

KILLEESHIL PARISH NEWSLETTER

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Community Centre

Bookings - Kieran
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Baptisms

Baptisms are arranged by appointment only and three weeks notice must be given. They will be held on the second and fourth weekend of every month.

ACCORD - Marriage Preparation

Drumcree Pastoral Centre Portadown
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Useful Numbers

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WELCOME, FAILTE, WITAJCIE, SVEIKI ATVYKE, VITEJTE

A very warm welcome to our Parish. We all have different, but valuable gifts and talents that we can use to serve God and each other. If you would like to know more about Parish life or are interested in taking part in any of our Parish activities or ministries please contact the Parish Office.

Masses for the Week

Sat 22nd Feb	7.00pm Ackinduff	Colette Dinsmore
Sun 23rd Feb	9.00am Aughnagar	Anthony Donaghy
	11.00am Tullyallen	Winnie (1st Anniv) & Francis McCullagh
Mon 24th Feb	8.00pm Ackinduff	Bridget & Owen Mc Cool & Dec'd Family Members
Tues 25th Feb	10.00am Aughnagar	
Ash Wednesday 26th Feb ✝	10.00am Tullyallen	
	8.00pm Ackinduff	
Thurs 27th Feb	10.00am Ackinduff	
Fri 28th Feb	10.00am Aughnagar	
Sat 29th Feb	10.00am Tullyallen	Dec'd Members of Mc Kenna Family (Killymoyle)
	7.00pm Ackinduff	James Clarke & Dec'd Family Members
Sun 1st Mar	9.00am Aughnagar	Bernard, Annie & Michael Gormley also Agnes & Vincent Turley
	11.00am Tullyallen	Noreen & Michael Curran

Recently Deceased

Mary Begley (Carrickmore)
Mickey Mulgrew
Mary McLaughlin (Donegal)
Doreen Sinclair

May they rest in peace.


Parish Mission Statement

Killeeshil Parish Pastoral Council aims to meet the pastoral needs of the people of the Parish through fostering a more active involvement in living out Christ's mission.

Like the Good Samaritan, we value each Parish member and the contribution each can make to the building up of an active and caring community.

Marked by a Cross

Marked by a cross,
cherished and forgiven
we are travelling home.
Called to be holy,
called to be happy
we are travelling home.
Across deserts,
over mountains
we are travelling home.
God in our hearts,
God in our lives
we are travelling home.

Ministries for 29thFeb/1st Mar	
Ackinduff	
<i>Eucharistic Minister</i>	Ailis Keown
<i>Reader</i>	Sheila O Neill
<i>Altar Servers</i>	Jack Mc Kenna
	Callum Moss
Aughnagar	
<i>Eucharistic Minister</i>	Martina Duggan
	Brian Mulgrew
<i>Reader</i>	Claire Quinn
<i>Altar Servers</i>	Serena Gormley
	Kyra Mc Elroy
Tullyallen	
<i>Eucharistic Minister</i>	Nora Quinn
	Damien Hoy
	Patrick Holland
<i>Reader</i>	Edel Carty
<i>Altar Servers</i>	Aimee Molloy
	Ethan Small
Glenview N.H.	
<i>Eucharistic Minister</i>	Rita Holland
Pastoral Council	
<p>Adoration: Adoration will continue this Monday night in Ackinduff from 7.30pm - 8.00pm and again after Mass until 8.45pm.</p> <p>Year of Reflection and Prayer: An official Prayer Card, specially composed for the Year of Reflection and Prayer and Mission Rosary Beads will be distributed throughout St Mary's, Cabragh. Prayer Cards will also be made available in all churches. This prayer will be read after communion at all Masses during Lent.</p> <p>Stations of the Cross: Fr Hannigan will lead Stations of the Cross in Ackinduff on Monday 2nd March at 7.30pm.</p> <p>Rosary: On Tuesday 3rd March our Confirmation Class will pray the Rosary in Tullyallen at 7.00pm. For those who have internet connection you are welcome to join in with the children. Visit www.mcnmedia.tv This will take place once every week during Lent with a different class.</p>	
Ash Wednesday - 26th Feb 	
Ash Wednesday is a day of fast and abstinence. Ashes will be distributed: 10.00am - Tullyallen. 8.00pm - Ackinduff.	
Trocaire	
Trocaire's Lenten campaign for 2020 highlights the different ways in which mothers are protecting their families from the effects of climate change and from the actions of corporations. Lent 2020 asks people in Ireland to show their love by supporting people in the world's poorest countries. Trocaire boxes are available in all our churches. Please take one home.	

Volunteer Readers
<p>Would anyone like to volunteer as a Reader at weekday Masses during Lent? Could someone volunteer to read the Prayer of the Faithful at weekend Masses during Lent? Prayer of the Faithful <input type="checkbox"/> Weekday Reader <input type="checkbox"/> Name & Phone Number _____</p> <p>Please return in collection baskets.</p>
Our Lady of Lourdes Statue
The Statue of Our Lady of Lourdes at the Grotto in Ackinduff will shortly be taken away to be cleaned and will be returned when completed. There is no cost to the parish.
Baptism Programme
The next Baptism Programme for parents and godparents will be held on Tuesday 3rd March at 7.30pm in the sacristy at Tullyallen.
Parish Draw
Our next Parish will take place on Monday 9th March at 11.00am in the sacristy at Tullyallen.
Positive Steps Talks
A series of talks promoting healthy choices, moderation and examining lifestyle options will be held in the Torrent Centre, Donaghmore. The first talk on this Monday 24th February at 7.30pm has motivation and coaching consultant Glenn Hinds posing the question "If alcohol is the answer, what is the question? This excellent talk will be of interest to all ages.
Dates for your Diary
<p style="text-align: center;">Confirmation Retreat Wednesday 4th March Ceremony of Light Wednesday 4th March 7.30pm Church of the Assumption, Tullyallen</p> <p style="text-align: center;">Confirmation Tuesday 10th March 5.00pm Church of the Assumption, Tullyallen</p> <p style="text-align: center;">First Confession Wednesday 25th March 7.30pm St Joseph's, Ackinduff</p> <p style="text-align: center;">First Holy Communion Saturday 2nd May 11.00am St Joseph's, Ackinduff</p>

Community Centre
<p>AGM: Our AGM will be held this Sunday 23rd February at 7.00pm. Some members of the current committee are stepping down so new motivated members are welcome to help improve the Community Centre and input to the events it offers.</p> <p>Walking Club: The Walking Club are taking part in the 8 Mile Walk during the Belfast Marathon. This walk is open to everyone. All monies raised will go to Brainwave NI charity. You can sign up at the Community Centre on Monday or Wednesday at 6.45pm or contact: Damien Hamill - 0790 017 2310 Ciaran Mc Elvogue - 0778 968 8725</p> <p>Open Door Club: This Tuesday 25th February, the club returns to Quinn's Corner at the invitation of Caledon Open Door Club.</p> <p>Twist & Chill Fitness Programme: Saturdays 10.00am - 11.00am for parents and children aged 3 - 11, starting 29th February to 14th March. All enquiries via Twist and Chill on Facebook or contact Shona on 0774 591 5986.</p>
Killeeshil G.F.C.
<p>Alphalot: DJLUX Lucky Dip: Niall Donaghy & Cathal O Neill Seller: Shea & Zarah Fearon. Jackpot: £10,000 Please call Emma on 0754 389 1840 for information on Dinner Dance tickets.</p>
St Mary's Primary School
A Choir practice in preparation for Confirmation will be held on Thursday 27th February at 7.00pm in Tullyallen. All singers are encouraged to attend.
10th Tyrone Killeeshil Scouts
<p>Killeeshil Community Centre: Monday: Beavers 6.00 - 7.00pm and Cubs 7.15pm - 8.30pm. Friday: Scouts 7.00pm - 8.30pm. For further information please contact section leaders or email: killeeshilscouts@gmail.com</p>
Music Lessons
Experienced music teacher in the Killeeshil/Ballygawley area offering lessons in the following: piano, tin whistle and singing. Lessons can be 1 - 1 or group. Contact Aimee on 0788 545 5403.