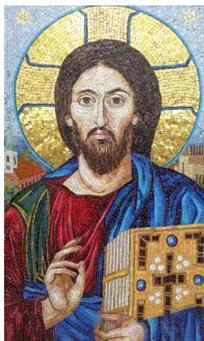


Sovereign King,
To whom we
owe
Fealty
Loyalty
Submission
Service
Gratitude.



Diary for Week.

Mass times (online only)

Mon to Fri 10 am

Sat 7.30 pm

Sunday 9 and 11 o'clock.

Adoration Wed 10 am to 8pm

Confessions Wed 7.30 to 8pm

Mass Intentions Kilaveney

Mon Maureen Murphy Dublin

Tue Special Intention

Wed, Holy Souls.

Thu Holy Souls

Fri Holy Souls

Sat Kitty Hedderman Rosbawn

Sun Laurence Kinsella

Tobberpatrick

Next Sunday is the

First Sunday of Advent

and we begin our preparation for Christmas

The Newsletter is available on the Parish Website. where there is a video of the readings for today's mass for children.

www.kilaveneyparish.ie

You may find other material there that is interesting

Kilaveney Parish

Befriending

It is extremely hard for people who are powerful and rich to discern their true friends. Because there is always the danger that those who profess loyalty and friendship are only doing so out of self interest and because of what they can get out of the relationship. It is only when misfortune strikes that one can discern those who are true friends.

When Jesus appears in glory everyone will flock to him declaring their undying friendship, but Jesus tells us today how he will discern those who are true his friends and whose love is genuine. So the last judgement our relationship with Jesus will be judged on whether we befriended Him or not in this life "I was hungry and you gave me food, thirsty and you gave me drink" We shall stand in his presence and be judged according to what we have been for the poor, with whom Jesus identifies.

Here a beautiful standard for judgment presents itself. We have to become increasingly aware that the poor are the hope of humanity, for we will be judged by how we have treated the poor. We will have to face this reality when we are summoned before the throne of God: "I was hungry. I was naked. I was homeless. And whatever you did to the least of my brethren, you did it to me

My thanks

to people who have left in their weekly envelopes and other collections.

Although we may not be having mass in the church at the present time bills are still coming in, that need paying

Need to re-open Churches.

All people would agree that safety should come first. And in line with that the Churches went along with the decision to close churches while more could be learned about the corona virus.

Now eight months into the Corona outbreak, a lot more is known about how the virus is spread. Now that it is accepted that where masks are worn and social distancing is exercised and where there is ventilation, the danger of contracting the virus is practically zero. At this stage we need to see that the decision to keep Churches closed is based on scientific evidence and not on anti-

Humour.

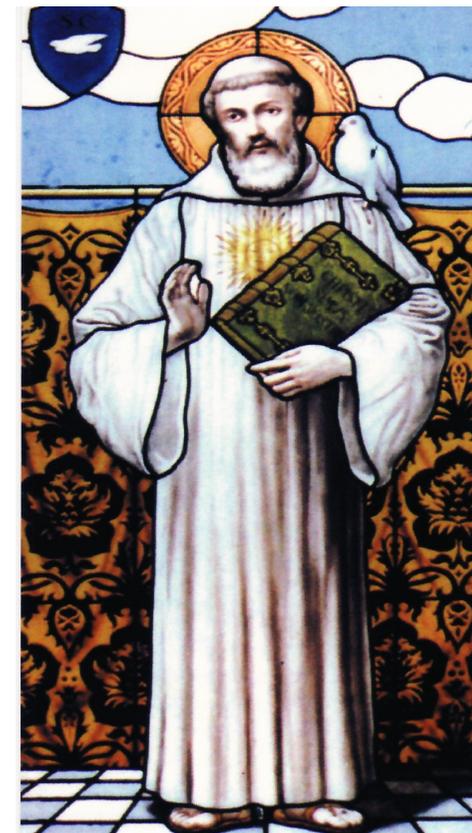
By the time you learn the rules of life, you're too old to play the game.

Keep the dream alive: Hit the snooze button.

Well aren't you a waste of two billion years of evolution.

If this is Miss Universe pageant? Why are all the winners are from Earth.

For every action, there is a corresponding over-reaction.



St Columbanus (Colmcille)

Columbanus was an Irish missionary notable for founding a number of monasteries after 590 in the Frankish and Lombard kingdoms, most notably Luxeuil Abbey in present-day France and Bobbio Abbey in present-day Italy *The saints can be for us a source of great encouragement inspiration and example. Like us they too struggled, but they kept their eye on the prize. During the winter months why not get to know one of your favourite saints better by reading their life story*