

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	05 May	7.30pm	MARY ANN BRENNAN & PATRICK BRENNAN, Cortoon.
			BRIDGET & JEREMIAH LINNANE and son
			VINCENT LINNANE - 1st anniversary
Monday	07 May	10am	HENRY GROGAN, Pollagh
Tuesday	08 May	10am	PATRICK & BRIDGET McLOUGHLIN, Carrick, daughter ANNA-MAY
			& deceased members of the McLoughlin and McEllin families
Thursday	10 May	10am	MARY HOWLEY, Killeadan and her son PAT (40th anniversary)
Friday	11 May	7.30pm	MICHAEL LAVIN, Churchpark - Month's Mind
Saturday	12 May	10am	JACK HIGGINS
		12 noon	FIRST HOLY COMMUNION
		7.30pm	DAN DEMPSEY, his parents BILL & MARY and also for
			JOHN & NELL WALSH, Aiden Street
Sunday	13 May	9.30am	CRAGGAGH: ALICE KELLY, Carrendine and deceased of the KELLY and
			REILLY families.

RECENT DEATH: Your prayers are asked for PAT RUANE, Castlebar, who died during the week. Pat was the last survivor of the Ruane Fire Tragedy on Main Street, Kiltimagh back in 1944 which claimed the lives of his parents and siblings.

Adoration of the Blessed Sacrament

Question: What qualification does a person need in order to be on the parish team for Adoration of the Blessed Sacrament?

Answer: One hour at your disposal in a whole week..... and a willing heart!

Meeting: As a follow on to the discussion on Adoration of the Blessed Sacrament this weekend, a meeting with volunteers will take place in St. Joseph's Chapel on Tuesday, 8th May at 8pm.

			READERS	
Saturday	5 May	7.30pm	Helen Higgins	Gerry King
Sunday	6 May	11am	Christina Ward	Adrain McHugh
Saturday	12 May	7.30pm	Michelle Durcan	Michael Reilly
Sunday	13 May	11am	Kathleen Tarpey	Danny Doherty

ALTAR SERVERS ROTA

Saturday	5 May	7.30pm	Team 7
Sunday	6 May	11am	Team 8
Saturday	12 May	7.30pm	Team 1
Sunday	13 May	11am	Team 2

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 14 available at Church doors.

FIRST HOLY COMMUNION

38 children will receive First Holy Communion on Saturday 12th May during Mass at 12 noon. We pray God's blessings on them, their families and our parish community as we celebrate this very special occasion.

MAY ROSARY

Rosary will be prayed at Our Lady's Statue, on the Knock Road beside Genfitt each evening during the month of May at 8pm. All welcome.

BAPTISM

We welcome into our faith community baby Shay Anthony McNicholas from The Pines who was baptised in the church on Sunday last. We pray God's blessings on him and his family.

CORPUS CHRISTI PROCESSION

The feast of Corpus Christi falls on Sunday 3rd June. The Corpus Christi procession will take place after the 11 o'clock Mass on that Sunday. Route for the procession shall be announced in a later bulletin.

BLESSING FOR EXPECTANT MOTHERS: There will be a blessing ceremony for all parents who are expecting a baby in the Blessed Sacrament Chapel at Knock Shrine on Saturday 12th May at 12 noon. It will include a short prayer for protection/safe delivery, with an individual blessing for all mothers-to-be. All welcome.

NOTICE FROM EPILEPSY IRELAND: Free Buccal Midazolam information session for parents of children with epilepsy U 19, on May 14th in the Mayo Education Centre, Castlebar at 10am. Telephone number 091 587640

ANAM CARA, the organisation that supports bereaved parents, is holding a Bereavement Information evening on Thurs 17th May in The Family Centre, Chapel Street, Castlebar at 7.30pm. This meeting is open to all bereaved parents. If you intend going along to the meeting please email info@anamcara.ie or phone 085 2888 888 before Wed 16th May.

SPECIAL DAYS ON LOUGH DERG - May 2018: 1) Day of Friendship and Prayer, Wednesday 16th May. Costs €25/22 to include boat fare/refreshments/lunch. Arrive 9.30am. Depart 3pm. Speaker: Rev. Dr Laurence Graham, President of the Methodist Church. 2) Care for Creation - Saturday 19th May. Arrive 10.30am Depart 4.15pm. Cost €45/40. Speakers Sr. Nellie McLaughlin and Jonny Hanson. Advanced booking please for both days. Call 071 9861518

REGIONAL FORUM FOR CARERS from Mayo & Galway in the MacWilliam Park Hotel, Claremorris on May 14th from 10am-2pm. This is a great chance for family carers to meet up and discuss carer issues in their areas. Information Stands from 10-11am such as Dementia Advisor, Mental Health Ireland, Shine, ADHD Carers Support Group, Autism Carers S.G. and an Audiologist. Forum starts 11am. Lunch provided so booking essential. Call Bernadette 086 3775702/094 9060305

KILTIMGH COMMUNITY GAMES: Annual athletics event on Sunday 20th May at 4pm in Gilmartin GAA Park. Those achieving first place at this event from U8 upwards will go on to represent Kiltimagh at the Mayo Community Games Athletics Finals in Claremorris Sunday 24th June. This is the final year which the current Community Games committee will officiate over the club so we invite all parents to a meeting on Wed, 9th May at 8.30pm in the GAA Clubhouse. In order to facilitate the continuation of the Community Games in Kiltimagh a new committee will be required. Every assistance will be given by the current committee to anyone interested. Unfortunately, should there be a lack of interest, it will result in the cessation of Community Games in Kiltimagh which has a long-standing tradition.

ENROLMENT DAY AT CRAGGAGH NATIONAL SCHOOL takes place on May 18th. You and your child are invited to the school at 9.30am until 11am. This is a lovely opportunity for the children to meet with their teacher, to familiarise themselves with the class room and most importantly, with new friends. Enrolment forms are available at the school or at www.craggaghnsblog.com for parents of pupils starting school in September 2018. Further information is available by contacting the school on 094 9365177 or email principal@craggaghns.ie

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.

WOMEN'S GROUP: Next meeting takes place on Monday 14th May at 8pm in the Parish Centre. Our annual outing takes place on Monday 18th June to Connemara National Park and Kylemore. Please give your name to Bridie in the Library if you are interested in going. More info later.

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

A commandment of love could seem a contradiction in terms. Love is a free choice. That is what gives the thrill to the experience of being loved. Recall times when you received gestures of love from another - a spontaneous embrace from a husband or wife; a wave from a friend; words of comfort and affirmation - not because the other person felt obliged to reach out to you but because they wanted to let you know that you were loved. What effect did that have on you? Did it bring you joy? Perhaps you have had a glimpse of the truth of what Jesus said, that it is in loving that our joy is complete. Often love and friendship make demands on us. Parents give freely of their times and energy to the care of their children but sometimes it requires a lot of effort. Also in responding to the needs of friends or spouses we can be challenged to 'lay down' our own 'lives' at least for a time. Can you recall a time when putting yourself out for others bore fruit for them and for you? 'I choose you'. Have you had the experience of being 'chosen' by someone? What was it like for you to be chosen? What is it like for you to consider yourself as one chosen by Jesus? That is what we are - chosen by Jesus to bear fruit through our love.