

## Community Information

<b>Emergencies</b>	999 or 112
Garda Station	(066) 9761113
<b>Doctors</b>	
Valerie Collins	(066) 9761253
Ann Cronin	(066) 9761014
Edmund Prendiville/Eugene Cotter	(066) 9761072
William Prendiville	(066) 9761149
<b>Dentists</b>	
Jean Luc Jegouzo	(066) 9761477
Tim Lynch	(066) 9761831
<b>Primary Schools</b>	
Douglas NS	(066) 9762524
Glounaguillagh NS, Caragh Lake	(066) 9769402
Scoil Mhuire, Killorglin	(066) 9761779
Scoil Réalt na Mara, Cromane	(066) 9769331
<b>Second Level Schools</b>	
Community College	(066) 9761168
Intermediate School	(066) 9761246
<b>Childcare</b>	
An Céad Céim	(087) 9364884
Iasc Óg Preschool, Cromane	(087) 7542926
Scamps & Scholars	(066) 9761525
<b>Community Services</b>	
Alcoholics Anonymous	087 0522911
Citizen's Information Centre	(066) 9790856
Day Care Centre	(066) 9790907
Living Links (for suicide bereaved)	(087) 9006300
Mental Health Day Care Centre	(066) 9796872
Samaritans	1850 609090
St. Joseph's Home	(066) 9761124
Kerry County Council, Killorglin	(066) 9761123
Killorglin Library	(066) 9761272
Killorglin Health Centre	(066) 9761276
Local Employment Service	(066) 9762444
Social Welfare Office	(066) 9790010

## Killorglin Parish: A Short History

The parish of Killorglin extends into four different baronies, Trughanackmy, Iveragh, Dunkerron North and Maguinihy. The current parish boundaries were established in 1884. St. James' Church is the parish church and is dedicated to St. James the Greater, whose shrine is at Compostela in Spain. This church was built on the site of an older church which dates from c.1790. Fr. Thomas Lawlor initiated the construction of the present church, the foundation stone of which was laid on 6th September 1888 and the completed church was consecrated by Bishop Coffey in May 1891. Fr. Thomas Lawlor is laid to rest under Our Lady's Altar.

There has been a church in Cromane since the 1860s. Following major refurbishment, the church was dedicated to Our Lady Star of the Sea in October 1913.

Between 1884 and 1887, six new national schools were built in the parish, in Killorglin itself, Douglas, Cromane, Glounaguillagh, Dungeel and Glencuttane. Glounaguillagh still operates in the original building which has been extended and refurbished. Dungeel and Glencuttane schools were closed in 1974 and new schools have been built in Killorglin, Cromane and Douglas in the last 30 years. In September 1909 the first secondary school in the parish, the "Carnegie", opened with 53 pupils on the rolls and in 1937 the Vocational School was completed. Both schools now occupy new buildings on green field sites. The former is now the Intermediate School and the latter became Killorglin Community College.

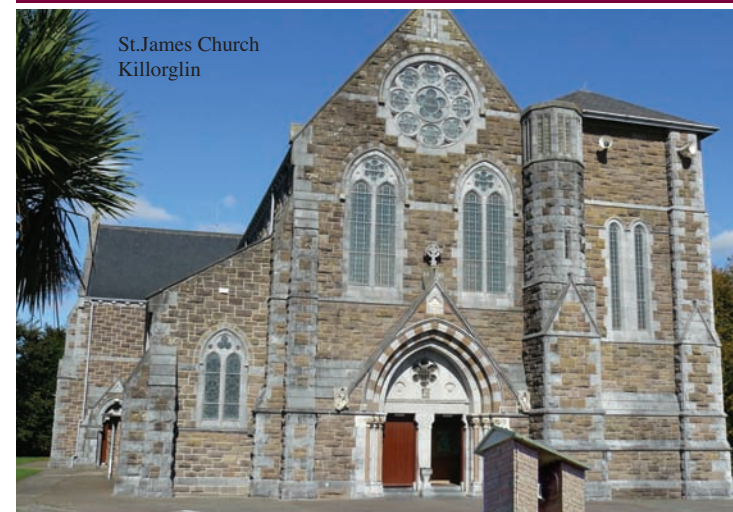
In June 1943, four Sisters of St. Joseph of Annecy took up residence in Killorglin. The sisters now care for the elderly in St. Joseph's Home which was completed in 1971.  
*(from Kieran Foley's History of Killorglin, 1987)*

There are 52 Station Areas in the Parish. These are the administrative units of the parish and comprise one or more townlands.

**Your Station Area is:**

## Welcome to Our Parish

- > FÁILTE CHUN ÁR BPARÓISTE
- > WITATCIE W NASZEJ PARAFII
- > VÍTAJTE V NAŠEJ FARNOSTĚ
- > SVEIKI ATVYKĖ Į MŪSŲ BENDRVOMENĖ
- > BIENVENUE À NOTRE PAROISSE
- > WILKOMMEN IN UNSERER GEMEINDE
- > BIENVENIDOS A NUESTRA PARROQUIA
- > BENVENUTO A NOSTRA PARROCCHIA
- > VÍTEJTE V NAŠÍ FARNOSTI



St. James Church  
Killorglin



Star of the Sea Church,  
Cromane

## Church Ceremonies

### St. James' Church, Killorglin

#### Mass Times

Saturday Vigil	7.30pm
Sunday	9.00am, 12.00noon
Holydays	10.30am, 6.30pm
Monday, Thursday	10.30am, 6.30pm
Tuesday, Wednesday, Friday	10.30am

*(In July and August, weekday Masses on Monday to Friday are celebrated at 10.30am only)*

#### Confessions

Before Saturday Vigil Mass

After 10.30am Mass on eve of First Friday

#### Exposition of the Blessed Sacrament

Friday, 3.00pm - 6.30pm

### Star of the Sea Church, Cromane

#### Mass Times

Sunday	10.30am
First Fridays and Holydays	7.30pm
Saturday Vigil	6.00pm

*(July and August only)*

#### Confessions:

Before Mass on Sunday

The following Liturgical Celebrations also take place annually as announced:

*First Holy Communion, Confirmation, Forty Hours Adoration of the Blessed Sacrament, Corpus Christi Procession, Blessing of Babies, Anointing of the Sick, Mass in Dromavalla and Ardmoniel Cemeteries, Mass for Deceased of the Parish., extra Masses during Lent and November*

**Weddings** and **Baptisms** are celebrated by arrangement

# Welcome to the Parish of Killorglin

Whether you have lived in Killorglin all your life, are residing here for a short while or have recently put down roots in the parish, we hope that your time in the parish is rewarding and happy. The parish and its people have much to offer, be it natural beauty, culture or just the way of life. So enjoy living in this thriving community of Killorglin and Cromane.

Killorglin Parish Pastoral Council has compiled this leaflet as an introduction to the parish and to provide parish information. The Parish Pastoral Council includes the Priests of the Parish and lay parishioners who work together to identify and respond to spiritual needs in a changing society.

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Open Monday - Friday: 9.30am - 1.00pm  
Email: killorglinparish@eircom.net

## Parish Organisations

#### Church Teams

Liturgy Group, Altar Servers, Altar Society, Choirs, Collectors, Eucharistic Ministers, Ministers of the Word, Station Representatives

#### Prayer Groups

**Padre Pio Prayer Group:** designated Mondays after 6.30pm Mass.

#### Lay Organisations

**St. Joseph's Young Priests Society:** Fosters vocations to the priesthood and religious life and promotes the vocation of the laity. Meets on Thursday, the eve of the First Friday, at 7.45pm in Ozanam House.

**Pioneer Council:** Promotes abstinence from alcohol and drugs. Meets on the first Wednesday of the month in the Community Care Centre at 8.00pm.

**St. Vincent de Paul:** Manages Killorglin Community Care Centre and supports those in need in the community. Meets on Monday night in Ozanam House, Market Street at 7.30pm.

**Fr. Tom Lawlor Memorial Committee:** Preserves and promotes the heritage of Killorglin Parish.

New members are always very welcome in Parish Organisations. If you are interested in getting involved, or would like more information, please contact the Parish Office.