

WEEKEND MASSES

ARDCATH: 6:30PM (SAT VIGIL)

CLONALVY: 10.00AM (SUNDAY)

CURRAHA: 11:30AM (SUNDAY)

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PARISH NEWSLETTER

4TH SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME

29TH JANUARY 2023

Please pray for the soul of: Una Dowling Ardcah who was laid to rest during the week. May she rest in peace.

Sunday	5 th Feb	<u>MINISTERS OF THE EUCHARIST</u>	<u>MINISTERS OF THE WORD</u>
Ardcah	6.30pm	Trisha Fox	Jill Tuite
Clonalvy	10.00am	Margaret Andrews	Ann White
Curraha	11.30am	Marcella O'Connor	Daniel Keohane

Sunday 29th January Fourth Sunday in Ordinary Time

Vigil Ardcah	6.30pm	A.V. Fr. Seamus Donegan & DFM
Sunday Clonalvy	10.00am	A.V. Edward Madden A.V. Michael Fanning & DM Fanning & Whyte Families A.V. James & Josephine McGuinness A.V. Nicky Hamilton
Sunday Curraha	11.30am	1 st A.V. Mona Sherry & Rem husband Roger & DM of Sherry & Wherity Families A.V. Christopher & Mary Devaney & DFM A.V. Sheila & Patrick Wall, A.V. Peter Laycock Special Intention

Monday	30 th	Curraha	7.30pm	Teresa Joyce
Tuesday	31 st	Clonalvy	9.30am	Intention
Thursday	2 nd	Curraha	9.30am	Intention
Friday	3 rd	Ardcah	9.30am	Parish List of the dead.

Sunday 5th February Fifth Sunday in Ordinary Time

Vigil Ardcah	6.30pm	
Sunday Clonalvy	10.00am	
Sunday Curraha	11.30am	A.V. Con Keohane



Parish Sunday Collection Weekly

	Ardcah	Clonalvy	Curraha
Offertory	177.26	119.60	458.56
Envelopes	85.00	27.00	70.00
Offerings	10.00	0.00	00.00

Thank you for your generous support with the running costs of our parish.

1st February: St Brigid's Day: We wish all our parishioners a very St Brigid's Day, particularly to all the Brigids, Bridgets, Bríds, Breeges, Biddys and Brigitte's in our parish, and to all who work under her patronage: poets; blacksmiths; livestock and dairy farmers, Kildare and Louth!



Candlemas - 2nd Feb - The Presentation of the Lord

Today's great feast marks the 40th Day after Christmas with the Presentation of the Lord in the Temple in Jerusalem. While there, Simeon waits for the Lord, having been promised by the Holy Spirit that he would see the Messiah. Now he receives Jesus into his arms and declares this young baby to be "the light to enlighten all

nations. Hence it became associated with the Blessing of Candles that will be used in the church throughout the year, particularly on the altar for Mass. The Mass begins with the blessing of candles for the church, and for those that can be used at home as well. Please leave candles for the church on the table at the back of the Church and hold the candles to be brought home beside you.

Altar Candles or Donations towards Altar Candles are very welcome. Donations towards Church Candles to be blessed on the Feast of Candlemas (2nd February) for use throughout the year, can be dropped into Parish Office or Sacristy (Marked Altar Candles)



St Blaise's Day: With the blessed altar candles from Candlemas, the traditional blessing of throats is given through the intercession of St Blaise, Bishop and Martyr. The blessing of throats will take place at Mass in St Mary's Ardcath at 9:30am.

St. Andrew's Primary School, Curraha is currently enrolling pupils for the school year 2023-2024. Enrolment Forms can be downloaded from the school website www.standrewscurragha.com. The closing date for Application is 18.02.2022. If you require further information, please email: office@standrewscurragha.com



St. Patrick's Primary School, Ardcath is currently enrolling pupils for the school year 2023-2024. Enrolment Forms can be downloaded from www.ardcathns.ie. Closing date for Application is 18.02.2022. Admission Policy and Annual Admission Notice are available online. If you require further information, please mail info@ardcathns.ie