

Killorglin Parish

2nd August 2026

Parish Priest

Fr. Kevin Sullivan

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Parish Office

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Monday - Friday,

9.30am - 1.00pm

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www.dioceseofkerry.ie

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(087) 6362780

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 - 6.00pm

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.

Nothing is too small

In the busyness of our daily lives, we often overlook the small things, small moments, the minor tasks, and the seemingly insignificant opportunities that come our way. It's easy to fall into the trap of believing that only grand gestures or monumental moments can bring about real change.

All throughout the Bible God used the seemingly insignificant to perform miracles and change lives.

Imagine a crowd of over 5,000 hungry people with no food in sight. It seemed impossible to feed everyone with just five loaves of bread and two fish. Yet, when a little boy offered his small lunch to Jesus, it became more than enough. Jesus took what seemed so little and multiplied it, feeding thousands and showing us that our "little bit" can be transformed into abundance when placed in God's hands.

God doesn't need us to have a lot; He needs us to be willing to give what we have.

We should not underestimate the power of the little things in our lives. Whether it's a kind word, a small act of service, or a simple prayer. In God's hands, nothing is too small to make a big difference.

Killorglin Cemetery Masses at 7.30pm

Dromavalla on Monday 3rd August

Ardmoniel on Thursday 6th August

Réalt na Mara on Friday 7th August

Changes to Mass Schedule

Due to Graveyard Masses, the following Masses will not be celebrated in the coming week:

KILLORGLIN

10.30am Mass on Monday 3rd August

6.30pm Mass on Thursday 6th August

CROMANE

7.30pm Mass on Friday 7th August.

Prayer for Wildfire Victims

We pray for all who are affected by the devastating wildfires in France, Spain, and throughout Europe.

Draw near to those who have been forced to flee their homes, those who are grieving loss, and those facing an uncertain tomorrow. Surround them with your comfort, strength, and hope.

Protect firefighters, emergency responders, medical teams, and volunteers who work to save lives and safeguard communities. Grant them wisdom, endurance, and safety as they face dangerous conditions.

We remember farmers whose fields have burned, families whose livelihoods have been disrupted, and the forests and wildlife that have been scarred by the flames.

Bring healing to the earth and renewal where destruction now seems overwhelming.

Inspire leaders, neighbours, and people around the world to respond with compassion, generosity, and care.

Remind us that we are one human family, called to bear one another's burdens across every border.

God of hope, bring rain to the dry places, peace to anxious hearts, and courage to all who face the days ahead.

May your presence be a source of strength today and your promise of new life sustain all who long for restoration.

In the name of Christ, who brings light even in the darkest times. Amen.

First Friday

First Friday calls will take place as usual in the coming week.

Confessions

There are Confessions in St. James Church on two Saturdays in the month, from 12.00 - 12.30pm. The next date is Saturday 8th August. Confessions are available on request.

Eucharistic Adoration

There will be Eucharistic Adoration in St. James Church, on Tuesday, from 11.00am - 6.00pm

Remember our Dead

Anniversaries:

Annette O'Shea, Mountain View
John O'Sullivan, Langford Street
Gerard Foley, Caragh Lake
John Coffey, Coomcloghane

Charlie O'Brien, Rangue
Chris Aherne, Tulligbeg
Annie O'Brien, Caragh Lake

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

Tuesday, 4 th July	10.30am	Mikey Sheehan, Glencuttane
Friday, 7 th August	10.30am	Patrick, Dan & Kathleen Doyle, Aunagarry
Saturday, 8 th August	6.00pm	Ted Houlihan, Gurrane West
Sunday, 9 th August	12.00pm	For the intentions of all members, living and deceased, of the Puck Fair Committee

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

Sunday, 9 th August	10.00am	Brendan & Margaret Foley, Caragh Lake
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Killorglin Pastoral Area

Priest on Duty this Sunday

Fr. Timothy Kiplagat, (087) 0009181

In emergency always ring your own Priest first.

If he is unavailable, please ring the following:

Monday: Fr. Timothy Kiplagat, (087) 0009181
Tuesday: Fr. Kieran O'Sullivan, (087) 2432155
Wednesday: Fr. Fergal Ryan, (087) 2408540
Thursday: Fr. Kevin Sullivan, (087) 6277638
Friday: Fr. Timothy Kiplagat, (087) 0009181

Ministries for next weekend

St. James Church, Killorglin, 8th & 9th August

Vigil	Reader	Anne Sweeney
	Eucharistic Minister	Noreen Cahillane
	Altar Servers	Hayley Walker, Julia Seagrave, Rachel Seagrave, Ellie O'Grady
12.00pm	Reader	Anne Waterson
	Eucharistic Minister	Nóirín O'Grady, Freda Purcell, James Cashman
	Altar Servers	Fionn Sheehan, Cathal Courtney, Padraig Sheehan, Elijah Ampong

Star of the Sea Church, Cromane, 9th August

	Reader	Seamus McMahon
	Altar Servers	Olivia Doyle, Hetty Doyle

Livestreaming & Broadcasting

All Masses are livestreamed from St. James' Church:
<https://www.mcn.live/Camera/killorglin-st-james-church>

Listen to Horizons on Radio Kerry

Sunday mornings at 9.00am -
Communicating the Christian message.

Puck Fair Parking

During Puck, parking will be available in St. James Church grounds at Mass times only. The gates will be locked at all other times. Thank you for your co-operation.

Feastdays and Readings for Weekday Masses

Tuesday 4 th	St. John Mary Vianney, Priest Jer 30: 1-2, 12-15, 18-22. Mt 14: 22-36. St. John Vianney, 1786-1859, had to contend with poverty, military service and his own intellectual shortcomings in order to become a priest. In 1817, he was sent to care for the people of Ars, a small obscure French village. The marvellous gift of the unlearned Priest for seeing into the depth of the soul brought the world to Ars. From 1830, the Curé averaged 12 - 16 hours a day in the confessional. He is the Patron of Priests.
Friday 7 th	Nah 2: 1,3, 3:3-1, 6-7. Mt 16: 24-28.

Diocesan Collection

The annual collection for the *John Paul II Pastoral Centre, Killarney*, will be taken up at all Masses this weekend. The Pastoral Centre is a focal point for catechetical and adult faith education programmes in the Diocese and supports Primary & Post Primary Religious Education.

Christian Meditation

Our Christian Meditation group will meet on Wednesday 5th August, in the Prayer Room, St. James Church, at 6.30pm.

Irish Pilgrimage Trust (Rise & Shine) Lourdes Charity

Please support the Pop-up Rise & Shine Lourdes Charity Fundraiser Café at the Bakehouse, O'Donnell's Bakery, Mill Road, after 12.00pm Mass on Sunday 9th August and from 10.00am – 5.30pm, during Puck.

Study Opportunities

St. Patrick's College, Maynooth, *H. Dip. in Theological Studies*
Applications close on 15th August. email rachel.mchugh@spcm.ie
ATU St. Angela's College, Sligo
Part-Time Certificate in Religious Education for Primary School
Applications close on 14th August. Email mary.kearns@atu.ie

Youth 2000 Summer Festival 13th–16th August

This year's Youth 2000 Summer Festival (for young people aged 16 - 35) will be held in Newbridge College, Co. Kildare. This is a donation-only event, with free buses available across the country and all meals included. To register visit youth2000.ie or follow @Youth2000Ireland