

# Cappagh PARISH NEWS

19<sup>th</sup> January 2025  
Second Sunday  
in Ordinary Time

St Mary's Killyclogher, St Mary's Knockmoyle, Corpus Christi Mountfield, Christ The King Strathroy

## MASS SCHEDULE

### St. Mary's Church, Killyclogher

Sunday Mass: 9am & 11am  
Daily Mass: Mon-Sat: 10am  
Rosary: Mon-Sat: 9.15am  
Confessions: Saturday: after 10am Mass  
Legion of Mary: Monday: after 10am Mass

### St. Marys Church, Knockmoyle

Sunday Mass: Jan: 26<sup>th</sup>  
Feb: 9<sup>th</sup> & 23<sup>rd</sup>

### Christ the King Church, Strathroy

Sunday Mass: 12noon.  
Vigil: 6.30pm  
Polish Mass: 1<sup>st</sup> & 3<sup>rd</sup> Sunday's at 10am  
Daily Mass: Tues, Wed & Thurs: 7.30pm  
Confessions: Saturday: 5.45-6.20pm

### Corpus Christi, Mountfield

Sunday Mass: Jan: 19<sup>th</sup>  
Feb: 2<sup>nd</sup> & 16<sup>th</sup>  
Rosary: Thursday: 8pm



## CATHOLIC SCHOOLS WEEK 2025

Sunday 19<sup>th</sup> January - Saturday 25<sup>th</sup> January  
"Alive in Christ"

*"Christ is alive! He is our hope, and in a wonderful way he brings youth to our world, and everything he touches becomes young, new, full of life. The very first words, then, that I would like to say to every young Christian are these: Christ is alive, and he wants you to be alive!" Pope Francis, Christus Vivit, Section 1*

Reflecting on the theme, our Catholic schools will explore what it means to be living life to the full in Christ. The theme will mediate on hope - how are our schools a beacon of hope to others?

During Catholic Schools Week families, parishes and schools are invited to participate in a week of celebration of our Catholic Schools, reflecting on their contribution to the common good of society

*Our Catholic School is a place where we learn to have faith in ourselves, in each other and in God.*

*May we learn to have hearts of compassion, trust and love in everything we do, as we journey together in faith*

## APPLYING FOR A SCHOOL PLACE IN CAPPAGH PARISH

- St. Mary's Primary School & Nursery, Killyclogher
- Christ the King Primary School & Nursery, Strathroy.
- St. Brigid's Primary School & Playgroup, Mountfield.
- St. Ronan's Primary School, Recarson.



For entry to Nursery or Primary 1 in September 2025, online applications are now open.

**Visit: [www.eani.org.uk/parents/admissions](http://www.eani.org.uk/parents/admissions)**

The deadline for parents/guardians to submit an application online, with documents in support of their application is **Friday 24<sup>th</sup> January 2025 at 12noon.**

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**PARISH OFFICE: MONDAY – THURSDAY: 9AM-5PM (closed 1-1.30pm)**  
Contact by: Phone: 028 8224 3375 or Email: [info@cappaghparish.com](mailto:info@cappaghparish.com).

**Anniversary Mass Bookings:** Please note that Requiem Mass, Month's Minds and 1<sup>st</sup> Anniversaries take precedence and therefore your booking is subject to change.

**WATCH MASS LIVE ON THE PARISH WEBCAM:** [www.cappaghparish.com](http://www.cappaghparish.com)

Select WEBCAM to view Mass from St Mary's Church, Killyclogher & Christ the King Church, Strathroy.

**PARISH WEBSITE:** [www.cappaghparish.com](http://www.cappaghparish.com)

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**MASS INTENTIONS**

Wednesday	22 Jan	CTK	7.30pm	Anniversary	Gerard Donnell, Meelmore Drive
Thursday	23 Jan	CTK	7.30pm	1 <sup>st</sup> Anniversary	Brendan McNabb, Berkley Heights
Saturday	25 Jan	KC	10am	1 <sup>st</sup> Anniversary	Joseph McAuley, Pinefield Rise & remembering his mother Lena
Saturday	25 Jan	CTK	7.30pm	Anniversary	John Joseph McDonagh, Hunters Crescent
Sunday	26 Jan	KM	10am	Anniversary	Seamus McCrossan, Ergenagh Rd
Sunday	26 Jan	KC	11am	Anniversary	John McCaffrey, McIvor Villas



**RECENT BAPTISMS:** : Logan Niall Maguire, Colm Oliver Francis McCrumlish and Conleith John Jude Tracey.

**RECENT DEATHS:** *We pray for:* Annetta Quigley of Seskinore and Thomas Taylor of Bedford. *May they rest in peace.*

**PRAY FOR VOCATIONS**



As we pray for the grace to use our God-given gifts as God would wish us to use them, we pray in particular for those called to use them as priests in the service of the parishes and people of our diocese.

**“DO THIS IN MEMORY OF ME”**



We welcome and support the children of our parish who are preparing to receive the Sacraments of First Communion and Reconciliation. The next “Do This In Memory of Me” Mass will take place on Sunday 26<sup>th</sup> January at 12noon in Christ the King Church, Strathroy.

**CAPPAGH PADRE PIO PRAYER GROUP - PILGRIMAGE 2025**

10<sup>th</sup>-17<sup>th</sup> September 2025. Visting the shrines of Assisi, an Giovanni Rotondo and Saint Michael’s cave. Cost: £1,135 pps. For information contact: Marie on 07799112224 or Clare on 07778025587.

**DERRY DIOCESAN YOUTH PILGRIMAGE TO FATIMA**

We are inviting young people aged 16+ to join us on pilgrimage to Fatima for 4 nights from 14<sup>th</sup> - 18<sup>th</sup> July. This will be a unique experience for young people and an opportunity to engage with their peers from around the world in a faith context. Cost is £700 and there will be a budget plan to help with this. Names and deposit of £100 are required as soon as possible to secure a place. For more information or to book in please contact [lizzie.rea@derrydiocese.org](mailto:lizzie.rea@derrydiocese.org) or phone 028 7126 4087.



**ACCORD IS SEEKING MARRIAGE PREPARATION FACILITATORS**

If you are supportive of marriage in the Catholic Church and have the enthusiasm to be part of the accord team that supports couples preparing for the Sacrament of Marriage then Accord wishes to hear from you! Successful applicants will receive professional training and be part of a team delivering the programme locally. For further information contact Aisling on 00353 1505 3122 or email: [marriagepreparation@accord.ie](mailto:marriagepreparation@accord.ie)

**ULSTER PROJECT 2025**



Application forms for young people wishing to participate in this year’s Ulster Project are now available. Forms may be obtained from the Parish Office. Completed applications should be returned to the Parish Office no later than Sunday 26<sup>th</sup> January 2025. The Ulster Project involves regular group activities on a cross-community basis during the period February to June.

These activities are in preparation for a four-week group visit to the USA in July, during which participants are hosted by American families and experience an exciting and varied daily programme. To be eligible for this Project, applicants should currently be in Year 11 of post-primary education.

**WEEK OF PRAYER FOR CHRISTIAN UNITY : 18<sup>TH</sup> - 25<sup>TH</sup> JANUARY**

The Christian Unity Service will be held in Omagh Methodist Church on Sunday 26<sup>th</sup> January at 7pm. Light refreshments will be served after in the Church Hall. Everyone is very welcome to attend.

**STUDY THEOLOGY ONLINE**

The Priory Institute provides online Theology courses to degree level. Attend Saturday lectures in Tallaght or from the comfort of your own home. Register before 11<sup>th</sup> February. Find out more at [www.prioryinstitute.com](http://www.prioryinstitute.com)

**CAPPAGH BADONEY CCE**

Music classes resume in St. Peter’s PS, Plumbridge on 13<sup>th</sup> January at the usual times. The monthly Seisiun will take place in Knockmoyle Community Hall on Friday 17<sup>th</sup> January at 8.30pm. Admission free - light super served. Musicians, singers, storytellers and listeners most welcome.

**Safeguarding Notice**

If you have any concerns with regard to Safeguarding children or adults in need of protection within the Church, please contact Marie Gormley, the Diocesan Designated Liaison Person (DLP) on 075 9650 0793 | [marie.gormley@derrydiocese.org](mailto:marie.gormley@derrydiocese.org)