

# Parishes of Ardcath/Clonalvy & Curraha

Twenty-Sixth Sunday in Ordinary Time  
27<sup>th</sup> September 2020

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Curraha – St Andrew's Church - [currahaparish.ie](http://currahaparish.ie)

Ardcath– St Mary's Church & Clonalvy St John the Baptist Church - [Ardcath-Clonalvyparish.ie](http://Ardcath-Clonalvyparish.ie)

**Children for Baptism:** Due to health restrictions all meetings are cancelled until further notice. Couples must phone their celebrant in the week before their baptism for a short preparation. Arrangements for Baptisms are made with Fr. Brendan or the parish office.



October 3<sup>rd</sup> & 4<sup>th</sup>

Ministers of the Eucharistic

Ministers of the Word

Ardcath 6.30pm

Patricia Fox

Lara McCormack & Arthur Moore

Clonalvy 10.00am

Patricia Harford

Brenda Fanning

Curraha 11.30am

Ann Keogh

Lorna Battersby

**Ministers please take your seats in the Sanctuary for the whole Mass.**

Sunday 27<sup>th</sup> September Twenty-Sixth Sunday in Ordinary Time

Ardcath Vigil

6.30pm

A.V. Minnie & James Moore

A.V. Jimmy Tuite & John & Anna Tuite

Paddy Andrews

Sunday Clonalvy

10.00am

A.V. Johnny Andrews

Sunday Curraha

11.30am

A.V. Aidan Keogh

Dec Members of the Deering Family

A.V. Margaret O'Toole

Monday 28<sup>th</sup> September

7.30pm

Thomas Keogh

Tuesday 29<sup>th</sup> September

9.30am

Special Intention

Thursday 1<sup>st</sup> September

9.30am

Angela Lynn

Friday 2<sup>nd</sup> September

9.30am

Oliver McNulty

Sunday 4<sup>th</sup> October Twenty Seventh Sunday in Ordinary Time

Ardcath Vigil

6.30pm

Sunday Clonalvy

10.00am

A.V. Frankie Moore

A.V. Peter & Rose Walsh

Sunday Curraha

11.30am

Tommy Staunton

Dec Mem Connolly Family

**Diocesan Ordination:** Please remember in your prayers Fr. Norman Allred, who was ordained a priest in our Cathedral in Mullingar at 3pm last Sunday the 20<sup>th</sup> September. We wish Fr. Norman every blessing as he begins his ministry in our diocese.

## WORDS & PROMISES V DEEDS & ACTIONS

There are over a billion people on the planet who have solemnly promised to live a life of loving service to God and neighbour. For that is what baptism and confirmation mean. Millions renew this promise each Sunday. That's what saying the creed and receiving communion mean. But what do our actions say? Sadly, most baptized Christians have lifestyles that don't quite match the words they profess. Actions speak louder than words. The last and ultimate word of Jesus was the Cross, the most eloquent love letter ever written, the final PS of a 33 year life of love in action (Phil 2:1-11).

**A Question people often ask:** When best to book Masses, Baptisms, Weddings etc. The best way is to see Fr. Brendan after any Mass or to phone the Parish office on 01-8350136 or email [accparish@gmail.com](mailto:accparish@gmail.com). The Parish office times are 1pm to 3pm Tuesday's and Friday's.

**Safeguarding Children** teams are in place in all of our parishes, the Church's safeguarding children policy is available at [www.meathsafeguarding.ie](http://www.meathsafeguarding.ie). Also there are contact numbers available in the back of all the churches, sacristies and parish properties.

**Singer(s)** Guitarist & Singer(s) available for Weddings & Funerals for further details please contact Ann on 086-2363476

**Ardcath Windfall** Draw 1 Windfall not won. Numbers drawn were 22-29-32. Names drawn were Ciaran Brady and David McKenna. Draw 2 Windfall not won. Numbers drawn were 9-17-27. Name's drawn were Pat Murray and Stephen & Catriona Corry. Next week's jackpot will be €2800.00.

**Social Distancing:** We thank you for respecting social distancing as you enter the church during Mass and as you are leaving the church and grounds. Again we thank you for your 100% adherence to the wearing of masks at all our sacraments. We wish to remind you that the regulations state at present that we are only allowed 50 in our churches. We are using our external speakers at all Masses to allow people to social distance outside and communion is also distributed. Once again we thank you all for your co-operation and support in these difficult times.

What you  
do speaks  
so loud  
that I  
cannot hear  
what  
you say.

Ralph Waldo Emerson

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