



Parish of Killavullen and Annakisha

Twenty Eighth Week of Ordinary Time (October 11-18, 2026) 26.38



Twenty Eighth Sunday: The Lord's Wedding Feast

First Reading: Isaiah likens heaven to a banquet where God's justice is celebrated; the people's shame and sadness will be wiped away by the love of God.

Responsorial Psalm 22: The best known of the 150 psalms in the Bible Jesus would take up this image of comparing God to a good shepherd.

Second Reading: Saint Paul finds strength through his faith in Christ Jesus. His faith helps him to endure many hardships in his ministry.

Gospel: God's kingdom is compared to a wedding feast to which everyone is invited. If we accept the invitation, it is expected that we go dressed in the garments of good works.

The **Sacrament of Reconciliation** is celebrated at 6.30pm on Saturday in the Reconciliation Room at Killavullen or any time requested.

Mass-times this Week

Monday to Thursday

Killavullen 9.00am

No Mass on Friday

Saturday: 29th Sunday Vigil Mass

Annakisha 7.00pm

Sunday

Killavullen 10.00am

Please note that the return of the Summer Mass schedule is for the coming weekend **only**, October 17 and 18. Normal Sunday Mass-times will resume on the weekend of October 24-25.

Resting in God's Embrace: Anniversaries: Meg Walsh (Cloughoula); Pat Lane (Castlekevin & Cork; Month's Mind); John Hartnett (Canon O'Neill Place)

Last Weekend's Donations:

	<i>Annakisha</i>	<i>Killavullen</i>
Weekly Offering	€180	€925
Diocesan Purposes	Combined	€200

The recessional collection today will be the monthly (October) collection for the Parish Buildings Fund.

BonMot: To wish you were someone else is to waste the person you are.

Glory and praise to our God.

Who alone gives light to our days.

Many are the blessings he bears;

To those who trust in his ways.

We the daughters and sons of him - Who built

the valleys and plains. Praise and wonder our

God has done, in every heart that sings:

*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:*

Autumn Offerings for the support of your parish priest, can be made at this time using the envelopes at church doorways or the blue Autumn Station envelope with your annual box, for households who are registered with their parish. Upcoming Station Mass for Ballygown, Skenakilla, Powerstown, Dromdeer, Ballydaheen: Thursday, October 22: Susan O'Keeffe at 7.30pm.

Altar-servers rotas for 2026-2027 are now available from the sacristy. Our thanks to the children who regularly serve Mass.

Cloyne Koinōnía Magazine 2026 – traces the development of the Pastoral Areas in Cloyne over the past year and the synodal pathway of the church in Ireland. Copies available at church doors for €2

Reader's Rota: A new rota for readers of the Word of God at Mass will begin from October 31. New readers are welcome (training is provided). Readers who wish not to be in the 2026-2027 rota: please contact let Fr Gerard

The Irish National Synodal Assembly will meet next weekend in Gormanston, Co Meath next weekend. The *Working Document* for the assembly, entitled, "Is not this what God asks of you"

(Micah 6:8) brings together the fruits of five years of prayer, listening and discernment conducted in all 26 dioceses. It will guide delegates as they consider and vote on suggested actions to be presented to the bishops of Ireland. The Assembly marks an important moment in the synodal pathway and will help shape future directions for the Catholic Church in Ireland. Everyone is invited to read, pray with, and reflect on the *Working Document*. The document can be accessed by your smartphone camera at the QR code on this page.



St Teresa of Avila: (1515-1582), Doctor of the Church: Feast day: October 15: "Let nothing disturb you. Let nothing frighten you. All things are passing away. God never changes. Patience obtains all things. Whoever has God lacks nothing. God alone suffices."

October and World Mission Sunday is a time for the faithful of the world to show their appreciation towards the work of overseas missionaries. Call Missio Ireland on (01) 497 2035 or go to www.missio.ie for further information.

Catholic Marriage Encounter Weekend

St. Mary's, Knock, Co. Mayo Friday 9th to Sunday 11th April 2027 This residential Weekend starts at 7.30pm on Friday and finishes at 4.30pm on Sunday, and is open to all married couples. Online booking only at www.marriageencounter.ie

TheWay.ie is a new digital platform set up by the Irish Bishops Conference dedicated to sharing the 'Good News' and the witness of the Catholic Church in Ireland. It is intended to help people discover the faith, live the faith and pass on the faith. Use this QR code to access the site.

