

# Parish of Kilsherdany & Drung

Second Sunday of Advent

8 December 2024



**Masses in DECEMBER**

**Sat.**

**Drung 7.30 pm**

**Sun.**

**Corick 10 am**

## **Masses This Week:**

### **Church of Immaculate Conception, Drung**

Sat 7<sup>th</sup> - 7.30 pm - Terence & Nora O'Hare

- Hugh, Dan, Pat, Michael & Teresa Hill, Drumherriff

- Paxie, Petee, Benny, Sean, and Besie Brady, Drumouna

- Pat Dowd, Lisgannon, Tullyco

- Peter and Mamie Donohue, Cornabaste

Wed 11<sup>th</sup> - 6-8 pm - Adoration - come and join us for an hour with the Lord

Thu 12<sup>th</sup> - 9.30 am

Sat 14<sup>th</sup> - 7.30 pm - Terence Fay, Tullybrick, Lisboduff

- Mary & John Smith, Corcavity; Bernard & Bridget Smith, and Susan and  
Noeline Mary, all of Corcavity

- Marie McCabe, Ardglushin, Lisboduff (1<sup>st</sup> Anniversary)

- Kathleen & Andrew Reilly, Kilmacnoran; and Margaret & Peter Reilly,  
Gortskeagh

### **St Mary's Church, Bunnoe**

Sat 7<sup>th</sup> - NO MASS

Mon 9<sup>th</sup> - 7.00 pm - **MASS OF THE IMMACULATE CONCEPTION**

Wed 11<sup>th</sup> - 9.30 am

Sat 14<sup>th</sup> - NO MASS

### **St Patrick's Church, Corick**

Sun 8<sup>th</sup> - 10.00 am - Michael & Kathleen Hand & their daughters Eileen and Monica; Michael &  
Mary O'Rourke; Joe & Molly McIntyre

- Joe & Molly McIntyre, Campstown & deceased family members

Fri 13<sup>th</sup> - 6.30 pm

Sun 15<sup>th</sup> - 10.00 am - Mary McKeon Brady, Fall O Water & deceased members of both families

### **St Brigid's Church, Kill**

Sun 8<sup>th</sup> - NO MASS

Tue 10<sup>th</sup> - 9.30 am - Eucharistic Adoration following Mass

Tue 10<sup>th</sup> - 6-7pm - Eucharistic Adoration - come spend time with Jesus

Sun 15<sup>th</sup> - NO MASS

**NOTICE: The Parish Office will be closed on Tuesday 10<sup>th</sup> December 2024.**

# Important Church Information

## Feast Days During Coming Week:

Monday 9:	The Immaculate Conception of the BVM
Tuesday 10:	Our Lady of Loreto
Wednesday 11:	St Damasus I
Thursday 12:	Our Lady of Guadalupe, St Finnian
Friday 13:	St Lucy
Saturday 14:	St John of the Cross



**Season of Advent:** begins on Sun 1<sup>st</sup> Dec & ends Tue 24<sup>th</sup> Dec.

Advent is the name of the season in which Christians prepare for the celebration that commemorates the birth of Jesus Christ, Christmas. The word Advent comes from the Latin phrase "Adventus Domini", meaning arrival of the Lord.

**Advent week 2 - Peace: Bethlehem Candle**

**First Friday Calls for January:** Friday 27<sup>th</sup> December -from 10.30 am

Fr. Yusuf is bringing Holy Communion to those at home, to all church areas. If you want anyone to be added to the First Friday Calls list, please contact the parish office.

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<b>Kill Altar Society</b>	<b><u>Dec</u></b>	Carmel Brady, Patricia Ward, Val O'Reilly
<b>Corick Altar Society</b>	<b><u>Dec</u></b>	Maura Smith & Teresa Foster
<b>Drung Rotas</b>	<b><u>Dec</u></b>	<u>Ministers of the Word:</u> Miriam McConnell <u>Ministers of the Eucharist:</u> Kitty Keogh, Ann Galligan
<b>Bunnoe Rotas</b>	<b><u>Dec</u></b>	NO MASSES <u>Altar Society (Flowers):</u> Susie McCaul <u>Cleaning:</u> Jane O'Reilly, Johanna Daly, Deborah Cusack

**St Vincent de Paul Collection** taking place on the 7<sup>th</sup> and 8<sup>th</sup> December at church gates

### Upcoming Christmas Masses:

**Christmas Eve** - 6pm Kill, 7.30pm Bunnoe, 9pm Drung; **Christmas Day** - 10am Corick

**Contrition, General Absolution/Confession**

4<sup>th</sup> Sunday of Advent at the end of Mass

**Christmas Penitential Service/Confessions**

22<sup>nd</sup> Dec. 2024 at 7.30pm:

St. Michael's Church, Cootehill

**There will be no regular weekday Masses during Christmas week.**

## Local Information

**Annual Ecumenical Carol Service** will take place in Bunnoe Community Centre on Wednesday 11th December at 7.30 pm.

**Bunnoe Youth Choir Carol Service** We are delighted to announce a date for our upcoming Christmas Carol Service. Keep Friday the 20<sup>th</sup> of December free for a magical start to Christmas festivities. Starting at 8pm in Bunnoe Church. Organised in aid of our local St. Vincent De Paul.

**Whist:** in Tullyvin Community Centre on Tuesday 17<sup>th</sup> December at 8.30pm

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

**Drung Bowling Club** in Drung Community Centre every Wednesday evening at 8.45 pm.

**Indoor Bowls** in Tullyvin Community Centre every Monday night at 8.00 pm. New members welcome, bowls can be supplied.

**Badminton Club** in the Presbyterian Hall, Cootehill at 8pm on Wednesdays. Beginners and returning players welcome.

**Drung GFC Blotto Results** Monday 2<sup>nd</sup> December 2024. Numbers drawn: 8. 18. 20. 28. No Jackpot Winner. €30 Winners: Kieran Fay, Drumcarn, FOD; Bríd Hughes, Corweelis, FOD; Mary Donohoe, Drung; Barry Watters, Cavan, FOD. Next week's jackpot €2,500.

Fr Yusuf Bamai, PP

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

**Landline:** 049 589 3239 **Parish Website:** [kilsherdanyanddrungparish.com](http://kilsherdanyanddrungparish.com)

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

**NOTE:** All **Christenings** in the Parish continue to be set for the last Saturday of the month at 12.30pm.

## General News

**Positive Age Christmas Trip to the West** - Dates: 8th, 9th, 10th and 11th of December 2024 (3 nights)

Included in the price:

- \* Return Coach to Spanish Point
- \* Bed, Breakfast and Evening Dinner in BellBridge House Hotel
- \* Including Christmas Dinner on One Evening
- \* Trips to Places of interest in the area.
- \* Christmas Shopping Trip to Ennis
- \* Music and Entertainment in Hotel each night by Dessie Ronan

Cost: Per Person Sharing €435, Single supplement is €35 per room per night. Places limited and will be on a First Come First Served basis. This trip can be secured by payment of non-refundable deposit of €235. Please call 049-4380725 for booking.

**Anam Cara Armagh Parent Support Evening** monthly bereaved Parent Support Evening on Wed 18th December at 7.30pm in 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 how recent their death was. You do not need to register in advance. We also offer an online support group meeting. To find out more call 01 4045378 or email [info@anamcara.ie](mailto:info@anamcara.ie)

**New AI-Anon Support Program** for people whose lives have been or are being affected by someone else's drinking: Thursdays 7.30pm at Beckscourt Community Center, Bailieborough, A82D928 ( past fire station on right ). Inquiries 0871321462.

**Online Advent Retreat.** *The Priory Institute is delighted to offer a FREE OF CHARGE online retreat "Keeping Vigil for the Vulnerable God." Visit our website at <https://prioryinstitute.com/events/2024-online-advent-retreat> to register/find out more.*

### 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

### **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