WEEKEND MASSES

ARDCATH: 6:30PM (SAT VIGIL)
CLONALVY:10.00AM (SUNDAY)
CURRAHA: 11:30AM (SUNDAY)
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PARISH NEWSLETTER

THE SEVENTH SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME 23RD FEBRUARY 2025



Sunday	2nd March	MINISTERS OF THE EUCHARIST
Ardcath	6.30pm	Ann Sheridan
Clonalvy	10.00am	Margaret Andrews
Curraha	11.30am	Gerard O'Connor

MINISTERS OF THE WORD
Maire McKenna
Anne White
Margaret Nugent

Sunday 23rd February Seventh Sunday in Ordinary Time

Vigil Ardcath 6.30pm A.V. Pat Byrne & DFM

Sunday Clonalvy 10.00am A.V. Joe Whyte

Sunday Curraha 11.30am A.V. Hughie Ward, Parents

Hugh & Margaret Ward & DFM

Mon. 24th Curraha 7.30pm Mary Canning, Thomas Prendiville

Tues. 25th Clonalvy 9.30am Margaret Bolton
 Thurs 27th Curraha 9.30am John Fleming
 Friday 28th Ardcath 9.30am Intention

Sunday 2nd March Eight Sunday in Ordinary Time

Vigil Ardcath 6.30pm Sunday Clonalvy 10.00am

Sunday Curraha 11.30am A.V. Michael Daughton (1st)

A.V. Mark Mooney

A.V. Bridget & James O'Connor & DFM

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Parishes Collection					
	Ardcath	Clonalvy	Curraha	Thank you for the generous support	
Offertory	€ 149.60	€ 150.76	€ 330.50	of the work and upkeep of our Parish	
Envelopes	€ 0.00	€ 20.00	€ 130.00		
Offerings	€ 0.00	€ 0.00	€ 105.00		

<u>Bulletin:</u> relevant news items of parish and local interest are always welcome for inclusion in the bulletin! PLEASE TAKE A COPY OF THE BULLETIN HOME WITH YOU OR ONE FOR A NEIGHBOUR, RELATIVE or FRIEND.

Wanted: The Church is looking for a priest capable of being reborn in the Spirit every day. The Church is looking for a man without fear of tomorrow, without fear of today, without complexes from the past. The Church is looking for a man who is not afraid of change, who does not change for the sake of changing, who does not speak just for the sake of speaking. The Church is looking for a man capable of living together with others, working, crying, laughing, loving, and



dreaming together. The Church is looking for a man who can lose without feeling destroyed, who can doubt without losing his faith, who can bring peace where there is restlessness, and restlessness where there is peace. The Church is looking for a man who knows how to use his hands to bless and to indicate the way forward. The Church is looking for a man without many means, but with a lot to do, a man who, in moments of crisis, does not look for another job, but for the best way to work. The Church is looking for a man who finds his freedom in living and serving and not in doing what he wants. The Church is looking for a man who has nostalgia for God, nostalgia for the Church, nostalgia for the world, nostalgia for Christ's poverty, nostalgia for Christ's obedience. The Church is looking for a man who does not confuse prayer with words spoken out of habit, spirituality with feeling, calling with interest, service with work. The Church is looking for a man capable of dying for her, even more capable of living for her; a man capable of becoming a servant of Christ, a prophet of God, a man who speaks through his life. The Church is looking for a man. (Primo Mazzolari)



Your Call: If you feel called to Diocesan Priesthood please talk to your local priest or to the Diocesan Vocation Director in the Diocese where you live. A full list of Diocesan Vocation Directors and their contact details can be found here https://vocations.ie/diocesan-vocation-directors/.

Accord Marriage Care: Accord is

the catholic marriage support service agency in Ireland. Trained facilitators provide pre marriage courses and on-going marriage support to couples. They also provide counselling to couples seeking help. The Meath diocesan office of Accord is in Navan and their website is www.accord.ie





Getting Married in the Coming Months? Any couple getting married in the coming months are asked to make sure that they do their pre marriage course and the church paperwork in plenty of time. This is to ensure that all is organised, and the couple can focus on planning their ceremony in the church with their priest in the months coming up to the wedding.

Community Notices:

Ardcath ICA will host our annual Senior Citizens Party in the Glenside Hotel on Sunday 6th April 2025. if you would like to attend or if you know of any Senior Citizens that may like to attend - please contact Bernie Fox on 086-8354000 or Joan Caffrey 087 - 624 3684."

Ardcath ICA will hold a Poker Classic in Bennett's Function Room on February 28th at 8.30pm in aid of Senior Citizens party/Ardcath ICA. Tickets €30.00. Raffle Tickets €5.00. Supper served. Tickets from Dolores White (087) 265 3472″