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

Readers:
24th & 25th August
Crossey: 9.30am Sheila Ward
Killyleagh: 1:30pm Antons O’Gaoi & Kasia Wawrzynak
Teconnaught: 7:00pm Oreneg McDonal & Terry Murphy

Extraordinary Ministers of Holy Communion:
24th & 25th August
Crossey: James Reynolds
Killyleagh: 1:30pm Patricia Murray & Kevin Bell
Teconnaught: 5:30pm Gerry Vaughan & Chris Quinn

Children’s Liturgy:
NO CHILDREN’S LITURGY DURING AUGUST

Altar Society:
Group 2

Our Lady’s Statue Killyleagh:
Aug 18th: Marcel & Noel Magoran
Aug 25th: Shane & John Clark

Canvassers: August
Killyleagh: Richardogan Ragan, Morgan, Gerry Rice & Patricia Murray

Altar Servers: Teconnaught
August 25th: Group 2: My, Catherine & Maria (Leader Dermot & Seamus)

Kilmore & Killyleagh Parishes
18th August 2019
Twentieth Sunday in Ordinary Time

We acknowledge with thanks and appreciation last week’s offerings.

In response to the pastoral needs of the Diocese of Down and Connor, Bishop Noel Treanor has appointed the Very Rev Canon Sean Rogan to the Parish of Drumbu.

It is with sorrow that we greet this news that Canon Sean will no longer be with us. We thank him for his sterling work during the last two years and the impact that he has made on the lives of many. There is sadness in his leaving but we know that what is our loss will be the gain of Drumbu Parish.

We thank him for his time with us and take the opportunity to wish him continued good health as he takes up his new appointment.

May God bless him for all he did during his time with us. He will always receive a warm welcome from us and may he experience countless blessings in Drumbu.

25th Anniversary of Killyleagh Parish:
8th September marks the 25th anniversary of the inauguration of Killyleagh Parish. At the Mass of Thanksgiving the main celebrant will be Bishop Patrick Walsh, who inaugurated Killyleagh as Parish, Bishop Anthony Farquhar, whose uncle Canon Walter Larkin was former PP, Fr Sean Cahill, first Parish Priest of Killyleagh, and other clergy who have served in Killyleagh Parish will also be present at the Mass of Thanksgiving on Wednesday evening. Celebrations will also take place at 7:30pm on:

- Monday 2nd September
- Heil Mass Devotion to St Pio during which the sick will be anointed

- Tuesday 3rd September
- Ecumenical Prayer Service
- Wednesday 4th September
- Ecumenical Mass of Thanksgiving followed by refreshments in St Mary’s Hall.

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 28th 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. Michel is the 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.

Grandparents National Annual Pilgrimage: Everybody welcome to honour and thank Grandparents, alive and dead, at Knock Shrine at 2.30pm on Sunday 8th September.

Pilgrimage to Fatima and Lisbon:
Lead by Fr Tony McAleso and Fr Eugene O’Neill, the pilgrimage to Fatima (2 nights), Lisbon (4 nights) will take place on 8th-14th September 2019. Price is £875pp.

Booking forms and itinerary can be obtained from St Patrick’s Parish Office (02890 324597) or from Cultural Connections Ltd., Newtown, Rahan, Tullamore, Co. Offaly.
Tel: 00353 37 93 55 05, e-mail: info@culturalconnections.eu or for further information contact Deirdre Douglas 07843006560 deirdredouglas@virginmedia.com

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 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: jeanjreynolds@hotmail.co.uk

Lough Derg 2019:
One-Day Retreats continue on specific days until Sunday 29th September. For bookings or further information, telephone Maureen or Lorraine on 077 81518 (from NI 00353 71 98615). Email: info@loughderg.org

Belfast Bereavement Information Evening:
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:
- 11th September
- 9th October
- 13th November
- 11th December

***Crosiapp Notices***

Friday Folk:
The Friday Folk resumes in September following the Summer break.

***Killyleagh Notices***

St Mary’s Hall:
Bookings for St Mary’s Hall may be made by contacting Chris Quinn after 6pm on 07513648060 or by emailing sjquinn4@gmail.com

**Teconnaught Notices***

St Columba’s Hall:
Bookings for St Columba’s Hall may be made by contacting Harry Mulhallon 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 B, 14, 16, 31.
Seven people had numbers. See Facebook for details.
Next week’s jackpot £10,600
Lotto tickets now available in Bells SuperValu, Crossgar & Hot Cross Bakery, Killyleagh.