



## Kilmore & Killyleagh Parishes

22<sup>nd</sup> September 2019  
Twenty Fifth Sunday in Ordinary Time

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**Parish Office:** 02844 830229

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**Safeguarding:** (Tel: 02844 830229)

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

### Parish Schools:

**Crossgar:** St Colmcille's High  
Tel: (028) 44830311  
Principal: Mr Seamus Hanna  
[www.stcolmcillescrossgar.org.uk](http://www.stcolmcillescrossgar.org.uk)

**Killyleagh:** St Joseph's Primary  
Tel: (028) 44830810  
Principal: Mrs Siobhan McArdle  
[www.stjosephsps.org.uk](http://www.stjosephsps.org.uk)

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

**Teconnaught:** Holy Family Primary  
Tel: (028) 44830319  
Principal: Mr Christopher Curran  
[www.holyfamilyps.co.uk](http://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  
**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: 3<sup>rd</sup> Sunday in October
- Teconnaught: 3<sup>rd</sup> Sunday in November
- Killyleagh: 3<sup>rd</sup> Sunday in December

**Weekly Collection:** I 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:

28<sup>th</sup> & 29<sup>th</sup> September

**Crossgar:**  
Sun: 9.30am Jim Millar & Hugh Kearns  
Sun 11.00am Sharon McVeigh  
Killyleagh:  
Sat: 5.30pm Maureen O'Prey & Paula Kirk  
Teconnaught:  
Sat: 7.00pm Pauline Kelly & Ethna Cahill

### Extraordinary Ministers of Holy

#### Communion:

28<sup>th</sup> & 29<sup>th</sup> September

**Crossgar:**  
9.30am James Reynolds  
Sun 11.00am Patricia & Gerald McKeown  
Killyleagh:  
Sat: 5.30pm Mary Morrow & Margaret Watters  
**Teconnaught:**  
Sat: 7.00pm Paul O'Kane, Claire O'Kane & Harry Mulholland

### Children's Liturgy:

28<sup>th</sup> & 29<sup>th</sup> September

**Crossgar:** Patricia Downard & Sonia Rodriguez-Garcia  
**Killyleagh:** Kathryn & Donna  
**Teconnaught:** Kevin & Christine McCormick

### Altar Society:

**Crossgar:** Group 4  
**Teconnaught:** Group 6

### Our Lady's Statue Killyleagh:

Sept 22<sup>nd</sup> Mr Patsy Rice  
Sept 29<sup>th</sup> Mrs Anne Quinn

### Canvassers: September

**Crossgar:** John McGonnell, Mel McCarthy & Noreen Savage  
**Teconnaught:** Dermot Kelly, Brian McNamara & Harry Mulholland

### Altar Servers: Teconnaught

Sept 28<sup>th</sup> Group 3 Harry & Kerrie  
(Leader Deirdre)

### Kilmore SVP Helpline: 07523 111 543

**Crossgar Collectors: 29<sup>th</sup> September**  
9.30am Jim Millar 11.00am: Patricia McKeown

### Teconnaught Collectors: September

Ethna Cahill & Harry 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.

### 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.

### Passport and Driving Licence Application Forms:

Passport and/or Driving Licence application forms should be brought for signature to, and subsequently collected from, the Parish Office.

### Communion Breads:

The Sisters in the Adoration Convent, Belfast, are no longer able to provide breads for consecration and we have a new supplier. As a result, parishioners may notice a slight difference in the texture of hosts in the coming weeks.

### Centering Prayer Meditation Silent Retreat:

This Retreat from 27<sup>th</sup>-29<sup>th</sup> September is in Tobar Mhuire, Crossgar. E-mail: [contemplativeoutreachireland@gmail.com](mailto:contemplativeoutreachireland@gmail.com) for details or tel. Kathleen 0035387 6017709. The group meets 1<sup>st</sup> and 3<sup>rd</sup> Tuesday monthly from 7.30pm-9pm in Tobar Mhuire. Contact Kevin 07747889747 or e-mail: [cassidys9@hotmail.com](mailto:cassidys9@hotmail.com)

### Teconnaught & Crossgar Bowling Club:

Bowling club re-opens on Thursday 26<sup>th</sup> September @ 7.30 pm  
New members welcome.

### St Colmcille's High School AGM:

FSC (St Colmcille's High School PTA) invite you to attend their AGM at the school on Tuesday 8<sup>th</sup> October at 5.30pm.  
*All welcome.*

### Theology of the Body - Down and Connor:

Invitation to an introduction to Pope John Paul II catechises on the Theology of the Body runs on a Wednesday for 7 sessions until Wednesday 16<sup>th</sup> October from 8.10pm – 9.30pm - Over 18s. Light refreshments provided.

Venue: St Patrick's Church, Downpatrick BT30 6DN - in the Crypt of the Church "Patrick's Place". (Once in the carpark travel to the right around the side of St Patrick's Church). For more information contact Maureen 077 1928 4747 or Geraldine 077 1928 4738 or email: [tobteam@yahoo.com](mailto:tobteam@yahoo.com)

### Faith and Life Convention 2019:



Online bookings for this year's Faith and Life Convention are now open.

We hope that you will be able to join us on Saturday 28<sup>th</sup> September at Our Lady and St Patrick's College in Belfast.

This year our theme is 'Faith in a Better World' and our Keynote Speaker will be Michel Camdessus, former Director of the International Monetary Fund (IMF) and a member of the Pontifical Council on Justice and Peace.

The highlight of the day for many people is the variety of workshops on offer and this year we have an impressive line-up of local and international speakers. The convention is an excellent opportunity to network with others from the Diocese and beyond.

We look forward to welcoming you and having an enjoyable day where we can encourage one another to be people of active faith in our society.

### Irish Class Registration:

Irish Classes Registration will take place on Sunday 22<sup>nd</sup> September from 12.30pm to 1.30pm in St Columba's Hall, Teconnaught.

### Knock Shrine Weekend:

Knock Shrine Weekend will take place on 12<sup>th</sup> & 13<sup>th</sup> October. A bus will leave Crossgar Church at 8am. Price is £30 for bus plus €90 for full board in Knock Shrine Convent. To book a place contact Kate 07762211658.

### Set Dancing Classes:

Set Dancing Classes for adults every Tuesday 7.30pm to 9.30pm at the Russell Gaelic Union Clubhouse, Old Course Road, Downpatrick. Beginners welcome. Cost £3 per night. For more information contact Michael on 07840117232.

### September on Lough Derg:

Standard One Day Retreats on Sunday 22<sup>nd</sup> & Sunday 29<sup>th</sup> September.

Special Living with Suicide Day Retreat, Saturday, 28<sup>th</sup> September. Advance booking is essential for any of these dates. Tel 071 9861518 or email [info@loughderg.org](mailto:info@loughderg.org)

### Belfast Bereavement Information Evenings:

These evenings give bereaved mothers and fathers an opportunity to hear an experienced bereavement specialist talk about the journey through grief and loss after the death of a precious child.

In the Crowne Plaza, Belfast from 7-9pm on Wednesday:

9<sup>th</sup> October  
13<sup>th</sup> November  
11<sup>th</sup> December

### \*\*\*Crossgar Notices\*\*\*

### Adult Dancing:

The Brennan Miskelly McCormick school of Irish Dancing resumes its Adult classes in Crossgar Parish Centre on Monday 16<sup>th</sup> September at 8pm. New members are very welcome. For further information, contact Christine on 07711 189650

### Friday Folk:

Join us at the Friday Folk at 10.30am each week in Tobar Mhuire Retreat and Conference Centre. Events include Speakers, Demonstrations, Bingo, Armchair Aerobics, Flower arranging, Outings etc. *New ladies most welcome.*

### \*\*\*Killyleagh Notices\*\*\*

### 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](mailto:cjquinn84@gmail.com)

### \*\*\*Teconnaught Notices\*\*\*

### Tuesday Club:

A Special Open Day will be held on Tuesday 24<sup>th</sup> September from 10.30am - 12 noon, come along and join us. Coffee and tea provided and everyone welcome.

### 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 2, 21, 23, 24.**

Five people had 3 numbers. See Facebook for details.

**Next week's jackpot £10,100**

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