

WEEKEND MASSES

ARDCATH: 6:30PM (SAT VIGIL)

CLONALVY: 10.00AM (SUNDAY)

CURRAHA: 11:30AM (SUNDAY)

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PARISH NEWSLETTER

PALM SUNDAY OF THE LORD'S PASSION 10TH APRIL 2022

Thanks to the Smith Family of Crickstown who donated the branches for the blessings of Palms for the three churches.

Please pray for the soul of Mary Kennedy, Dingle who was laid to rest during the week. May she rest in peace.



Sun 17 th April	<u>MINISTERS OF THE EUCHARIST</u>	<u>MINISTERS OF THE WORD</u>
Ardcath 6.30pm	Liz Gough	Liz Gough & Tricia Fox
Clonalvy 10.00am	Frances Whyte	Anne White
Curraha 11.30am	Amy Battersby	Michael Weldon

10th April Palm Sunday - Sunday of the Passion of our Lord Jesus Christ

Vigil Ardcath	6.30pm	A.V. Paddy & Jean Andrews
Sunday Clonalvy	10.00am	A.V. Joe White
Sunday Curraha	11.30am	Av. Bartle Bermingham Av. Eamon Woods

Monday 11 ^h Curraha	7.30pm	No Mass
Tuesday 12 th Clonalvy	9.30am	No Mass
Thursday 14 th Clonalvy	6.30pm	Mass of the Lord's Supper
14 th Curraha	8.00pm	Mass of the Lord's Supper

17th April Easter Sunday of the Lord's Resurrection

Easter Vigil Curraha	8.30pm	Sacred Easter Vigil
Sunday Ardcath	8.45am	People of the Parish
Sunday Clonalvy	10.00am	A.V. Billy, Ita & Johnny Byrne A.V. Patricia Meagher
Sunday Curraha	11.00am	A.V. John Kavanagh Rita Nolan

With thanks to all who helped for the big Lenten clean-up of our churches and church yards, as we prepare for Holy Week.

Further Update to Ukrainian Refugees Appeal

Additional donations have brought the total amounts so far sent from our parishes to:

Ardcath/Clonalvy: €885 Curraha: €1700.00

Thanks to all for your generous support



Holy Week 2022

In Irish this week is called 'An tSeachtain Mhór' – the Big Week or even more appropriately the Great Week, for indeed the greatest moments of humanity are recalled during these big days: The triumphant welcome given to Jesus as the Holy One enters His own city, to the Palm waving acclamations of 'Hosanna to the King', only to end the week with the cries of the crowd, baying for blood, "Crucify Him, Crucify Him." This shocking week invites every one of us to walk that path with Jesus from the Last Supper to Calvary so that we can rise through Holy Saturday into Easter Week, entering an even Bigger and Greater Week!

Chrism Mass: Spy Wednesday 13th April @ 7pm Cathedral of Christ the King, Mullingar. At the Mass of Chrism, the sacred oils used for the Anointing of the Sick, the Last Rites, Baptism and Confirmation are blessed and consecrated. It is here that the priests of the diocese annually renew the commitments which they made at their ordinations, and is a particularly grace filled moment to pray for your priests. **All welcome to attend.**

Holy Thursday

Clonalvy **Mass of the Lord's Supper** **6:30pm**
Curraha **Mass of the Lord's Supper** **8pm**

Procession of Blessed Sacrament to the Parish Centre after Mass for prayer and adoration, finishing with Night Prayer and intercession for Vocations to Priesthood at **10:00pm**



Good Friday

Clonalvy **Stations of the Cross** **12Noon**
Curraha **Celebration of the Lord's Passion** **3pm**
Ardcath **Celebration of the Lord's Passion** **6:30pm**

Holy Saturday

Curraha **Sacred Easter Vigil** **8:30pm**

Easter Sunday

Ardcath **Mass of Easter** **8:45am**
Clonalvy **Mass of Easter** **10:00am**
Curraha **Mass of Easter** **11:30am**



Sacrament of Confession

Ardcath **Good Friday** **5:30pm to 6:15pm, 7:30pm to 8pm**
Curraha **Holy Saturday** **12Noon to 1:30pm**

The monthly meeting of Curraha I.C.A will take place on Monday 11th at 12.30 in the Parish Centre. Looking forward to seeing everyone and if not already a member but would like to join us you would be made very welcome.