

Parish of Kilsherdany & Drung

Third Sunday of the Year

21 January 2024



Jan 2024 Masses: **Saturday:** Kill 6.30pm **Sunday:** Bunnoe 10.00am
Masses This Week:

NO WEEKDAY MASSES IN JANUARY

St Brigid's Church, Kill

Sat 20th - 6.30 pm - John Anthony Clarke, USA, formerly Ratrussan (son of Patrick Clarke & Ellen Brady)

Sat 27th - 6.30 pm - Cillian Boyle, Campstown (2nd Anniv);
- Private Intention

Eucharistic Adoration: Spend time with Jesus every Tues 6-7pm in Kill Church

St Patrick's Church, Corick

Sat 20th - NO MASS

Sat 27th - NO MASS

St Mary's Church, Bunnoe

Sun 21st - 10.00 am - Michael Fay, Bunnoe, Lisboduff (Month's Memory), also the Gaffney family

- Thomas McCaul, Tullybrick (1st Anniv) & all deceased members of the McCaul family;

- Margaret McCaul, Lisarney (1st Anniv)

Sun 28th - 10.00 am - Marie McCabe, Ardlushin, Lisboduff (Month's Memory)

- Mark O'Reilly & Patrick & Mary Anne Fahy, Bunnoe

Church of Immaculate Conception, Drung

Sun. 21st - NO MASS

Sun 28th - NO MASS

Important Church Information

Feast Days During Coming Week:

Monday 22:	St Vincent
Wednesday 24:	St Francis de Sales
Thursday 25:	St Paul
Friday 26:	Ss Timothy & Titus
Saturday 27:	St Angela Merici

Thursday 1st Feb is the Feast of St Brigid, who is the Patron Saint of our Parish. Parishioners are encouraged to attend Mass at one of our nearby churches, some suggestions listed below.

Alternative Mass suggestions for Thur 1st Feb, the Feast of St Brigid:

Church of the Immaculate Conception, Belturbet	9.30am
St. Brigid's, Laragh	9.45am
St. Michael's, Cootehill	10.00am
St. Patrick's, Castletara	10.00am
St. Brigid's, Tunnyduff	7.30pm

Recent Death: Please pray for the soul of Colm O'Reilly, Drumauna, Drung, who died on Wed 10th Jan 2024, Requiem Mass on Sun 14th Jan 2024 in St Brigid's Church, Killeshandra. May he rest in peace.

Kill Altar Society: Jan 2024 - Helen Clarke & Pauline Brady

Corick Altar Society: Jan 2024 - Maura Smith & Teresa Foster

Bunroe Rotas (Jan): **Altar Society:** Kathleen Daly **Readers:** Oliver McCaul, Sean Slowey **Cleaning:** Teresa Fitzpatrick, Nellie Fitzpatrick, Helen Watters **Eucharist:** Nellie Fitzpatrick, Philomena Cassidy **Door (21st & 28th):** Ultan Conaty, Brendan Brady **Servers (21st):** Oisín Greenan, Elisha Conaty, Lucas Reilly, Lexi Fay **Servers (28th):** Daire Slowey, Diarmaid Slowey, James Slowey, Tom Slowey

Important Local Information

Caretaker/Cleaner required for St Brigid's National School, Kill, 12 -15 hours per week, afternoon or evening. Please email/post your cv into the school, email is office@killns.ie by 19th January.

Whist: in Tullyvin Community Centre on Tuesday 30th January at 8.30pm

Bingo: every Monday night at 8pm in Bunnoe Community Centre

Indoor Bowls: every Monday night at 8pm in Tullyvin Community Centre

Drung GFC Blotto Results Monday 15th January 2024. Numbers drawn: 4. 5. 25. 28. No Jackpot Winner. €30 Winners: Barry Smith, Ballyholly, FOD; Eugene Fay, Tullybrick, FOD; Sean Reilly, Coolcanadas, FOD; Declan Keogh, Cootehill, FOD. Next week's jackpot €7,700.

Laragh Variety Show will take place from 3rd - 6th April 2024 in Stradone Community Centre at 9pm. New members welcome. We would love you to be involved. Please make contact with any cast member, through our Facebook/Instagram pages or by WhatsApp/text to 086-3085491

Fr Yusuf Bamai, PP

049-5553035 or 089 964 5065

Email: kill@kilmorediocese.ie or drung@kilmorediocese.ie

Office (Kill Church porch room): Tuesday and Thursday; 10.00am-12.30pm

Landline: 049 589 3239 Parish Website: kilsherdanyanddrungparish.com

Please send all items for the newsletter before 9pm on Wednesday to
kilsherdanyanddrungparish@gmail.com [webcam: www.churchtv.ie](http://webcam:www.churchtv.ie)

Other Priests of the Pastoral Area

Fr John Cooney, PP Cootehill: 049555-2120 & 086-875-5695

Fr Martin Gilcreest, PP, Laragh: 049-433-0142

Fr Michael Gilsean, CC, Maudabawn: 087-436-3555

Most Rev. Dr. Martin Hayes Diocesan Bishop, Kilmore

General News

Following on from the success of the **The Backpack for Adults** in previous years at Cavan Institute, the course will run again on Tuesday evenings from January 23rd for 8 weeks. The Backpack is a human and spiritual development programme containing topics such as Anxiety, Negative Looping Thoughts, Resilience Building, Self-Awareness, Boundary Setting and Healthy Relationship with Self, Others, and God. Apply online: cavaninstitute.ie/eveningcourses or call: 049 437 7940.

Suicide Focus Group - we received a late email regarding a research project that has been initiated by HSE Cavan Monaghan Mental Health Service in order to help us better understand the potential risk factors associated with suicide in County Cavan. The deadline is stated as Friday 19th Jan 2024, but you might still be considered if you make contact with Finbarr on finbarr@s3solutions.co.uk for further information.

Anam Cara Armagh, the organisation that supports bereaved parents, is holding a Parent Evening for bereaved parents on Wed 31st Jan at 7:15pm in the The Armagh City Hotel, Friary Rd, Armagh. This event is free and open to all bereaved parents regardless of the age your child died, the circumstances of their death, or whether their death was recent or not. We also offer an online support service. Contact us on info@anamcara.ie or 028 95213120 for any queries.

Adult Catechism Workshop in Knock on 10th Feb 2024 - if you have interest in this please contact Linda in the Parish Office for further details - 049 589 3239 (Tuesdays and Thursdays 10.00am-12.30pm)

Pilgrimage to Medjugorje: 4th - 11th September. Book before end of Jan to secure seat and reduction in price. Please contact Marian Foy on 087 6350506 for further details.

Are you caring for a loved one at home with additional needs? A spouse, partner, child, close relative or neighbour? Then you are a family carer! Become a member of Family Carers Ireland, the national charity supporting Ireland's 500,000+ family carers nationwide. Contact 057 93 70221 and hear how we can support you or for more info visit www.familycarers.ie.

Study Theology Online The Priory Institute provides online Theology courses to degree level. Attend Saturday lectures in Tallaght or from the comfort of your own home. Register before Feb 14. Find out more at prioryinstitute.com.

Here are some Support numbers you may find useful:

ALONE (Elderly): 0818222024 **AWARE** (Anxious/Depressed): 1800804848

TEARMANN (Dom Abuse): 0858102433 **PIETA** (Mental Health): 1800247247

SAMARITANS (To Talk): 116 123 **CHILDLINE** (Children): 1800 666 666

WOMEN'S AID (Dom Abuse): 1800341900 **MEN'S AID**: 015543811

NORTH WEST STOP (Free counselling): 086 777200