

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

All Masses will be livestreamed

<https://www.mcn.live/Camera/killorglin-st-james-church>

Star of the Sea Church, Cromane

Sunday 10.00am
Holydays, First Friday 7.30pm

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

ST. PATRICK'S DAY

The Challenge Today

The 'Confession of St. Patrick' is an account of his life and a confession of his faith. What stands out in his Confession is his sense of his own unworthiness. He is a person of deep faith with a profound sense of duty and a confidence of God's presence with him.

Arriving on our shores, Patrick could see the movement of God's spirit in the native religions. Patrick could sense God in the deep, beneath the surface.

Patrick did not come denouncing people or their customs, but, living among them, he became a catalyst for transformation, conversion. Customs of pagan religion were Christianized. The native belief in the power of water and fire was a ready foundation on which to build a Christian spirituality that would speak of Christ The Light of the world, every spring a Holy Well holding the sacred memory of baptism. The rhythms of the Celtic year began to mark the story of God sharing in human history.

Today, we are challenged to live the faith of St. Patrick and also to hand it on to the next generation. We are challenged to be faithful; we are challenged to be in a vibrant relationship with God; we are challenged to know and understand what our faith teaches.

We are called to renewal. It is not simply about the structures of the church; it is not about the politics of religion; first and foremost, it is about how we live our faith i.e. our relationship with God and with one another.

That is the starting point now, as it always has been. The rest will follow. To live our lives in relationship with God is the foundation of our lives, just as it was the rock on which Patrick built his life.

A Prayer for Those Away from Home

*Loving God,
we pray for those whom we love,
but who are absent from us.*

*Keep them safe
from all harm, evil and danger.
Bless them with peace, laughter,
wisdom, love and joy.*

*Grant that we may be reunited
in the fullness of love;
in Christ's name we pray. Amen.*

From Prayers of our Hearts
by Vienna Cobb Anderson

A Prayer for Immigrants

*Blessed are You, Lord Jesus Christ.
You crossed every border between Divinity
and humanity to make your home with us.*

*Help us to welcome you
in newcomers, migrants and refugees.*

*Blessed are You, God of all nations.
You bless our land richly
with goods of creation
and with people made in your image.
Help us to be*

*good stewards and peacemakers,
who live as your children.*

*Blessed are You, Holy Spirit.
You work in the hearts of all
to bring about harmony and goodwill.*

*Strengthen us to
welcome those from other lands,
cultures, religions,
that we may live
in human solidarity and in hope.*

*God of all people,
grant us vision to see
your presence in our midst,
especially in our
immigrant sisters and brothers.
Give us courage
to open the door to our neighbours
and grace to build a society of justice.*

Source: Pax Christi

Emigrant Sunday Collection

As a Church and a people, we must continue to reach out to those who are affected by emigration. We remember and pray for all Irish people overseas; those who are recently departed and those who left our shores many years ago.

The Irish Episcopal Council for Emigrants has been responding to the needs of Irish emigrants around the world since 1957. It continues to do so through the work of its pastoral centres in the United States and the UK, which provide a myriad services to the most vulnerable members of the Irish emigrant community.

It also does so by providing grants to other like-minded organisations that provide targeted and specialist support to discreet categories of vulnerable emigrants – from the aged and lonely to those with addiction and mental health problems.

This funding allows us to offer essential support to those organisations providing pastoral, practical outreach to the most marginalised and vulnerable groups of Irish people.

Remember our Dead

Died Recently: Mike Foley, Dublin & Anglont

Anniversaries: Muireann Clifford, Muingaphuca & Laharn

John McKenna, Lonhart

Den Corkery, 30 Laune View

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

Tuesday, 19 th March	10.30am	Michael & Ellen O'Sullivan, Maureen O'Sullivan, Reeks View; Patricia Ryle, Farmer's Bridge
Thursday, 21 st March	6.30pm	Tommy Woods, 5 Carran Court; Eileen Dermody, Sunhill; Jane O'Riordan, Apt. 2, Market House, Market Street; Martin & Sheila Knightly, Tullig; Kathleen Nyland, Tulligbeg; Peg & Denny Murphy, Ann Murphy, Coomnafanida; John & Margaret O'Sullivan, Diarmaid, Seán, Pat & Michael O'Sullivan, Aunagarry; Nora O'Sullivan, Coomcloghane; Nora O'Sullivan, Kilcoulaght; Martin P.B. & Hannah Riordan, Tullig Cross; Carmel Sheehy & the Sheehy & O'Sullivan families
Friday, 22 nd March	10.30am	For the People of the Parish
Saturday, 23 rd March	6.00pm	Honor O'Connor, Lower Bridge Street
Sunday, 24 th March	12.00pm	James & Hannah O'Sullivan, Denis O'Sullivan, Gurrane West

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

Friday 22 nd March	7.30pm	Private Intention
Sunday, 24 th March	10.00am	Denny & Maureen Teahan, Mary, Katie & Denis Teahan, Cromane Lower

Killorglin Pastoral Area

Priest on Duty this Sunday

In emergency always ring your own Priest first.

Fr. Danny Broderick, (087) 9061255

If he is unavailable, please ring the following:

Monday: Fr. Danny Broderick, (087) 9061255

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

Wednesday: Fr. Kevin Sullivan, (087) 6277638

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Please Note

There will be no 10.30am Mass on Monday 18th March

Ministries for next weekend

St. James Church, Killorglin, 23rd & 24th March

Vigil	Reader	
	Eucharistic Minister	Maura O'Boyle
	Altar Servers	Eimee Lynch, Scarlett Moriarty, Caoimhe Foley, Fraya Morrison
12.00pm	Reader	Sinéad Oman
	Eucharistic Minister	Ita Brick
	Altar Servers	Jamie Heffernan, Nathan Foley, Jack O'Sullivan

Star of the Sea Church, Cromane, 24th March

	Reader	Marion Scales
	Altar Servers	Amber O'Connell, Kate & Ella Foley

Livestreaming & Broadcasting

All Masses are livestreamed from St. James' Church

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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.

Parish Consultation

In response to Bishop Ray's invitation to discuss the future of pastoral areas and parishes, our parish meeting took place on March 4th. The well-attended meeting was marked by an energy and openness to embrace the challenges that faces our parish and the pastoral area. A sincere thanks to all who attended and listened respectfully to the views of others. Also, a huge vote of appreciation to Sinead Geary and Margaret Naughton who brought it all together and facilitated the meeting on the night. Each parish has submitted the views of parishioners to Bishop Ray. They will influence the direction that our diocese will take in the years ahead. A copy of the views of our parishioners will be made available shortly and will be distributed after Mass in the coming weeks.

During the Season of Lent

-Mass will be celebrated in the Star of the Sea Church, each Friday, at 7.30pm.

-The Stations of the Cross will be prayed in St. James Church, on Thursday, at 6.10pm and in Star of the Sea Church, on Friday, at 7.10pm.

Confessions

There will be Confessions in St. James Church, from 12.00 - 12.30pm, on announced Saturdays. The next date is Saturday **23rd March**. Confessions will be heard in the new Prayer Space.

Baptism

Baptisms will take place in St. James' Church on

Saturday 13th April4.30pm

Sunday 14th April.....1.00pm

Saturday 27th April4.30pm

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.

Eucharistic Adoration

Eucharistic Adoration takes place in St. James Church, on Tuesday, from 11.00am - 7.00pm.

Laune Rangers GAA

Training for U5, U7, U9 & U11 boys resumes in J P O'Sullivan Park on Sunday 24th March, at 10.00am

More information from John, (087) 2073244