

Killorglin Parish

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MASS TIMES

St. James' Church, Killorglin

Saturday Vigil 6.00pm
Sunday 12.00pm
Monday 10.30am
Tuesday 10.30am
Thursday 6.30pm
Friday 10.30am

Star of the Sea Church, Cromane

Sunday 10.00am
Holydays, First Friday 7.30pm

All Masses will be livestreamed
<https://www.mcnmedia.tv/camera/killorglin-st-james-church>

CONFESSIONS

in St. James' Church, Killorglin
on two Saturdays every month,
12.00 - 12.30pm

EUCCHARISTIC ADORATION

in St. James' Church, Killorglin
on Tuesday, 11.00am - 7.00pm

Funeral Masses

If you would like a Funeral Mass in St. James' recorded, please request this of the Parish Office, on the day beforehand.

Funeral Masses can also be livestreamed from Star of the Sea Church, Cromane.

10th September 2023

Nursing Hurt?

In this Gospel, Jesus challenges his disciples: "If your brother or sister sins against you, you should go and talk with them about the situation."

Now ask yourself: What is your typical reaction when someone sins against you? Do you ignore them? Do you take some time to decide how you want to respond? Or do you nurse your anger or hurt? Do you retaliate in like manner?

Most of us developed and honed our personal response to being sinned against at a very young age. We didn't even know we were developing a personal response. We may have modelled our response on how our parents responded in these types of situations. Or we simply may have decided to keep our distance from the individuals who sinned against us (if that was an option). Or perhaps you were taught to talk with the person who had sinned against you and work it out?

Now take a moment and ask yourself: today how do I respond when another person sins against me? Is my response different from when I was a child? Or is my reaction basically the same as when I was an 8-year old or a 14-year old? These responses become so automatic in our childhood that we may not consciously be aware of them.

Today may be a good day to ask ourselves: how do I respond when I feel sinned against by another? Do we bind another to us with our anger or resentment? Or do we "loose the other person" by striving to "let the hurt, anger or jealousy go" by talking with the individual?

The gift is we can always change our automatic responses to certain situations. It takes a concerted effort. It is so easy to slip back into old patterns.

Ask yourself: Do you wish to change your automatic response? It is possible to do if we keep alert and mindful. However, if we choose to do this, then we have a conscious choice to make.

In this process we not only may have freed the individual who sinned against us, we also may have freed ourselves from the pain, anger and hurt that we have been carrying.

Season of Creation 2023

Let Justice and Peace Flow

The Season of Creation is marked throughout the Christian world from 1st September to 4th October (Feast of Saint Francis of Assisi) and celebrates the joy of creation as well as encouraging awareness-raising initiatives to protect the natural environment.

This year's theme is "Let Justice and Peace Flow" taking inspiration from the Prophet Amos who declares: "Let justice roll on like a river, righteousness like a never-failing stream!" (Amos 5: 24).

And so, we are called to join the river of justice and peace, to take up climate and ecological justice, and to speak out with and for communities most impacted by climate injustice and the loss of biodiversity. As the people of God, we must work together on behalf of all Creation, as part of that mighty river of peace and justice.

To mark this year's Season of Creation, our parish is hosting an event on Saturday, September 29th. Fr. Michael Long, founder of Cabragh Wetlands Education Centre in Thurles, will speak at our gathering in the parish garden that morning. He will also speak at the weekend Masses in the parish. More details will be provided as we get closer to the date. It is open to everyone, and it is also doubling as the diocesan event to mark this year's Season of Creation.

A Four Direction Prayer

*Let us turn our hearts to the West
From there the Thunders bring us cleansing rain
Creator God, heal us and our relatives*

*Let us turn our hearts to the North
Winter comes to us from there and calls us to rest
Creator God, restore our strength*

*Let us turn our hearts to the East
The morning Sun begins each day there
Creator God awaken us and help us to walk with
a renewed life*

*Let us turn our hearts to the South
Where the warm winds come from to give us
comfort and joy
Creator God soothe our aching souls*

*Let us turn our hearts to the Sky
From there our Creator sees all around us
Creator God help us to trust you to lead us*

*Let us turn our hearts to the Earth
From there quiet wisdom comes to teach us
Creator God hear us as we pray*

Remember our Dead

Died Recently: Patrick (Pat) Murphy, Upper Tullig

Anniversaries: James Tuohy, Gortloughera
Maureen Foley, Laune View

Teddy Clifford, Altavilla
Timothy Sweeney, Dooks

Mass Intentions for the coming week in St. James' Church, Killorglin

Monday, 11 th September	10.30am	For the People of the Parish
Tuesday, 12 th September	10.30am	Hannah & John Riordan, Tulligbeg
Thursday, 14 th September	6.30pm	John & Bridie Cronin, James Cronin, Garraghadoo; Kathleen Cronin, 24 Iveragh Park
Friday, 15 th September	10.30am	Michael & Sheila McSweeney, Mallow
Saturday, 16 th September	6.00pm	Daniel & Joan Clifford, Annadale Road
Sunday, 17 th September	12.00pm	John & Sheila Browne, Muingaphuca

Mass Intentions for the coming week in Star of the Sea Church, Cromane

Sunday, 17 th September	10.00am	Joe & Breda O'Sullivan, Cromane Upper
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Killorglin Pastoral Area

Priest on Duty this Sunday

In emergency always ring your own Priest first.

Fr. Kevin Sullivan, (087) 6277638

If he is unavailable, please ring the following:

Monday: Fr. Kevin Sullivan, (087) 6277638

Tuesday: Fr. Kieran O'Sullivan, (087) 2432155

Wednesday: Fr. Fergal Ryan, (087) 2408540

Thursday: Fr. Danny Broderick, (087) 9061255

Friday: Fr. Kevin Sullivan, (087) 6277638

Eucharistic Adoration

Eucharistic Adoration takes place

in St. James Church

on Tuesdays, from 11.00am - 7.00pm.

Confessions

There will be Confessions in St. James Church, from 12.00 - 12.30pm, on announced Saturdays. The next date is Saturday **23rd September**.

Baptisms

Baptisms will take place in St. James' Church on

Saturday 23rd September.....4.30pm

Sunday 24th September1.00pm

Sunday 8th October1.00pm

Saturday 21st October4.30pm

Sunday 22nd October1.00pm

Baptisms will take place in the Star of the Sea Church, Cromane, on Sunday after morning Mass, by arrangement.

Please arrange your baby's Baptism through the Parish Office.

Rosary on Main Street, Killarney

The Statue of Our Lady of Fatima will be on Main Street, Killarney on Wednesday 13th September. Prayer begins at 3.00pm.

Everyone is most welcome to come and join us.

Church Cleaning

Míle buíochas to all to joined us on Thursday last.

"How Great thou Art", a Gala Concert in aid of Kerry Hospice

in St. John's Church, Tralee, on Sunday 24th September, at 7.30pm featuring Red Hurley, St. John's Gregorian Choir, Kerry School of Music Orchestra and Kerry Chamber Choir.

Tickets, €20, are available from St. John's Parish Centre, Michael Fox O'Connor, (087) 9833075 or at the door on the night.

Rainbows Ireland

A 9-week Bereavement Support group for children aged 7 and 8 years will take place at Maine Valley Family Resource Centre, Castlemaine, starting on Wednesday 4th October.

Ring/Text (087) 3694169 to book a place.

For further details see www.rainbowsireland.ie

Ministries for next weekend

St. James Church, Killorglin, 16th & 17th September

Vigil	Reader	Pat Cahill
	Eucharistic Minister	Patricia Foley
	Altar Servers	Jack Moloney, Donnacha Gleeson, Matthew Cahill, Avery O'Sullivan
12.00	Reader	Paddy O'Donoghue
	Eucharistic Minister	Fiona O'Shea
	Altar Servers	Oisín Griffin, Danielle Lynch, Rian McCann, Ava O'Shea Joy

Star of the Sea Church, Cromane, 17th September

10.00am	Reader	Diarmuid Riordan
	Altar Servers	Daire Harkin, Amber O'Connell

Livestreaming & Broadcasting

All Masses are livestreamed from St. James'

www.mcnmedia.tv/camera/killorglin-st-james-church

The webcam captures images of individuals who sit in the first two seats of the centre aisle. Please sit in another part of the Church if you do not wish your image to be broadcast in this way.

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Sunday Mornings at 9.00am -
communicating the Christian message