Killorglin Parish

Parish Priest
Fr. Kevin Sullivan
(087) 6277638

Parish Office
The Presbytery, Castleconway
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

EUCHARISTIC 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.

Season of Creation 2026
" Living Water"

Each year from September 1 to October 4, the Christian family unites for this worldwide celebration of prayer and action to protect our common home. It is a special season where we celebrate God as Creator and acknowledge Creation as the divine continuing act that summons us as collaborators to love and care for the gift of all that is created.

As followers of Christ from around the globe, we share a common call to care for Creation. We are co-creatures and part of all that God has made. Our well-being is interwoven with the well-being of the Earth. We rejoice in this opportunity to safeguard our common home and all beings who share it with us.

This year's theme, "Living Water", explores Ezekiel 47:9 and 12 as a powerful biblical vision of hope and ecological healing. Set amid exile and loss, the image of living water flowing from God's sanctuary reveals divine healing that renews land, water, biodiversity, and human responsibility towards the whole creation.

"Swarms of living creatures will live wherever the river flows. There will be large numbers of fish, because this water flows there and makes the salt water fresh; so where the river flows everything will live. […] Fruit trees of all kinds will grow on both banks of the river. Their leaves will not wither, nor will their fruit fail. Every month they will bear fruit, because the water from the sanctuary flows to them. Their fruit will serve for food and their leaves for healing." (Ezek 47:9,12)

The Gift of Water

God, whose Spirit
moved over the deep:
We thank you for the gift of water —
the waters on the Earth,
and under the Earth,
the waters above us, and within us.
Make us mindful of the care of all the planet's waters,
that it may richly sustain life for us
and for those who come after us.
Accept the first fruits we offer here.
Bless and multiply these gifts
to our nurture
and the care of your creation;
for the sake of your
Son, our Saviour Jesus Christ.

Eucharistic Adoration

There is Eucharistic Adoration in St. James Church, on Tuesdays, from 11.00am - 6.00pm.

Christian Meditation

Our Christian Meditation group meets on Wednesdays, in the Prayer Room, St. James Church, at 6.30pm.

Praying the Divine Office

The Liturgy of the Hours, also known as the Divine Office, is the daily prayer of the Church, marking the hours of each day. Clergy and religious are obliged to pray the Divine Office each day but all members of the church are encouraged to do so as well.
There will be an opportunity to pray the Divine Office in the Prayer Room, St. James Church, on **Saturday 4th October** at 9.45am.
The text for the prayers will be provided.

Baptisms

Baptisms take place in St. James Church on the 2nd & 4th weekends of the month, on Saturday at 4.30pm and on Sunday at 1.00pm.
Baptisms 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, (066) 9761172, (087) 6584479, **killorglin@dioceseofkerry.ie**

Remember our Dead

Died Recently: **Cathrina Mulligan**, Countess Road, Killarney

Anniversaries: **Tommy Costello**, Upper Bridge Street & Gurrane East **Cristine Costello**, Upper Bridge Street & Liverpool
Michael Purcell, Laune View

Mass Intentions for the coming week in St. James' Church, Killorglin		
Monday 28th September	**10.30am**	For the People of the Parish
Tuesday, 29th September	**10.30am**	**Josephhine McAuliffe**, St. James Gardens
Thursday, 1st October	**6.30pm**	**Timmy & Margaret Corkery, Eugene, Ellen & Patrick Corkery**, Tulligmore
Friday, 2nd October	**10.30am**	**James, Mary & John O'Sullivan**, Langford Street
Saturday, 3rd October	**6.00pm**	**Robert Gamble**, 43 Iveragh Park
Sunday, 4th October	**12.00pm**	**Aoife Kingston**, Aunagarry
Mass Intentions for the coming week in Cromane		
Friday, 2nd October	**7.30pm**	**Margaret Angland**, Cromane; **Tina Clifford Moore**, Glosha; **John Nellie & Michael Riordan**, Dooks; **John, Pauline, Daniel Joseph & John D O'Sulivan**, Cromane Lower
Sunday 4th October	**10.00am**	**Dessie O'Sullivan**, 47 Iveragh Park; **John & Hannah O'Sullivan**, Cromane Upper

Killorglin Pastoral Area

Priest on Duty this Sunday

Fr. Kieran O'Sullivan, (087) 2432155
In emergency always ring your own Priest first.
If he is unavailable, please ring the following:

Monday: *Fr. Kieran O'Sullivan, (087) 2432155*
Tuesday: *Fr. Kieran O'Sullivan, (087) 2432155*
Wednesday: *Fr. Kevin Sullivan, (087) 6277638*
Thursday: *Fr. Kevin Sullivan, (087) 6277638*
Friday: *Fr. Kieran O'Sullivan, (087) 2432155*

Ministries for next weekend		
St. James Church, Killorglin, 3rd & 4th October		
Vigil	**Reader**	*Anne Browne*
	Eucharistic Minister	*Mary Burke*
	Altar Servers	*Cillian Gleeson, Dara O'Brien, Adam Houihan, Noah Cahalane*
12.00pm	**Reader**	*Michael Moriarty*
	Eucharistic Minister	*Mary Levy, Christine Healy,*
	Altar Servers	*Fionn Sheehan, Cathal Courtney, Padraig Sheehan, Elijah Ampong*
Star of the Sea Church, Cromane, 4th October		
	Reader	*Johanna King*
	Altar Servers	*Ryan O'Sullivan, April O'Shea*

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 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.

Listen to Horizons on Radio Kerry

Sunday mornings at 9.00am -
Communicating the Christian message.

Feastdays and Readings for Weekday Masses

Monday 28th Job 1: 6-22. Lk 9: 46-50.

Tuesday 29th *SS Michael, Gabriel & Raphael, Archangels*
Dn 7: 9-10, 13-14. Jn 1: 47-51.
Gabriel brought the message to Mary at the Annunciation. He is patron of telecommunications, radio & TV workers. **Raphael** is the patron of nurses, physicians and the blind. **Michael** has been venerated as protector of Christians in general and soldiers in particulars. He is the patron of radiologists, the sick and paratroopers.

Thursday 1st *St. Thérèse of the Child Jesus*
Job 19: 21-27. Lk 10: 1-12.
St. Thérèse of Lisieux, was born in Alençon, France on 2nd January 1873. She entered the Carmel in Lisieux on 9th April 1888 and died there on 30th September 1897. She was declared a doctor of the Church by Pope John Paul II in 1997. She is the patron of missions, florists, aviators and France.

Friday 2nd *The Guardian Angels*
Ex 23: 20-23. Mt 18: 1-5, 10.
We venerate the Guardian Angels, seeking their constant protection.

ACCORD

◆**ACCORD Marriage Preparation Courses**
Visit **accord.ie** for information and to book your course
Diocesan approved Pre-Marriage courses are run by ACCORD

◆**In-person & Online Couple & Relationships Counselling**
ACCORD works with couples and individuals to resolve difficulties that arise in marriages and relationships.
ACCORD Killarney, (064) 6633612, **accordkillarney@gmail.com**

Vocations Afternoon

at the Poor Clare Monastery, College Road, Cork, on Saturday 3rd October, 2.00 - 4.00pm, for young women thinking about a contemplative vocation. **www.poorclarescork.ie**

Retreat Days in Glenstal Abbey

Mystagogy of the Forest with Fr. Anthony Keane OSB
on Saturday 24th October, from 10.00am — 4.30pm
Discover the buried treasure of your inner self in the woods of Glenstal Abbey and reconnect with your soul.
Dying to Live with Fr. Cuthbert Brennan OSB
on Saturday 31st October, from 10.00am - 4.30pm
What matters most? What keeps us from becoming fully alive?
Booking is essential: **events@glenstal.com**