



KILLEESHIL PARISH

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

Sunday 9th March 2025 1st Sunday of Lent Year C

Fr Pat Hannigan PP Tel: 028 8776 1211

INTENTIONS FOR THE WEEK

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| Saturday 8th | Ackinduff | 7.00pm | John Mc Aninley & John Madden |
| Sunday 9th | Aughnagar | 9.00am | Bernard, Annie, Mick & Ita Gormley |
| Sunday 9th | Tullyallen | 11.00am | Joe & Ellen Mallon & Dec'd Family Members |
| Monday 10th | Ackinduff | 7.30pm | Hugh & Mary Quinn |
| Tuesday 11th | Aughnagar | 10.00am | Special Intention |
| Wednesday 12th | Tullyallen | 10.00am | Dec'd Members of Kilroy & McGartland Families |
| Thursday 13th | Ackinduff | 10.00am | <i>No Mass</i> |
| Saturday 15th | Ackinduff | 7.00pm | Kathleen Hamilton |
| Sunday 16th | Aughnagar | 9.00am | Dec'd Members of Mc Cann Family (Ballynahaye) and Thomas Mc Nally |
| Sunday 16th | Tullyallen | 11.00am | John Donaghy & Dec'd Family Members |

For Those Recently Deceased:

Baby Frankie James McCann, Denis Guerin (New York), Mgr Raymond Murray (Armagh), Roseanne Hoines (Ballyshannon) Tomasz Kazinierz Kulig (Castlecaulfield formerly Poland)

Ministries for 15th/16th March

ACKINDUFF

Eucharistic Minister:

Margaret Murray
Pat Traynor

Reader:

Kieran Traynor

Altar Servers:

Matthew Donaghy
Ronan Donaghy

AUGHNAGAR

Eucharistic Ministers:

Geraldine Scullion
James Mc Kenna

Reader:

Maybelline Gormley

Altar Servers:

Roisin McKane
Chloe McKenna

TULLYALLEN

Eucharistic Ministers:

Joanne Goodwin
Sheila Loughran
Declan Begley

Reader:

Julia Small

Altar Servers:

Paudric Nugent
Ciaran Quinn

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

Parish Email: killeeshilparish@yahoo.co.uk

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

Parish Safeguarding: Geraldine Scullion Tel: 028 8556 7078

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 McCaul Tel: 028 3756 8288
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: £1,735.00 + £495.00 S. Orders

Development Collection: £715.00

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.parihofkilleeshil.com and locate the "Donate to our Parish" button.

Lent

During Lent there will be:

Stations of the Cross: Sundays at 7.00pm in Tullyallen.

Eucharistic Adoration: Mondays from 6.30pm - 7.30pm in Ackinduff.

Walk with Me and *Magnificat* booklets and are available in the church for prayer during Adoration.

Readers for Lent

Anyone who is willing to read at any of the weekday Masses during Lent should contact the Parochial House.

Friday Penance

The following are suggested as ways of fulfilling Friday penance:

- Abstaining from meat or some other food;
- Abstaining from alcoholic drink or smoking;
- Making a special effort at involvement in family prayer;
- Making a special effort to participate in Mass;
- Visiting the Blessed Sacrament
- Making the Stations of the Cross;
- Fasting from all food for a longer period than usual and perhaps giving what is saved to the needy;
- Helping the poor, sick, old or lonely.

Redemptoris Mater Seminary

On the weekend of March 22nd/23rd, seminarians from the Redemptoris Mater seminary in Dundalk, will be visiting our parish to introduce themselves and the seminary. They will also have Mother's Day cards and a cross necklace available for donation to help support their formation.

Killeeshil Community Centre

(Bookings - Kieran Tel: 0777 693 9351)

Physio led Pilates: Tuesdays.

8pm Improvers and 9pm Mixed level suitable for beginners. Please text or pm Joanne on 07835166402.

Coffee Morning

The James Connolly 1916 Society are having a Coffee Morning in aid of Palestine this Sunday, 9th March from 9.00am - 1.00pm in Killeeshil Community Centre. Proceeds will go Palestine Aid for the purchase of a mobile maternity unit for Gaza.

Blood Donation at St Ciaran's College

St Ciaran's College are hosting a community blood donation session on Wednesday 26th March 2025 at the school from 5.00pm - 7.30pm.

A minimum of 125 people need to book in to ensure the session can run. A big turnout for the blood donation session will enable the service to meet the demand from hospitals for lifesaving donated blood. To book visit:

<https://nibts.bookinglive.com/book/add/p/6>

Trocaire

Trocaire's Lenten campaign centres around the story of a family and a small community from La Paz in Guatemala. LLma and Julio have four children and you can see their photo on the Trocaire box this year. They depend on farming for their livelihood. Like many families and communities, they are experiencing increasingly erratic weather patterns due to climate change.