

## WEEKEND MASSES

ARDCATH: 6:30PM (SAT VIGIL)

CLONALVY: 10.00AM (SUNDAY)

CURRAHA: 11:30AM (SUNDAY)

CURATE: FR. KEVIN HEERY CC



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## PARISH NEWSLETTER

EASTER SUNDAY 24<sup>TH</sup> APRIL 2022

*Happy Easter! Alleluia*

HE IS RISEN  
*alleluia*

Sun 24 <sup>th</sup> April	MINISTERS OF THE EUCHARIST	MINISTERS OF THE WORD
Ardcath 6.30pm	Geraldine Wall	Jill Tuite & Richard Dunne
Clonalvy 10.00am	Margaret Andrews	Breda Murray
Curraha 11.30am	Elizabeth Byrne	Sarah McDonnell

### 17<sup>th</sup> April Easter Sunday of the Lord's Resurrection

Easter Vigil Curraha 8.30pm

Sunday Ardcath 8.45am

Sunday Clonalvy 10.00am

Sunday Curraha 11.00am

Sacred Easter Vigil

People of the Parish

A.V. Billy, Ita & Johnny Byrne

A.V. Patricia Meagher

A.V. John Kavanagh

Rita Nolan

A.V. Hilary Flynn

Monday 18<sup>th</sup> Curraha 7.30pm

Tuesday 19<sup>th</sup> Clonalvy 9.30am

Thursday 21<sup>st</sup> Clonalvy 9.30am

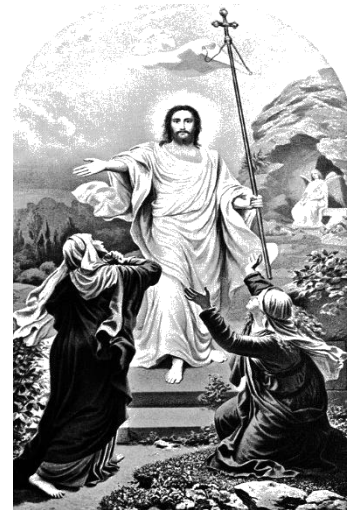
Friday 22<sup>nd</sup> Ardcath 9.30am

No Mass

No Mass

A.V. John Cleary DFM

No Mass



### 24<sup>th</sup> April 2<sup>nd</sup> Sunday of Easter

Vigil Mass Ardcath 6.30pm

Sunday Clonalvy 10.00am

Sunday Curraha 11.30am

A.V. Angela Grendon

A.V. Peter & Kathleen Grendon

A.V. Rose Caffrey & DFM

A.V. James, Rose & Mary McCabe & Paddy Conlon

A.V. Anthony Bermingham DFM

A.V. Pat Mooney

A.V. Jim King

A.V. Sean, Elaine & Paula Galwey

A.V. James & Marcella McDermott

**RIP:** Please pray for the soul of Josephine Howard, Monasterboice. May she rest in peace.

**Trocaire Boxes:** Please return your Trocaire Boxes at Mass, the Sacristies, or the Parish Office as soon as possible.



The celebrations of Holy Week, the Easter Triduum, and now this Easter Season would be much less had it not been for the generous spirit of so many parishioners. On behalf of all our parishioners, I would like to express the thanks of

the parish to all who enhanced and serviced the liturgy during these sacred days: Readers, Choirs, Extra-Ordinary Ministers, Sacristans, Servers and their Parents, Flower Arrangers, Stewards, and Collectors. For all who gave of their time to tidy the church and maintain the churchyards, to Frank and Gerry O'Connor for electrical upgrade work – Liam for the Webcam maintenance – Lorna in the Parish Office and all who have done so much noticed only by the Lord. A very big thank you!

I pray the blessings of this holy season may overshadow the homes of our parish as we celebrate this most sacred time of Christian year, that God may bestow His love, His Closeness and His Peace upon us all. Have a blessed Easter, the Lord is Risen! Alleluia

Fr Kevin

## Easter 2022

The season of Easter celebrating Christ's Resurrection lasts for 50 days, until the evening of Pentecost Sunday, and is a time marked with the great acclamation of our joy in the Lord – **ALLELUIA!** The Alleluia hangs on every aspect of the Sacred Liturgy and invites us to share the joy that fills our Christian hearts with all whom we encounter. In times ago, a customary greeting during this time, instead of a bland 'hello' would be "*Christ is Risen, Alleluia*" inviting a response "*He is Risen indeed, alleluia*" or in Irish "*Tá Críost éirithe! Alleluia- Go deimhin, tá sé éirithe! Alleluia*" Sharing that joy with Our Lady, the Angelus at Noon and 6pm is replaced until Pentecost with the Regina Caeli prayer:

Regina Caeli, laetare, alleluia.  
 Quia quem meruisti portare, alleluia,  
 Resurrexit, sicut dixit, alleluia:  
 Ora pro nobis Deum, alleluia.  
 V̄. Gaude et laetare, Virgo Maria, alleluia.  
 R̄. Quia surrexit Dominus vere, alleluia.  
 Oremus.  
 Deus, qui per resurrectionem Filii tui Domini nostri Iesu Christi, mundum laetificare dignatus es: praesta, quaesumus, ut, per eius Genetricem Virginem Mariam, perpetuae capiamus gaudia vitae. Per Christum, Dominum nostrum. Amen.

Queen of heaven, rejoice, alleluia.  
 For He whom you were worthy to bear, alleluia,  
 Has risen as he said, alleluia.  
 Pray to God for us, alleluia.  
 V̄. Rejoice and be glad, O Virgin Mary, alleluia.  
 R̄. For the Lord has truly risen, alleluia.  
 Let us pray.  
 O God, who through the resurrection of your Son, our Lord Jesus Christ gave joy to the world, grant we beseech Thee, that through the intercession of the Virgin Mary, His Mother, we may obtain the joys of everlasting life. Through the same Christ our Lord. Amen