Parishes:

Next week's volunteers are as follows:

See rota on notice boards for more details.

Readers:

16th & 17th March
Crossgar:
Sun 9.30am
Jim Miller & Hugh Kearns
Sun 11.00am
Killyleagh
Sat: 3.30pm
Maureen O'Prey & Paula Kirk
Sat: 7.00pm
Bernadette Horlin & Eileen Lynch

Extraordinary Ministers of Holy Communion:

16th & 17th March
Crossgar:
9.30am
Anne Degen
Sun 11.00am
Patricia & Gerald McKeown
Killyleagh:
Sat: 1.30pm
Mary Morrow & Margaret Watters
Teconnaught:
Sat: 7.00pm
Seamus Lynch, Anne Hearney & Pauline Brannigan

Parish Schools:

Crossgar: St Colmcille's High
Principal: Mrs Fiona Marine
Tel: (028) 44830111
www.stcolmcillestraining.org.uk

Killyleagh: St Mary's Primary
Principal: Mrs Fiona Marine
Tel: (028) 44830119
www.stmaryspkistles.org

Teconnaught: Holy Family Primary
Principal: Mrs Susan Carr
Tel: (028) 44830702
www.teconnaughtprimary.com

St Patrick’s Day:

Mar 16
Masses at 10, 11 & 12am

Children’s Liturgy:

16th & 17th March
Crossgar:
Patricia Dowdard & Sonia Rodrigo-Garcia
Killyleagh:
Susan & Catherine
Teconnaught:
Catherine Murray & Maria O’Donnell

Altar Society:

Crossgar: Group 5
Teconnaught: Group 5

Our Lady’s Statue Killyleagh:
Mar 16th
Mr Peter Foran
Mar 17th
Tommy & Kathy Brown

Canvassers:

March
Crossgar:
John McConnell, Mel McCarthy & Noreen Savage
Teconnaught:
Dermot Kelly, Brian McNamara & Harry Mulloid

Altar Servers: Teconnaught
Mar 16 Group 3
Harry & Matthew N (Leader Deirdre)

Kilmore SVP Helpline: 0752311543

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Ash Wednesday and Good Friday are days of Fasting and Abstinence from meat:

The Season of Lent is a time of penance. During this season the faithful are exhorted to devote themselves in a special manner to prayer, to engage in works of piety and charity, and to deny themselves.

Each of the faithful is obliged to receive Holy Communion at least once a year. This precept must be fulfilled between Ash Wednesday, 6th March and Trinity Sunday, 16th June unless for a good reason it is fulfilled at another time during the year.

The wonderful gift of the Lord’s merciful love is offered in a special way in the Sacrament of Reconciliation.

Lent is a most appropriate time to receive this Sacrament.

All the faithful who have reached the age of discretion are bound faithfully to confess their grave sins at least once a year.

On all other Fridays through Lent with the exception of solemnities, the law of the common practice of penance is fulfilled by performing anyone of the following:

Prayer – for example, Mass attendance, family prayer, a visit to a church or chapel; reading the Bible; making the Stations of the Cross; prays the Rosary, or in other ways;

Self-Denial – for example, not eating meat; not eating sweets or desserts; giving up entertainment to spend time with the family; limiting food and drink so as to give to the poor of one’s own country or elsewhere; or in other ways is a major means of expressing our self-denial.

Helping Others – for example, special attention to someone who is poor, sick, elderly, lonely or over burdened, or in other ways.

For the Penance of Reconciliation - see Confessions times.

New Members wanted for Bethany Bereavement Group:
The Bethany Bereavement Support Group is keen to expand its membership. If you would like to find out more about what is involved in being a Bethany minister please contact Terry Murphy at 07917546329, Patricia Murray at 07867536225 or Jean Reynolds at 07729403111. Thank you.

Upcoming Events in Tobar Mhuire:

March 16th - First of our Lenten Talk Series:
The Beatitudes of Pope Francis with Dr Aidan Donalson at 7pm. All welcome. Voluntary donation.

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