church today in many parts of the world), suffered persecution. The apostles continued to witness to their faith in Jesus, despite the many hardships they suffered.

**Psalms 129 :** The Lord changes our mourning into joy.

**Second Reading:** In heaven, as on earth, the praise of God is sung.

**Gospel:** The third appearance of the Risen Jesus: the disciples struggle to believe that he has been raised from the dead. It is when they share a meal that they again recognise the Lord. *As we gather for the Breaking of Bread may we too know that the Lord is with us.*

The Sacrament of Reconciliation is celebrated on Saturday evening at 6.30pm in the Reconciliation Room and at any time requested.

At Masses next weekend (and every other weekend) a Children's Liturgy of the Word takes place.

### Mass times this Week

Monday; Tuesday and Thursday	Killavullen	9.00am
Wednesday	Killavullen	9.30am

*No Mass on Friday*

Saturday: Vigil Mass	Killavullen	7.00pm
Fourth Sunday of Easter	Annakisha	10.00am

**NB: Nano Nagle Birthplace 11.30am**

**Resting in God's embrace: Anniversaries:** Joan Lehane (Cloughoula); William O'Brien (Castletownroche).

### Collections Last weekend / Holy Week - Buíochas libh.

	Annakisha	Killavullen
Weekly Offering	€365	€485

**Monthly Diocesan Purposes Collection** will take place this weekend at the recessional.

**Easter Offerings** for the financial support of your priest can be made at this time, ideally using the envelope with your annual registration pack.

**BonMot:** Do what you can, where you are, with what you have.

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Sing! Sing! Sing alleluia.

This is the day the Lord has made. Dance!

Dance! Dance alleluia.

This is the day the Lord has made.

*Let us rejoice and be glad. This is the day the Lord has made. Let us rejoice and be glad. This is the day.*

Let's all join together in Communion sweet, Walk, walk, in the light.

And love one another 'til the Saviour we meet,

Walk, walk, in the light. **Walk in the light, x 3**

**Walk in the light of the Lord.**

Jesus died on Calvary, walk, walk, in the light

To save the lost like you and me, Walk, walk in ...

**March for Life:** This annual event on the May Bank Holiday (May 5, 2025) to demonstrate for the Pro-Life movement will take place in St Stephen's Green, Dublin from 2.00pm. Local buses are travelling. See: [www.marchforlife.ie](http://www.marchforlife.ie)

**Nano Nagle Mass:** The annual Mass at Nano Nagle Birthplace will take place on Sunday, May 11<sup>th</sup> and will replace the 11.30am Mass next Sunday.

**Congratulations** to the Children from Ballygown NS who this weekend celebrate Communion for the First Time.

**Cork Departure Pilgrimage to Lough Derg, Pettigo, County Donegal:** A four-day pilgrimage will depart Cork on June 6 at 9.00am and return on June 9. For information and booking: Paddy (021-4503572).

**ALONE ('A Little Offering Never Ends')** is a national organisation that enables older people to age at home. The agency is looking for volunteers to support older people in the community. If you or an Older Person you know is in need of support call 0818 222 024, seven days a week 8.00am to 8.00pm or see [ALONE.ie/Volunteer](http://ALONE.ie/Volunteer) for more information.

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**Today's Gospel:** 'It is the Lord!' The beloved disciple recognises the friendly and helpful man at the lakeside. As of yet it had not dawned on Simon Peter or the others who it is. 'It is the Lord!' Yes, words of recognition, but much more: seeing with eyes of faith. His recognition spurs on the others to recognise the risen Jesus with eyes of faith.

Aren't there moments in times of need when help seems to come from an unexpected source and we sense the presence of the Lord. The unexpected catch of fish was such a moment for the disciples. Pray for light to recognise such a moment in the recent past.

'Come and have breakfast.' A homely invitation! Jesus knew the hunger of these men after a night's fishing. He knows our needs too. Tell the risen Jesus of yours right now. Wait quietly to receive Jesus', to linger in his presence as he looks at you with a smile of affection. From: [www.sacredspace.com](http://www.sacredspace.com)

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