



# Parish of Killeeshil

*Church of the Assumption Tullyallen, St Joseph's Ackinduff, St Patrick's Aughnagar*

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## We Remember All Those Who Have Gone Before Us

*Frank Holland*



## 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

## Schedule for Week Beginning 18th December

### *Fourth Sunday of Advent*

Sat Vigil	<b>Ackinduff</b>	7.00pm	<b>Evelyn Mc Gilly &amp; Dec'd Family Members</b>
Sun 18th	<b>Aughnagar</b>	9.00am	<b>Frank &amp; Alice O Neill</b>
Sun 18th	<b>Tullyallen</b>	11.00am	<b>Jim Mc Geough</b>
Mon 19th	<b>Ackinduff</b>	7.30pm	<b>John Henry, Lily &amp; Cyril Mc Caul</b>
Tue 20th	<b>Aughnagar</b>	10.00am	<b>Special Intention</b>
Wed 21st	<b>Tullyallen</b>	10.00am	<b>Mick &amp; Ellie Cush</b>
Thurs 22nd	<b>Ackinduff</b>	10.00am	<b>No Mass</b>
Christmas Eve	<b>Tullyallen</b>	5.00pm	<b>James &amp; Kathleen Bradley</b>
Christmas Eve	<b>Tullyallen</b>	8.00pm	
Christmas Day	<b>Aughnagar</b>	9.00am	<b>Peter &amp; Susan Gormley</b>
Christmas Day	<b>Ackinduff</b>	11.00am	<b>Kate &amp; Patrick Fox</b>



### Cardinal MacRory Pastoral Area Clergy

#### **Ballygawley:**

Fr. Michael O Dwyer Tel: 028 8556 7096

#### **Aghaloo & Carnteel:**

Fr. Cathal Deveney Tel: 028 8555 7212

Fr Dermot Mc Caul Tel: 028 3756 8288

#### **Beragh:**

Fr Sean Mc Cartan Tel: 028 8075 8206

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### **Parish Pastoral Council**

Brian O Neill - Chair

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Tel: 028 8776 1500

### **Parish Safeguarding Rep.**

Geraldine Scullion

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### **Community Centre**

Bookings - Kieran

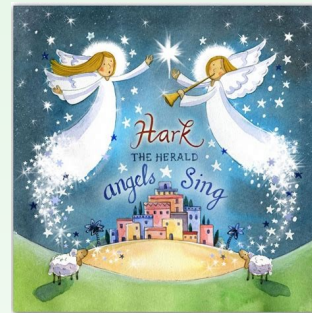
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### Christmas live from St Patrick's Cathedral, Armagh

The 11pm Vigil Mass on Christmas Eve in St Patrick's Cathedral, Armagh will be a Eurovision Broadcast. The Mass will be broadcast live across Ireland on RTE Television and throughout Europe. The principal celebrant will be Archbishop Eamon Martin and people are invited to join as we celebrate the Feast of the Nativity.

### An Advent Prayer

*Advent God, we journey with you,  
to Bethlehem's stable and a new-born King,  
ears attuned to the song of angels,  
eyes alert for Bethlehem's star.  
Forgive us if on our journey we are distracted  
by the tempting offers of this world.  
Keep our hearts aflame with the hope of Christmas,  
and the promise of a Saviour. Amen*



### Thank You

A sincere word of thanks and appreciation to all those who made their parish contributions during the week. Your support and solidarity means a lot.

Weekly Collection £1,525.00.

Sick & Retired Priests £370.00

**Standing Orders: Allied Irish Bank, Dungannon**

**Account No: 18169094. Sort Code: 93 82 89**

Anyone who would like to contribute via Standing Order can do so with the above details.

### Online Donations

Anyone wishing to make an online donation can visit [www.parishofkilleeshil.com](http://www.parishofkilleeshil.com) and locate the "Donate to our Parish" button.

### Christmas Confessions & Masses

**Confessions:** Monday 19th December after 7.30pm Mass in Ackinduff.

### Masses:

Christmas Eve	Tullyallen	5.00pm
Christmas Eve	Tullyallen	8.00pm
Christmas Day	Aughnagar	9.00am
Christmas Day	Ackinduff	11.00am

### Parish Draw

Our next Parish Draw will be held this Tuesday 20th December



### Parish Calendars

Parish calendars for 2023 are now available from any of our churches. Please take one.

### St Mary's Primary School

**Primary One Admissions 2023:** If your child is due to start Primary One in September 2023, you will need to apply for a place via the online EA portal. The application process opens on 10th January and closes on 27th January.

### St Ciaran's College

**Open Night:** Thursday 19th January at 7.00pm. P.6 and P.7 pupils are welcome.

### Ministries for Christmas Eve/Day

#### **Tullyallen 5pm**

*Eucharistic Ministers:* Patrick Holland  
Emma Donaghy

*Reader:* Grainne Broderick

#### **Tullyallen 8pm**

*Eucharistic Ministers:* Declan Begley  
Nora Quinn  
Damien Hoy

*Reader:* Anthony Mc Gonnell

#### **Aughnagar 9am**

*Eucharistic Ministers:* John Mulgrew  
Caroline Maguire

*Reader:* Claire Donnelly

#### **Ackinduff 11am**

*Eucharistic Ministers:* John Paul Corrigan  
Margaret Murray

*Reader:* Sheila Loughran

### Peace Light from Bethlehem

In its 36th year, the Peace light from Bethlehem campaign was originally organised by the Austrian Broadcasting Company and was part of a large charitable relief mission for children in need in Austria and abroad. Since 1986 there has been a great deal of co-operation between Scouts and Guides in many countries which has allowed the light to travel throughout Europe. Each year a child from Upper Austria kindles a flame from the "Eternal Flame" from the Nativity Grotto in Bethlehem. The light is then distributed to delegations from across Europe who take it back with a message of peace to their own countries. **The 10th Tyrone Killeeshil Scouts will bring the Peace Light of Bethlehem to the Vigil Mass in Ackinduff at 7.00pm this Saturday 17th December.**

### Killeeshil Community Centre

**Christmas Floral Workshop:** Christmas Floral Table Centre Workshop hosted by Precious Petals this Monday 19th December at 8.15pm in Killeeshil. Cost £5. Pre booking essential. Contact 07765087794.

**Children's Christmas Disco:** Tuesday 20th December.

P1 - P3 6.00pm to 7.00pm.

P4 - P7 7.00pm to 8.30pm.

Admission £3 - additional children in the same family £2. Proceeds in aid of Friends of Cabragh.

**Blood Donation:** Friday 23rd December from 10.00am - 3.00pm. To book an appointment call 08085534653.