

Killorglin Parish

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Monday - Friday,
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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 Church, Cromane.

21st July 2024

Take time to Reflect

Christ brought his disciples away from the noise and bustle of the everyday, to a quiet place where they could reflect and pray. He knew the importance of creating time and space for himself and his followers so they could catch their breath, come closer to the Father in prayer and reflect on all that has been happening in their lives.

Life is no longer slow by nature, as everything has taken up a faster pace over the years. Nowadays, we are not handed the time to reflect anymore, so it is important that we create those moments on our own.

We all have the incredible gift of our minds. Our not taking the time to reflect on life is neglecting the gift of our hearts and minds. We get so caught up in the hustle and bustle that we end up becoming numb to pausing and thinking deeply. But it does not have to be this way.

Reflection helps give us proper perspective.

It is easy for us to become overwhelmed with the circumstances of life. However, when we take time to step back and reflect, we can see the bigger picture more clearly. When we take stock and gain perspective, we can then see a situation more clearly.

Reflection lets us learn from our past

mistakes. None of us live perfect lives and we make mistakes along the way. Instead of letting these mistakes becoming a habit, we need to acknowledge and reflect on them. Our mistakes and sinfulness can, paradoxically, help us to grow, but only if we reflect on them.

Reflection lets us help those around us. When we take time to think, it helps us look beyond our own needs and desires. When we think about what is going on around us in our homes and community, it brings to our attention the needs of other people. This gives us the opportunity to assist, even if it means just a listening ear or a few words of encouragement.

Reflection leads us to God. Life's experiences show us that we chase after things that do not bring us peace and meaning to our lives. Christ offers us the gifts of the heart as well as purpose to our ordinary days. But we will not get these if we do not give ourselves the time to look beyond our self-centredness and see a higher purpose for ourselves.

Listening to God

*Let the risen Jesus enter your life
welcome Him as a friend, with trust.*

*If up until now
you have kept Him at a distance,
step forward.*

He will receive you with open arms.

*If you have been indifferent
take a risk;
you will not be disappointed.*

*If following him seems difficult,
don't be afraid.*

Trust Him.

*Be confident that He is close to you
He is with you
and He will give you the peace you are
looking for
and the strength to live
as He would have you do.*

Pope Francis

Eucharistic Adoration

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

Confessions

There are Confessions in St. James Church, on two Saturdays in the month, from 12.00 - 12.30pm. The next date is Saturday 3rd August.

Diocese of Kerry

Annual Pilgrimage to Knock

Saturday 24th August

Outdoor Stations of the Cross and the Rosary Procession will be held at 2.00pm. At 3.00pm, there will be Concelebrated Mass with Anointing of the Sick at Knock Basilica.

Our bus to Knock will leave the Fairfield at 7.00am. The fare is €30.

As there are limited places, please contact the Parish Office (087) 6584479, (066) 9761172, to book your seat.

Our Lady of Knock, pray for us.

Cemetery Masses in our Parish

at 7.30pm each evening

Friday 2nd Réalt na Mara
Monday 5th Dromavalla
Wednesday 7th Ardmoniel

Families are kindly asked to clean their family graves in preparation for the annual Cemetery Masses and to assist the Graveyard Committees by tidying the paths nearby also.

Remember our Dead

Died Recently:	Vera O’Keeffe nee Foley, Glenashe & Laune View Maureen Scally, London & Ceannnovree Margaret O’Neill, London & The Square
Anniversaries:	Bertie Houlihan, Knocklyne & Perth Kate & Mícheál O’Malley, Laharn West
	Jeremiah Moriarty, Parkalassa

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

Monday 22 nd July	10.30am	For the People of the Parish
Tuesday, 23 rd July	10.30am	John & Mary Coffey, Coomcloghane
Wednesday, 24 th	10.30am	Funeral Mass of Maureen Scally, Ceannovree & London
Thursday, 25 th July	6.30pm	Molly Young, Killarney & Killorglin; Joe Cronin, Coolbane; Jim & Kathleen Harris, Ben Harris, Pete Moroney, Reen; Michael J. Hoare, Tulligmore; Maurice Lynch, 6 Mountain View; John Seano Mangan, Cork & Laharn; Seán McKenna, 3 St. Brendan’s Terrace, Steelroe; Mary Murphy, Shanara; William Murphy, Lake View, Caragh Lake; John Nagle, Corroballa; Chrissie & Francie O’Sullivan, Douglas; Jeremiah & James O’Sullivan, Caragh Lake; Pat & Bridie O’Sullivan, Michael & Johnny O’Sullivan, St. James Gardens; Michael & Sheila Roche, Gortloughera; Michael Stack, Tinnahalla
Friday, 26 th July	10.30am	Funeral Mass of Margaret O’Neill, London & The Square
Saturday, 27 th July	6.00pm	Joan Lydon O’Gorman, 8A Iveragh Park
Sunday, 28 th July	12.00pm	Patrick Joy, “Heather Lodge”, Caragh Lake

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

Sunday, 28 th July	10.00am	Donal McEnery, Michael & Catherine McEnery, Cromane Lower
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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

Ministries for next weekend

St. James Church, Killorglin, 27th & 28th July

Vigil	Reader	Declan Mangan
	Eucharistic Minister	Maura O’Boyle
	Altar Servers	Eimee Lynch, Scarlett Moriarty, Caoimhe Foley
12.00pm	Reader	Edel Moriarty
	Eucharistic Minister	Ita Brick
	Altar Servers	Jamie Heffernan, Nathan Foley, Jack O’Sullivan

Star of the Sea Church, Cromane, 28th July

	Reader	Frank Shields
	Altar Servers	Amber O’Connell, Kate & Ella Foley

Livestreaming & Broadcasting

All Masses are livestreamed from St. James’ Church
<https://www.mcn.live/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.

Our Parish Biodiversity Garden

Visit our Parish Garden at St. James Church
 Enjoy the peace and calm provided by our garden pond, our orchard, our garden birds, our trees and our flowers.
 In the words of St. Francis of Assisi -
 “Laudato Si mi Signore”, “Praised be you, My Lord”

World Day for Grandparents and the Elderly

Sunday 28th July
 It is good to honour and encourage all grandparents.

Fan the Spark

This Catholic Faith Conference for young adults (aged 18 - 40), organised by the Legion of Mary, will be held on Saturday 24th August, in De Montfort House, Morning Star Avenue, Brunswick Street, Dublin 7, from 9.30am - 5.30pm.
 Details: deusetpatria@gmail.com

The Sacred Heart Messenger magazine

A modern message in a much-loved tradition
 The Sacred Heart Messenger magazine has writing on spirituality, prayer, care for the earth, modern life, scripture as well as RE:LINK, a supplement for young people that follows the RE Junior Cycle PA in schools.
 It costs €36 per annum or €15 for the digital issue.
<https://www.messenger.ie/product/sacred-heart-messenger-subscription/>

Bingo

- ◆ in the CYMS, on Sunday night at 8.30pm
- ◆ in Jack’s, Cromane, on Tuesday night, at 8.00pm

Samaritans Freephone 116 123

The Samaritans are available 24/7 to offer non-judgemental emotional support to people experiencing times of crisis in their lives.