



Kilmore & Killyleagh Parishes

7th July 2019
Fourteenth Sunday in Ordinary Time

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Chair: Mary Jo Bell **Vice-Chair:** Patricia Murray

Parish Schools:

Crossgar: St Colmcille's High
Tel: (028) 44830311
Principal: Mrs Finola Coyne
www.stcolmcillescrossgar.org.uk

St Joseph's Primary
Tel: (028) 44830810
Principal: Mrs Siobhan McArdle
www.stjosephsps.org.uk

Killyleagh: St Mary's Primary
Tel: (028) 44828542
Principal: Mrs Fiona Martin
www.stmaryspskillyleagh.com

Teconnaught: Holy Family Primary
Tel: (028) 44830319
Principal: Mr Christopher Curran
www.holyfamilyps.co.uk

Sunday Mass Times:

Crossgar: Sunday 9.30am & 11am
Killyleagh: Saturday 5.30pm Vigil
Teconnaught: Saturday 7.00pm Vigil

Weekday Mass Times:

Crossgar: Tuesday 9.30am Wednesday 7.30pm
Killyleagh: Wednesday & Friday 9.30am
Teconnaught: Monday 9.30am Thursday 7.30pm

Confession Times:

Crossgar: Wednesday 7.00pm
Killyleagh: Saturday 5.00pm
Teconnaught: Thursday 7.00pm
Saturday 6.30pm
Tobar Mhuire: Thursday before First Friday 4-6pm
Friday & Saturday 4.00-6.00pm

The Apostolate of Eucharistic Adoration:

Perpetual Adoration takes place in the Parish at:

Crossgar: Tuesday 10.00am - 8.00pm
Killyleagh: Wednesday 10.00am - 11.00am
Teconnaught: Thursday 6.30pm - 7.30pm
Tobar Mhuire: Wednesday 6.00pm - 9.00pm
Friday 4.00pm - 6.00pm

The Blessed Sacrament cannot be left unattended.

Weddings:

To make a wedding booking please contact the parish office by email or phone. Three months' notice required.

Baptism Times:

Baptisms will take place at 12.15pm

- Crossgar: 3rd Sunday in July
- Teconnaught: 3rd Sunday in August
- Killyleagh: 3rd Sunday in September

Weekly Collection: We acknowledge with thanks and appreciation last week's offerings.

Parish Ministries:

Next week's volunteers are as follows:

See rotas on notice boards for more details.

Readers:

13th & 14th July

Crossgar:
Sun: 9.30am Monica Devlin
Sun 11.00am Willie Hanna & Maria Downard
Killyleagh:
Sat: 5.30pm Liam Higgins & Kate McGrillen
Teconnaught:
Sat: 7.00pm Oonagh McDonald & Terry Murphy

Extraordinary Ministers of Holy Communion:

13th & 14th July

Crossgar:
9.30am James Reynolds
Sun 11.00am Patricia Murray & Margaret Mulhern
Killyleagh:
Sat: 5.30pm Gerry Vaughan & Chris Quinn
Teconnaught:
Sat: 7.00pm Anne Gormley, Conor Flanagan & Ann Caffrey

Children's Liturgy:

NO CHILDREN'S LITURGY DURING JULY & AUGUST

Altar Society:

Crossgar: Group 1
Teconnaught: Group 1

Our Lady's Statue Killyleagh:

July 7th Mrs Maureen Hanna
July 14th Declan & Katie Fegan

Canvassers: July

Crossgar: John McGonnell, Angela Doherty & Robert McKeating
Teconnaught: Damian Mulholland, William Caffrey & Tony Brannigan

Altar Servers: Teconnaught

July 13th Group 2 Mya, Catherine & Maria
(Leaders Dermot & Seamus)

Kilmore SVP Helpline: 07523 111 543

Crossgar Collectors: 14th July
9.30am Frank Hanna 11.00am: Patricia Murray
Teconnaught Collectors: July
Anne Heaney & Declan Mulholland

Bethany Bereavement Support Group:

The Bethany Bereavement Support Group provides support for people who have experienced bereavement through the loss of a loved one. If you need our support, we are here to help you. Call 07849921052.

New rotas available at back of Churches.

General Notices:

All arrangements for Baptisms, Weddings & Funerals to be made with Noreen in the Parish Office on 02844 830229 during office hours. Outside of office hours funeral arrangements to be made with Fr Brendan on 07966527165.

Reminder - Bulletin Notices:

All bulletin notices can be emailed to the office email address marked "bulletin".
Notices must be in by Wednesday.

Pilgrimage to Fatima:

Down and Connor Diocesan Bi-Annual Pilgrimage to Fatima on 15th-22nd August led by the Most Reverend Bishop Noel Treanor. 7 Nights Full Board in Hotel Avenida. £715 includes Taxes and Insurance. Pilgrimage Directors - Fr G McCloskey and Fr S Gilmore. For further details, contact Joe Catney 02890 714001 or 077 7642 5631

Holy Land Pilgrimage:

Experience the Promised Land for yourself, walk in the footsteps of Jesus and make the Scriptures come alive. 18th – 26th October - 8 Nights, Fly from Dublin to Tel Aviv via Istanbul. 4 Nights in 4* Sea of Galilee Hotel with dinner & breakfast. 4 Nights in 4* Grand Park Hotel, Bethlehem with dinner & breakfast. English-speaking Christian guide throughout. Comprehensive travel insurance **Not** included £25 extra. Cost £1,399 per person sharing. Single room supplement £450 **extra** - limited availability. £200 deposit secures a seat! For further details, contact: Jean Reynolds 07729 402311 or email: jeanreynolds@hotmail.co.uk

The Missionaries of Africa (White Fathers):

The White Fathers were founded in Algeria in 1868 and today are present in 24 African and Middle-Eastern countries. There are about 500 young men, mainly in Africa, preparing to become Missionaries of Africa.

Fr John O'Donoghue will speak at the masses on the weekend of 27th & 28th July on the important work helping these young men to be the Apostles in the Africa of the future.

A collection will take place to support their Missionary efforts.

Kilmore and Inch Parish Food Bank:

The Food Bank at Kilmore Parish Church Hall, Church Road, Kilmore will be open from 11am – 1pm every Wednesday. We would encourage any parishioners who can to donate non-perishable food to help the Food Bank. Donations can be left in the basket at the back of both Churches, or at the designated basket in Super Valu supermarket Crossgar.

Crossgar Notices

Friday Folk:

The Friday Folk will recommence in September following the Summer break.

Killyleagh Notices

Recently Deceased:

Please pray for the happy repose of the soul of Brian Watters.

St Mary's Hall:

Bookings for St Mary's Hall may be made by contacting Chris Quinn after 6pm on 07513468060 or by emailing cjquinn84@gmail.com

Teconnaught Notices

St Columba's Hall:

Bookings for St Columba's Hall may be made by contacting Harry Mulholland on 02844 831221 or Gerry Rice on 02844 830674.

Teconnaught Bingo:

Bingo in Teconnaught every Monday at 8.30pm. JACKPOT is £200 for 50 numbers.

Teconnaught GFC:

Lotto Result 13, 20, 26, 27.

Four people had 3 numbers. See Facebook for details.

Next week's jackpot £10,300

Lotto tickets now available in Bells SuperValu, Crossgar & Hot Cross Bakery, Killyleagh.

Reflection:

In our Gospel this weekend Jesus "appointed seventy-two others whom he sent ahead of him in pairs to every town and place he intended to visit."

They are to greet the households they enter with the words: "Peace to this household." and say to them: "The kingdom of God is at hand for you."

Clearly these 72 were to "prepare the ground" so that people would be receptive to the message of Jesus. On reflection the practice of people "preparing the ground" for Jesus has never stopped. Perhaps people have not been as intentional as the disciples in this Gospel, however, countless people who by their lives, by their words and actions, have "prepared the ground" so that we would be receptive to the message of Jesus Christ.

The challenge for us is to be aware that we too are called to "prepare the ground" so that those we encounter will be receptive to the message of Jesus.