Kilmore & Killyleagh
Parishes
5th January 2020
Second Sunday of Christmas

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Safeguarding: (Tel: 028 4830229)
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Principal: Mrs Fiona Martin
Principal: Ms Christopher Currin
www.stcolumbashigh.org.uk
www.stcolmsskillyleagh.com
www.smurrayskillyleagh.com
www.hfprimaryschool.co.uk

Sunday Mass Times:
Crossgar: 9.30am Sunday Vigil
Killyleagh: Saturday 5.30pm Vigil
Teconnaught: Saturday 7.00pm Vigil

Weekday Mass Times:
Crossgar: Tuesday 9.30am & 11am
Killyleagh: Wednesday & Friday 9.30am
Teconnaught: Monday 9.30am & Thursday 7.30am

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

The Apostle of Eucharistic Adoration:
Perpetual Adoration takes place in the Parish at:
Crossgar: Tuesday 10.00am – 12.00pm
Killyleagh: Wednesday 10.00am – 12.00pm
Teconnaught: Thursday 6.30pm – 7.30pm
Tober 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 11.15am
Crossgar: 3rd Sunday in January
Teconnaught: 3rd Sunday in February
Killyleagh: 3rd Sunday in March

Weekly Collection: I acknowledge with thanks and appreciation last week’s offering

Parish Ministries:
Next week’s volunteers are as follows:
See rota on notice boards for more details.

Readers:
11th & 12th January
Crossgar: Sun: 9.30am Sheila Ward
Sat: 11.00am Darina Flanagan & Carmel McCurtin
Killyleagh: Sat: 3.30pm James Hannedy & Kaia Waeverynk
Teconnaught: Sat: 7.00pm Marie Curran & Brookylin Flanagan

Extraordinary Ministers of Holy Communion:
11th & 12th January
Crossgar: 9.30am Anne Heaney
Sun: 3.30pm Patricia Murray & Kevin Bell
Killyleagh: Sat: 3.30pm Mary Morrow & Margaret Watters
Teconnaught: Sat: 7.00pm Paul O’Kane, Claire O’Kane & Harry Mulholland

Children’s Liturgy:
11th & 12th January
Crossgar: Patricia Dowdard & Sonia Rodrigez-Garcia
Killyleagh: Donna & Kathryn
Teconnaught: Deirdre Nelson & Tracy Hurley

Altar Society:
Crossgar Group: Taconnaught: Group 1
Our Lady’s Statue Killyleagh:
Jan 1st: Deirdre & Ritchie Sullivan
Jan 12th: Mrs Maureen McGahan

Cassavers:
Crossgar: John McGonigal, Angela Doherty & Robert McKeating
Teconnaught: Damian Muhlathol, William Caffrey & Tony Brannigan

Altar Servers: Taconnaught
Jan 11th Group 3 Harry & Kerrin (Leader Darragh)

Kilmore SVP Helpline: 07532 111 543
Crossgar Collectors: 12th January
9.30am Sheila Ward
11.00am Carmel McCurtin
Teconnaught Collectors: January
Francee Franslip & Tony 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 07849920152.

New rotales available at back of Churches.

Feast of the Epiphany of the Lord:
Monday 6th January is the Feast of the Epiphany of the Lord.
It is a Holy Day of Obligation.
Masses will be held at:
Crossgar 7.30pm on Sunday 5th January (Vigil)
Killyleagh 7.30pm on Monday 6th January

Down & Connor Diocesan Directory:
The 2020 Diocesan Directory is available at the back of the Churches.
Providing valuable information about the parishes, schools and organisations within our diocese; it also includes details of feast days throughout the whole year and other important information. Cost £4 each.

Vigil of Reparation:
A vigil of reparation for Ireland’s turning from God, by Hill Ireland, will take place in St. Patrick’s Church, Downpatrick on Saturday 11th January. Following 10am Mass, there will be periods of silent adoration, Rosary, Divine Mercy, confession, a short talk on the devotion to the Holy Face of Jesus and prayers. Vatican approved relic of the Holy Face & blessed oil from international shrine Tours France will be available also.
For information Tel: 0852352566.

Discovering Christ:
Discovering CHRIST is a 7-week course and will run on Tuesday evenings from 14th January to 25th February, starting at 6.30pm and finishing at 8.45pm in Patrick’s Place, Downpatrick.
We invite you to attend this life-changing encounter.
Register in the Parish Shop after each Mission Session or by contacting the Parish Office directly on 02848 612084.

Trócaire Gifts of Love:
And additional donation of £300 was received for Trócaire.
That brings the total to £1,782. Once again many thanks for your great generosity.

Uganda Parish Link:
Mr Terry Murphy, representing the Parish link group was presented with a cheque for £633 by Mr Christopher Curran, Principal, following the recent Key Stage 1 Christmas play in Holy Family Primary School, Teconnaught, on Monday 16th December.
Mr Murphy spoke with enthusiasm on the significant contribution our Parish and Holy Family P.S. has made towards the improvement of facilities and conditions in Saint Kitiyo’s Parish, Kibiri, Uganda.
The £533 presented on this occasion will pay for the education of seven of the poorest children Saint Dominic’s Primary School, Kibiri. The children of Holy Family P.S. have sponsored these seven children for three school years in succession.

Prayer for the New Year:
Dear Lord, take me into this New Year and the many encounters I will have with you through those I meet.
May I be gracious enough to receive those moments of joy and happiness, and have a courageous heart when others will seek to hurt me.
May I be grateful for those who guide and protect me, and help me make this year a place where Jesus is known and may this year be a blessed and peaceful year.

‘Thank You!’
Friends of St Colmcille’s H.S PTA wish to thank the staff, pupils, parents, Board of Governors, families and the local community for supporting our recent Christmas Raffle, we raised a fantastic £1020. Special thanks to Pauline Cunningham, Phil’s Unisex Hairstylists, Hair Retro, Wax Factor, Lily and Rose, W thykes, Crowes Nest, GB Poultry, Supervals, Spar, Crossgar Fuels, Café Q, Twisted Scissors, Pama Jones, Occasional Catering, McCarthy’s, Hlanlos, Simply Nails, Oakley Fayre, Patricia’s Peals & IIA Café.

Killyleagh Notices
Recently Deceased:
Please pray for the happy repose of the soul of Alice Hanna.
Recently Baptised:
We welcome Tom John Martin into the Parish family.
Perpetual Adoration:
Adoration resumes on Wednesday 8th January @ 10am.
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.

Healing Mass:
Healing Mass devotion to St Pio will take place on Monday 6th January at 7.30pm in St Mary’s Star of the Sea Church, Killyleagh. St Pio’s Relic will be available before and after Mass.

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

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