

WEEKEND MASSES

ARDCATH: 6:30PM (SAT VIGIL)

CLONALVY: 10.00AM (SUNDAY)

CURRAHA: 11:30AM (SUNDAY)

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PARISH NEWSLETTER

TWENTY SEVENTH SUNDAY IN

ORDINARY TIME

SUNDAY 8TH OCTOBER



		<u>MINISTERS OF THE EUCHARIST</u>	<u>MINISTERS OF THE WORD</u>
Sunday	15 th Oct		
Ardcath	6:30pm	Trisha Fox	Lara McCormack
Clonalvy	10.00am	Margaret Andrews	Kevin Geoghegan
Curraha	11.30am	Claire O'Connor	Frances Duffy

Sunday 8th October Twenty Seventh Sunday in Ordinary Time

Vigil Ardcath 6.30pm A.V. Tony Synnott
A.V. Michael Cashen

Sunday Clonalvy 10.00am A.V. Patrick & Nano Whyte

Sunday Curraha 11.30am A.V. Marion King.

Mon 9th Curraha 7.30pm Special Intention

Tues. 10th Clonalvy 9.30am Teresa Sheridan

Thurs. 12th Curraha 9.30am Kitty Kavanagh

Fri. 13^h Ardcath 9.30am Teresa Sheridan

Sunday 15th October Twenty Eighth Sunday in Ordinary Time

Vigil Ardcath 6.30pm A.V. Danny Baxter
A.V. Ritchie & Marie Barry & DFM

Sunday Clonalvy 10.00am A.V. Frankie Moore

Sunday Curraha 11.30am Lorna Tracey
McGuinness & Fitzpatrick DFM
A.V. Catherine & Billy Halpin

Parish Sunday Collection Weekly

	Ardcath	Clonalvy	Curraha
Offertory	€252.00	€162.02	€ 313.52
Envelopes	€ 20.00	€ 10.00	€ 350.00
Offerings	€ 30.00	€ 0.00	€ 380.00

Thank you for the generous support
of the work and upkeep of the Parish.



Dates for the Celebration of the Sacraments 2024

The **Sacrament of Confirmation** will be celebrated in **St Andrew's Church, Curraha** on **Friday, 23rd February 2024**.

The celebration of God's mercy in the sacrament of **First Confession** will take place:

St Mary's Church, Ardcaith 7:30pm 7th February 2024

St Andrew's Church, Curraha 7:30pm 29th February 2024



Our parish will celebrate the children of our Parishes receiving the Lord Jesus Christ in the sacrament of **First Holy Communion**:

St Andrew's Church, Curraha 10:30pm 18th May 2023

St. Mary's Church, Ardcaith 12:30am 18th May 2023

Next weekend, the children preparing to receive the Sacrament of Confirmation next year will renew their baptismal promises, along with parishioners, as they grow in the understanding of the meaning of the Christian faith. We keep all our young parishioners in prayer.

May He support us all the day long
till the shades lengthen
and the evening comes
and the busy world is hushed
and the fever of life is over
and our work is done.

Then in His mercy...
may He give us a safe lodging
and a holy rest
and peace at the last.

Cardinal Newman

09 October - Feast of St John Henry Newman - one of the founders of UCD Dublin. A convert from Anglicanism to Catholicism, ordained a priest and who was later elevated to the rank of Cardinal in the Church. He was canonized by Pope Francis in 2019. **"To live is to change, to be perfect is to have changed often"**.

11th October - Feast of Pope St John XXIII - Papacy 1958-1963. Known as Good Pope John, opened the Second Vatican Council which gathered the world's bishops to Rome that sought to open up dialogue between believers and the world. **"Consult not your fears, but your hopes and your dreams"**.



Parish Offertory Envelopes and Direct Debit. Your continued generosity given through the monthly envelopes and/or Direct Debit is a very important support to the work and maintenance of the Parish, particularly in offsetting the costs of repair, renovation and upkeep of the parish buildings, while also seeing that the ongoing day to day expenditures of Insurance, electricity and as we face into Autumn and Winter, heat as well. Thank you for that support. If you haven't received a box of parish envelopes or wish to sign up for Direct Debit, please contact the Parish Office, or come to the sacristy after Mass.

The **Pro Life Campaign National Conference 2023** takes place on Saturday, **14th October** in the RDS Concert Hall in Dublin, featuring top pro-life speakers from home and abroad. It's a terrific opportunity to meet with other pro-life supporters from across Ireland and there will be lots of interesting stands and workshops at the event. Conference runs from 12:00 - 3:30pm (workshops from 11am). Entry is free of charge (but donations most welcome on the day if you are in a position to donate). Register to attend at www.prolifecampaign.ie or phone 01-662 9275.

ICA Curraha: The October I.C.A meeting will be held on **Monday, 9th October** at **12.30pm** in the **Parish Centre**. Phyllis Roe, Meath Federation President will be our guest on the day. All welcome.