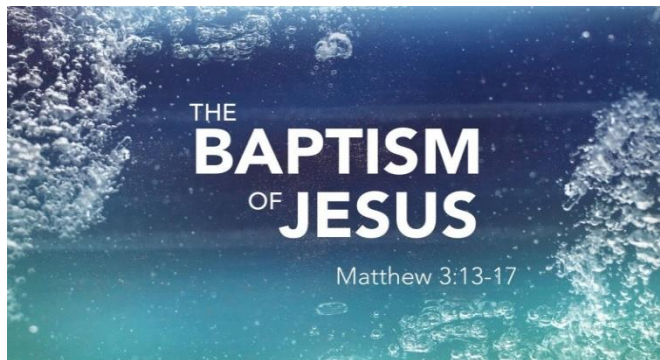


Parishes of Ardcath/Clonalvy & Curraha

12th January 2020 Baptism of The Lord

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Children for Baptism: The next meeting for parents who wish to have their children baptised, will take place in the Parish Centre on Thursday 9th of January 2020 at 8.00pm and the 20th February 2019 8pm.

Eucharistic Adoration: Clonalvy Tuesday 10am – 11am. Ardcath: Friday 10am – 11am. Curraha Thursday 10am– 12noon, Newcomers always very welcome.

Please pray for the soul and family of Tracy Byrne sister of Dermot Byrne Curraha who was laid to rest during the week. May she rest in peace.

Jan 18 th /19 th	<u>Ministers of the Eucharistic</u>	<u>Ministers of the Word</u>
Ardcath 6.30pm	Patricia Fox	Jill Tuite & Richard Dunne
Clonalvy 10.00am	Frances Whyte	Catherine Campbell
Curraha 11.30am	Margaret Nugent	Mary Carey

Sunday 12th January Baptism of The Lord

Ardcath Vigil	6.30pm	A.V. Gareth McKenna A.V. Kevin Brady & DFM Brady & McMenemy
Sunday Clonalvy	10.00am	A.V. Carol Walsh & Dec Family Members
Sunday Curraha	11.30am	A.V. Sean Elaine & Paula Galwey A.V. Nuala Keogh

Monday	Curraha	9.30am	People of the Parish
Tuesday	Clonalvy	9.30pm	People of the Parish
Thursday	Curraha	9.30am	People of the Parish
Friday	Ardcath	9.30am	No Mass

Sunday 19th January Second Sunday in Ordinary Time

Ardcath Vigil	6.30pm	A.V. Nicky Hamilton Birthday Rem Betty Bolger
Sunday Clonalvy`	10.00am	A.V. Nicky Murray A.V. Una & Richard Lynam
Sunday Curraha	11.30am	A.V. Ryan Family & Sinead Lynn Tom Keogh

Make the Father Known

Jesus revealed his Father. So must we. Our vocation is as simple as that – to make the Father know. How do we make the Father know? Again this is simple too: In the same way let your light shine before others that they may see your good deeds and glorify your Father in heaven.

The Baptism of the Lord

St Pope John Paul II was once asked what was the most important day in his life. Do you know what he said? He didn't say being ordained a priest, he didn't say being made a bishop or even being made Pope. He said, 'The day of my baptism was the greatest day of my life'. Baptism is an immersion into Jesus death and resurrection: 'Do you know that all of us who have been baptized into Christ Jesus were baptised into Christ Jesus were baptised into his death' St Paul therefore says to us 'consider yourselves dead to sin and alive to God in Christ Jesus. Then we can be alive in Christ. Then we can indeed make Him know so that the glory is given to his Father.



Young Adults! (18-40)

A day of reflection takes place at Dalgan Park, Navan on Sat. 11th Jan. (9.45 - 5pm)
'Behold I stand at the door and knock' Rev. 3:20 The Lord has many exciting graces for each person! Cost is just a donation! Lunch is provided. Sr Una: youthretreats@gmail.com

A Gift of Love for Married Couples

A **Marriage Enrichment Weekend** offers married couples of all ages in a good relationship, private time to rekindle the joy of their love. The next (residential) Weekend (Fri 8pm to Sun 4:30pm) will be held in Dromantine, Newry from 31st January- 2nd February For information and to book, visit our new website www.marriageencounter.ie or phone **00353 (87) 2162436**

Safeguarding Children teams are in place in all of our parishes, the Church's safeguarding children policy is available on our website and at www.meathsafeguarding.ie. Also there are contact numbers available in the back of all the churches, sacristies and parish properties

Applications for enrolment to St Andrew's N.S. are now being taken please telephone the school on 01-8351528 for copy Enrolment Form or call in to pick one up from the office.

The Feel Good Project is a Month By Month Health and Wellbeing Classes/ Talks Thai Chi for beginners in the Courthouse Duleek from 7th January at 7.30pm Free to attend all ages welcome.

Operation Transformation National Walk is taking place in Ashbourne on Saturday 18th January at 10am. Meet at Ashbourne Garda Station. All ages and abilities welcome. Children must be supervised by an adult.

Curraha Lotto results 6th January 2020. There was no jackpot winner the numbers drawn were - 8-10-19-20. There was one winner of the match three JRC who receives €100.00. The Jackpot next week is €8200.00. The next draw will take place in Swans.

Ardcath Lotto: Windfall not won. Numbers drawn were 21,23,25. Names drawn for January draw were G McGuinness and Brendan Morgan. Next week's jackpot will be €1900.00. €200 monthly winner for December was Ambrose and Declan O'Sullivan.