



# KILLASSER / CALLOW PARISH NEWSLETTER



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THE BAPTISM OF THE LORD

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**Wishing you all a Happy New Year! Thank You for your support throughout the year.**

## MASS INTENTION

Sat 7th Killasser 12 noon

**Tom Burke, Jim Burke & Burke & Neary** deceased family members.

Sat 7th Killasser 7pm

Evening Mass

Sun 8th Callow 10am

**Tom & Mary Keane**, Culduff

Sun 8th Killasser 12 noon

**Thomas & Kathleen Rowley**, Ballinacurra

Wed 11th Killasser 10am

Morning Mass

Thurs 12th Killasser 10am

Morning Mass

Fri 13th Killasser 10am

**Fr. Thomas Judge**, died 13th January 1900

Sat 14th Killasser 7pm

Evening Mass

Sun 15th Callow 10am

**John McGowan**, Cuillenaghton,

**Kathleen McGarry**, Fintona, Tyrone & Ballinaleck

Sun 15th Killasser 12 noon

**Canon James Bernard Walsh**

## PRAY FOR

**Sheila Dunne**, Cashelesheenahaun & Cloonfinish. Mother of Sheila McCullagh, Killasser Estate

**Liam Phillips**, Callow

**William (Bill) Rowley**, Heywood, Manchester, brother of Francie Rowley, Cloonfinish.

**Brian Lohan**, Mansfield, son of Kate Lohan, Lismorane

**Dave Waite**, father of Darren Waite, The Turf Shed, who died in England

**Mary Bergin Normanly**, 1st cousin of Phyllis Cunney, died in New York

**Elaine Tolan**, Dublin & Foxford, 1st cousin of Vincent Hughes

**Eileen Moran**, Breaffy, Castlebar, sister of Ann McManus, Cartron

**Beattie Goonan nee Keane**, who died in Scotland, aunt of Patricia Keane Smith, Lismorane

**Date for First Communion 2023:** Saturday 13th of May

## BEREAVEMENT & FUNERAL GROUP

We are in the process of putting together a Bereavement & Funeral Group in our parish. Thanks to those who were willing to join the group. We had a very positive meeting recently. As our circumstances change we need to prepare for the inevitable.

## **KILLASSER 50/50 DRAW**

Reminder that the December 50/50 draw takes place on Saturday 7th from 9pm onwards. The minimum jackpot is €1000. Good luck to all participants.

## **A CHRISTMAS MESSAGE:**

Youtube recently interviewed Fr John who gave a Christmas message. To watch the message, search Killasser Parish on Youtube. Enjoy. There is also a video about the Advent Wreath. There is also a video about the Grow in Love Sacred Space. We also have a video about the Baptismal Font there.

## **NOLLAIG NA MBAN 2022**

Nollaig na mBan social takes place in the Turf Shed on **Saturday 7th January 2023 from 4pm**. Places are limited. Tickets €35. To reserve/purchase a ticket please contact Darren or Paul Hyland.

## **KCC-AGM**

The AGM for Killasser Community Centre is scheduled for Friday 13th January 2023 at 8.30pm.

## **N26 CLOONGULLANE BRIDGE PUBLICATION**

If you wish to obtain a copy of the recently published “**Cloongullane Bridge Past & Present**” please contact Paul Hyland (087 610 9192) .

## **NATURE MATTERS**

Nature Matters is a group of parishioners who have come together to improve awareness of the environment and the importance of biodiversity. New members are always welcome.

### New Year Resolution

As we begin a new year, an easy way in which we can resolve to live more sustainably is to donate our unwanted items to charity shops and to shop more often in our local charity shops. This will help to reduce waste, promote recycling and save money as well.

## **GREEN SOD IRELAND**

Green Sod Ireland is a registered charity whose aim is to protect and conserve Irish land in perpetuity for the sake of its indigenous inhabitants: animals, plants, soils, rocks, micro-organisms and the like for present and future generations.

For more information visit [Greensodireland.ie](https://www.greensodireland.ie)



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**SYNOD PRAYER**

“We stand before You, Holy Spirit, as we gather together in Your name. With You alone to guide us, make Yourself at home in our hearts; Teach us the way we must go and how we are to pursue it. We are weak and sinful; do not let us promote disorder. Do not let ignorance lead us down the wrong path nor partiality influence our actions. Let us find in You our unity so that we may journey together to eternal life and not stray from the way of truth and what is right. All this we ask of You, who are at work in every place and time, in the communion of the Father and the Son, forever and ever. Amen”

A Synod is a process of listening and walking together as a Church. We will give more details later about how you can be involved.

