

KILLEADAN

MASSES:

Saturdays /Eve of Holidays: 7.30pm
Sundays / Holy Days: 11am
 All Weekdays: 10am
 Friday evenings: 7.30pm
 Craggagh Community Centre: 9.30am

CONFESSIONS:

Saturdays: 2 - 3pm & 7 - 7.20pm
 First Fridays: 7 - 7.20pm

ADORATION:

Every Thursday: 10.30am - 8pm
 Every Friday: 10.30am - 7.30pm



PARISH NEWS

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MASSES FOR THE WEEK

Saturday	28 April	7.30pm	LEO & MOLLIE DIAMOND, Main St. and PATRICK LAVIN
			EILEEN FORKAN, KATIE & THOMAS FORKAN and daughter MAY
Sunday	29 April	9.30am	CRAGGAGH: JIMMY MURTAGH & deceased family members, Ballinamore.
		11am	People of the Parish
Friday	04 May	7.30pm	SARAH TARPEY & NOEL TARPEY, Aiden Street
Saturday	05 May	10am	Deceased members of the WALSH family, London, formerly of Lackafinna
		7.30pm	MARY ANN BRENNAN & PATRICK BRENNAN, Cortoon.
			BRIDGET & JEREMIAH LINNANE and son
			VINCENT LINNANE - 1st anniversary

RECENT DEATHS: Yours prayers are asked for MAISIE WALSH, Pulronaghane who died recently.

FIRST FRIDAY VISITATION:

Next Friday, 4th May, is the first Friday in May and the priest will be making his monthly First Friday visits to those who are ill and the elderly in the parish. If you wish to receive a visit please contact Fr. Michael at the Parochial House or call 094 9381198

St. JOSEPH'S YOUNG PRIESTS SOCIETY

The monthly meeting of St. Joseph's Young Priests Society takes place in the Parish Centre on Friday next, 4th May at 8pm.

READERS

Saturday	28 April	7.30pm	Dympna Evers	Tom Moriarty
Sunday	29 April	11am	Ita Malee	Walter Connell
Saturday	5 May	7.30pm	Helen Higgins	Gerry King
Sunday	6 May	11am	Christina Ward	Adrain McHugh

ALTAR SERVERS ROTA

Saturday	28 April	7.30pm	Team 5
Sunday	29 April	11am	Team 6
Saturday	5 May	7.30pm	Team 7
Sunday	6 May	11am	Team 8

MINISTERS OF HOLY COMMUNION FOR MAY 2018

7.30pm	Cait McTigue	Sarah Fitzgerald	Christine Cosgrove
11am	Monica Rowley	Bernie Cannon	James McHugh

KILTIMAGH SOCIAL SERVICES ROTA FOR MAY 2018

6th	Sinead Conlon and Ann Forde	Drivers:	Fintan Carroll/Gery King
13th	Eileen Glynn	Butcher:	Shannons
20th	Margaret Freeman and Sadie Burke	Grocer:	Carrolls
27th	Jeanette and Fintan Carroll		

STAND UP FOR LIFE - Final Rally before the Vote

There won't be any second chance to save the 8th Amendment. The time is now. Rally is on Saturday 12th May at 2pm - Merrion Square, Dublin. This is a family friendly event. To organise a bus or to find a bus in your area phone Amy 087 2668702, Alice 085 7619297 or Kate 087 3574998. To register for the rally see <http://www.loveboth.ie>

CHOOSE LIFE Issue 13 available at Church doors.

**GOD CALLING! Have YOU got one hour in the week to spare?
Adoration Renewal in the parish on Saturday/Sunday 5th/6th May.**

A speaker will talk at Masses on the weekend of 5th/6th May. Volunteers are needed to help with distribution of materials and help collate the returns afterwards. There will be a meeting for those willing to help out in St. Joseph's Chapel on Thursday evening, 3rd May at 8pm

PARISH PASTORAL COUNCIL:

At the monthly meeting of the Parish Pastoral Council held on Monday last, two representatives of Halligan Architects were present to discuss initial proposals for Kiltimagh Church building. Included in the discussions was the following:

- 1.a To enhance the church entrance by incorporating the present store room beside the main door and the area under the gallery.
- 1.b To partition off the new entrance from the main body of the church with a glass structure going from St. Joseph's chapel to the Confessional area.
- 1.c To create a new stairs to the gallery.
2. To combine present Confessionals with a new back Sacristy.
3. To overhaul Church heating system - copies of report on present system available at Church doors.
- 4.a. To unclutter the Church by removing all the seats that go beyond the wooden floor (which were not part of the original seating)
- 4.b To shorten seats that are protruding out onto the aisles.
- 4.c To have easy-to-stack chairs available when large congregations would be present.

Parishioners are welcome to give feedback on any of the above to Parish Pastoral Council members.

VOCATIONS:

'Today the Lord continues to call others to follow him. We should not wait to be perfect in order to respond with our generous 'Yes', nor be fearful of our limitations and sins, but instead open our hearts to the voice of our Lord. To listen to that voice, to discern our personal mission in the Church and in the world, and at last to live in the today that God gives us' (Pope Francis)

Priesthood in the Achonry Diocese - It is worth saying 'Yes' to God. Contact our Vocations director, Fr Paul Kivlehan, The Presbytery, Ballaghaderreen, Co. Roscommon. Or you may telephone 094 9860011 or 087 3683535, email pkivlehan@achonrydiocese.org or contact any local priest for more information.

FIRST SATURDAYS DEVOTION will be hosted in Knock on Saturday 5th May. Starts at 11am with Rosary, meditations and concluding with holy Mass at 12 noon, Confessions and Enrollment of the free brown scapulars. Everyone is invited to attend and benefit from Our Lady's heavenly promises. (please follow the signs on entrance)

LOUGH DERG 2018: Season opens for one day retreats on Saturday 5th May. Retreats continue on May 6,7,8,12,13, 15, 20,22,26,27,28. Advance booking is essential. Tel: 071 9861518 or email info@loughderg.org The 3-day pilgrimage starts on Friday 1st June. Again email us or phone us re same.

REGIONAL FORUM FOR CARERS from Mayo & Galway takes place in the McWilliam Park Hotel, Claremorris on May 14th from 10am-2.30pm. This is a great place for Family Carers to meet and discuss any carers issues in their areas. From 10-11am there will be Information Stands. 11am the Forum will begin. A two-course lunch is included so booking is essential. Contact Bernadette on 086 3775702/094 9060305.

ACCORD CATHOLIC MARRIAGE CARE SERVICE has opportunities for committed and enthusiastic people to train to become facilitators in marriage preparation. Volunteers would assist couples who are preparing for the sacrament of marriage in the Catholic church. Email accordcbar@eirom.net or telephone 09490 22214 for more information.

KILTIMAGH YOUTH DRAMA present Summer Frolics, an evening of poetry, drama and a short adaptation of Frank O'Connor's 'First Confession' in Cill Aodain Court Hotel on Friday 4th May at 7.30pm. Tickets at door costing €10 each, concessions €8

MAYO DAY 2018 is on Saturday 5th May. Mayo Co Co has some funding for communities registered with the Public Participation Network who create a unique take on 'Taking on the Mayo Spirit' Information on [email info@mayo.ie](mailto:info@mayo.ie)

ALZHEIMER'S TEA DAY takes place at the O'Dwyer Arts Centre, Lismirrane on Thursday, 3rd May from 10.30am. Your support would be appreciated.

MEMORIAL CARD SERVICE available at The Copy Shop, Aiden Street, Kiltimagh. Call 086 3938871 for details. Also personalised cards for Holy Communion, Confirmation, Baptisms, Ordination, etc. Call in and view samples.

**SEEING YOUR LIFE THROUGH
THE LENS OF THE GOSPELS - JOHN 15:1-8**

In a relationship, connectedness is important. Relationships cannot be taken for granted and need time and care to be life-giving. What does your experience tell you of the truth of this in your relationships with God? With your friends? With your family? With communities or groups to which you belong?

In The Joy of the Gospel, Pope Francis wrote: 'I invite all Christians, everywhere, at this very moment to a renewed personal encounter with Jesus Christ.' He goes on to suggest that when individuals, or groups, focus on Jesus there is an increase of energy and vitality. Have you seen this happen?

The parable also reminds us that we are not the source of our own life. It is a gift from God, from our parents, and from all who have nourished us. Give thanks for those who have been a source of life for you.

God is glorified by our being fruitful. When has human fruitfulness reminded you of God at work in our world?