

TODAY'S MASS READINGS

First reading

A reading from the Acts of the Apostles

The high priest demanded an explanation of the Apostles. 'We gave you a formal warning' he said 'not to preach in this name, and what have you done? You have filled Jerusalem with your teaching, and seem determined to fix the guilt of this man's death on us.' In reply Peter and the apostles said, 'Obedience to God comes before obedience to men; it was the God of our ancestors who raised up Jesus, but it was you who had him executed by hanging on a tree. By his own right hand God has now raised him up to be leader and saviour, to give repentance and forgiveness of sins through him to Israel. We are witnesses to all this, we and the Holy Spirit whom God has given to those who obey him.' They warned the apostles not to speak in the name of Jesus and released them. And so they left the presence of the Sanhedrin glad to have had the honour of suffering humiliation for the sake of the name.

The Word of the Lord

Responsorial Psalm

Response: I will praise you Lord, you have rescued me.

Second Reading

A reading from the book of the Apocalypse.

In my vision, I, John, heard the sound of an immense number of angels gathered round the throne and the animals and the elders; there were ten thousand times ten thousand of them and thousands upon thousands, shouting, 'The Lamb that was sacrificed is worthy to be given power, riches, wisdom, strength, honour, glory and blessing.' Then I heard all the living things in creation – everything that lives in the air, and on the ground, and under the ground, and in the sea, crying, 'To the One who is sitting on the throne and to the Lamb, be all praise, honour, glory and power, for ever and ever.' And the four animals said, 'Amen'; and the elders prostrated themselves to worship.

The Word of the Lord.

Alleluia, alleluia! Lord Jesus, explain the Scriptures to us. Make our hearts burn within us as you talk to us. **Alleluia!**

Gospel

A reading from the holy Gospel according to John

Jesus showed himself again to the disciples. It was by the Sea of Tiberias, and it happened like this: Simon Peter, Thomas called the Twin, Nathanael from Cana in Galilee, the sons of Zebedee and two more of his disciples were together. Simon Peter said, 'I'm going fishing.' They replied, 'We'll come with you.' They went out and got into the boat but caught nothing that night.

It was light by now and there stood Jesus on the shore, though the disciples did not realise that it was Jesus. Jesus called out, 'Have you caught anything, friends?' And when they answered, 'No', he said, 'Throw the net out to starboard and you'll find something.' So they dropped the net, and there were so many fish that they could not haul it in. The disciple Jesus loved said to Peter, 'It is the Lord.' At these words 'It is the Lord', Simon Peter, who had practically nothing on, wrapped his cloak round him and jumped into the water. The other disciples came on in the boat, towing the net and the fish; they were only about a hundred yards from land.

As soon as they came ashore they saw that there was some bread there, and a charcoal fire with fish cooking on it. Jesus said, 'Bring some of the fish you have just caught.' Simon Peter went aboard and dragged the net to the shore, full of big fish, one hundred and fifty-three of them; and in spite of there being so many the net was not broken. Jesus said to them, 'Come and have breakfast.' None of the disciples was bold enough to ask, 'Who are you?'; they knew quite well it was the Lord. Jesus then stepped forward, took the bread and gave it to them, and the same with the fish. This was the third time that Jesus showed himself to the disciples after rising from the dead.

The Gospel of the Lord



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Parish Website: arlesparish.ie

1st May 2022

3rd Sunday of Easter

Let us live today

in Christ's resurrection
light.

Let us live

by God's law of love,
extending mercy,

compassion and joy.

Let us share the gifts

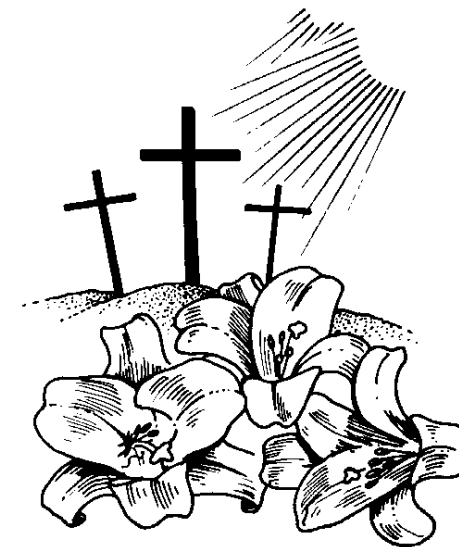
God has given,

practicing generosity, hospitality and love.

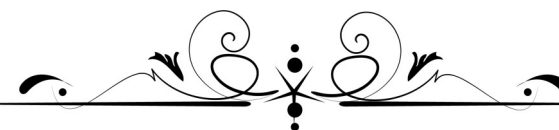
Let us live

as Christ would have us live,

bringing freedom, justice and hope.



Christine Sine



In Memoriam

Anniversaries for 01 May 2022

Killeen (9am): Annie & William Dooley
Joe Mahon, Gurteen (2nd Anniv)
Julia O'Neill

Arles (10am): Gerry Kealy (Months Mind)
Patrick Bolton (50th Anniv) & his wife, Kathleen (20th Anniv)
Jimmy O'Shea and his parents Mary & James O'Shea

Ballylinan (8pm): Bridie Kaye, (2nd Anniv.)
Patrick Freeman, Borris

(11.30am):

Anniversaries for 08 May 2022

Killeen (9am): Edward & Margaret Warren
Paddy O'Neill

Arles (10am): First Holy Communion

Ballylinan (8pm):

(11.30am):

WELL



DONE!

May the joy and strength of the Holy Spirit dwell in their hearts and reassure them of the God's love and friendship in their young lives.



We extend a special word of thanks to Bishop Denis for Confirming our young people and for making the ceremony so special and memorable.

Solemn Novena to



Our Lady of Perpetual Help

St. Clare's Graiguecullen
25th April—20th June 2022

Time: 7.30pm (Rosary at 7.10pm)

2nd May

Speaker: Jessica Wade

Tiglin Evening Service Manager & Outreach Worker



Celebrating 200 Years



Celebration of the Eucharist in Holy Cross Church, Killeshin on Sunday 8th May

1.30pm Procession from St. Clare's Church led by Bishop Denis Nulty



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Well done to all the young people who participated in the celebration of Confirmation last Thursday in Ballylinan & Killeen.

We wish them every success and God's blessing with their studies when they make the transition to Secondary school.

KNOCK

Kildare & Leighlin Diocesan Pilgrimage to Knock Shrine

Bishop Denis Nulty invites you to join with him and parishioners from across the diocese at the Shrine of Our Lady of Knock

Sunday 5th June 2022

2.30pm Ceremonies begin in the Basilica with the Anointing of the Sick

3.00pm Pilgrimage Mass

Followed by Rosary Procession and concluding with Benediction (outdoors – weather permitting).

Ceremonies are usually concluded by 5pm.

Safeguarding

DLP: Mick Daly, mobile number 085-8021633 and email: dlp@kandle.ie

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Sacramental Schedule

Saturday 7th May

First Holy Communion

11am Ballylinan

2pm Killeen



Sunday 8th May

First Holy Communion

10am Arles



Women of Faith Conference 2022

The Conference is LIVE on Radio Maria Ireland on Saturday 7th May from 2pm. Speakers: Sister Consilio (Cuan Mhuire), Wendy Grace (Catholic Speaker), Fr. Freddy Warner, SMA, Sister Susan Evangelist (Sister of Mercy), Dr. Edward Sri (Scripture Scholar).



Radio Maria Ireland is accessible by going online at www.radiomaria.ie or listen through your TV on SAORVIEW Channel 210

Ballylinan Community Alert



Public Meeting

St. Anne's Hall, Ballylinan

Wednesday 4th May at 8pm

Local Garda will be in attendance

All are welcome

LOUGH DERG RE-OPENS

Lough Derg welcomes Pilgrims again with a full Pilgrimage programme this summer



Three Day Pilgrimage: 1st June - 15th August. Booking advised. Concessions available for students, seniors and groups.

One Day Retreats and guided Pilgrim Path experience: dates in May and late August through September. Booking essential. All booking information at www.loughderg.org email info@loughderg.org or telephone 0 (0353) 71 9861518.