

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

Sunday 22nd December 2024

4th Sunday of Advent Year B

Fr Pat Hannigan PP Tel: 028 8776 1211

INTENTIONS FOR THE WEEK				
Saturday 21st	Ackinduff	7.00pm	Damien Donnelly M.M. Josie Hamill,	
			Evelyn Mc Gilly & Dec'd Family Members	
Sunday 22nd	Aughnagar	9.00am	Dec'd Members of Devine Family (Cranlome)	
Sunday 22nd	Tullyallen	11.00am	Charlie & Dan Carberry & Dec'd Family Members,	
			Michael, Ellie & Mick Cush	
Monday 23rd	Ackinduff	7.30pm	James, Mary & John Mc Aninley	
Christmas Eve	Tullyallen	5.00pm	Laura Mc Crory	
Christmas Eve	Tullyallen	8.00pm	James Clarke, Brigid & John Joe Cush,	
			Tom & Kathleen Mc Cann & James & Annie Hagan	
Christmas Day	Aughnagar	9.00am	Peter & Susan Gormley, Mickey Morris & Dec'd	
			Family Members	
Christmas Day	Ackinduff	11.00am	Kate & Packie Fox	
Wednesday 26th	Tullyallen	10.00am	No Mass	
Thursday 27th	Ackinduff	10.00am	No Mass	
Saturday 28th	Ackinduff	7.00pm	Nishy & Rose Mc Aleer	
Sunday 29th	Aughnagar	9.00am		
Sunday 29th	Tullyallen	11.00am		

For Those Recently Deceased:

Paul Mc Bride (Mullaghbane) Jim Gallagher (Carrickmore) Rita Loughran (Ballygawley) Leo Mulgrew

Ministries for 28th/29th December					
ACKINDUFF	AUGHNAGAR	TULLYALLEN			
Eucharistic Minister:	Eucharistic Ministers:	Eucharistic Ministers:			
Christina Mc Cann	Martina Duggan	Louise Donnelly			
	Brian Mulgrew	Claire Hegarty			
		Eamon Russell			
Reader:	Reader:	Reader:			
Michael Kelly	Maybelline Gormley	Edel Carty			
Altar Servers:	Altar Servers:	Altar Servers:			
Ronan Donaghy	Roisin Mc Kane	Caoimhe Mc Elvogue			
Matthew Donaghy	Chloe Mc Kenna	Megan Mc Elvogue			

Parish Office: Brenda Mulgrew (Secretary) Tel 028 8776 1211 (Tues - Thurs 10.00am - 4.00pm)

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Parish Facebook: Killeeshil Parish

Parish Website: www.parishofkilleeshil.com

Live Streaming: https://mcn.live/Camera/church-of-the-assumption-tullyallen

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.

Parish Pastoral Council: Chair: Brian O Neill Tel: 0775 9690604 Secretary: Sheila O Neill Tel: 0781 8036393

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Beragh: Fr Sean Mc Cartan Tel: 028 8075 8206

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: £1,477.00 + £495.00 S. Orders

Sick & Retired Priests: £160.00

Anyone who would like to contribute via Standing

Order can do so with the following details. Account No: 18169094. Sort Code: 93 82 89

Online Donations: Anyone wishing to make an online donation can visit www.parishofkilleeshil.com and locate the "Donate to our Parish" button.

Christmas Masses

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

Peace Light of Bethlehem

The 10th Tyrone Killeeshil Scouts will bring the Peace Light of Bethlehem to the Vigil Mass in Ackinduff at 7.00pm this Saturday 21st December.

Sunday Missal

The new Sunday Missal for 2025 is now available for all our Readers. Please collect your missal from the church in which you read.

Parish Rotas

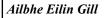
New rotas for Eucharistic Ministers and Readers have been sent out via email. Please contact the Parochial House if you have not received one.

Parish Calendars

Parish Calendars are now available in all our churches. Please take one home.

Baptism

We welcome those recently baptised in our parish:





Killeeshil Community Centre

(Bookings - Kieran Tel: 0777 693 9351)

Parish Draw

Our December draw winners were: £100 No 94 Eugene Skeffington £50 No 97 Brendan Doyle £50 No 226 Martin Traynor

Jubilee Year of Hope 2025

Archbishop Eamon Martin will formally launch the Jubilee Year of Hope 2025 on Sunday 29th December at 11.00am Mass in St Patrick's Cathedral, Armagh. He will be joined by His Excellency, the Apostolic Nuncio to Ireland.

When Pope Francis announced the Jubilee Year for 2025, he invited us to become 'pilgrims of hope'. He reminded us of the words of St Paul who said, "hope (in Christ) does not disappoint".

"Let us even now be drawn to this hope! Through our witness, may hope spread to all those who anxiously seek it. May the way we live our lives say to them in so many words: "Hope in the Lord!. Hold firm, take heart."

Haphazard by Starlight

This was the moment when Before turned into After, and the future's uninvented timekeepers presented arms.

This was the moment when nothing happened.
Only dull peace sprawled boringly over the earth.
This was the moment when even energetic Romans could find nothing better to do

than counting heads in remote provinces.

And this was the moment when a few farm workers

and three members of an obscure Persian sect walked haphazardly by starlight straight into the kingdom of heaven.

May you have the gift of faith, the blessing of hope, and the peace of His love at Christmas and always.