

Parish of Killeshandra, November 27th, 2016 – First Sunday of Advent

St. Brigid's Church, Killeshandra - Masses

Saturday 26 th November	John P. Donohoe, Aughavadrin	8.00pm.
Sunday 27 th November	Therese McGurran	11.00am.
Monday 28th November - No Mass		
Tuesday 29 th November	November Intentions	8.30am.
Wednesday 30 th November	Eugene and Nellie O'Reilly, Garage	8.30am.
Thursday 1 st December		8.30am.
Friday 2 nd December	Packie McClean, Coragh	7.30pm.
Friday 2 nd December	Portlongfield	8.15pm.
Saturday 3 rd December	Patrick and Mary Lynch, Drumgoohy	8.00pm.
Sunday 4 th December	Teresa, Michael, Tom and Sean O'Reilly, Portaliffe	11.00am.
Sunday 4 th December	Baptism	12.30pm.

Thought: *Let us see, O Lord, your mercy and give us your saving help. (Ps 84:8)*

Confessions for First Friday: after 8.30am Mass on Thursday 1st December

First Friday: Housebound will be visited on Friday 2nd December at usual time.

Adoration: Wed from 4.00pm -9.00pm. Rota in place. Spend a while with the Lord.

Ministers of Holy Communion:

Sat 3rd Dec: Karen Sweeney, Sadie McGlade. **Sun 4th Dec:** Breege O'Reilly, Anne Shanley.

Altar Servers:

Sat 3rd Dec: Team C: Amy Dinneny, Katelyn Dinneny, Aodhán Dinneny, Aimié O'Reilly and Luke Jannink.

Sun 4th Dec: Team D: Emma Kearns, Owen Nulty, Saoirse O'Reilly and Daniel Sweeney.

Sacristy Duty: (C) Clare O'Reilly, Fiona Jannink. **(D)** Nuala Sweeney, Ronan Kearns.

Readers:

Sat 3rd Dec: Joy O'Rourke. **Sun 4th Dec:** Marie O'Reilly.

Coppers for Flowers: All donations very welcome. We thank you for your generosity.

Offertory Collection: €1,020.

Remembering deceased members: The Pastoral Council are planning to have a listing in St Brigid's during December/Christmas period of community colleagues who have died over the past year. If you and your family have suffered such a loss this year and would like to be included, please leave a memoriam/remembrance card or a small photo with deceased details in an envelope at the entrance table marked remembrance. Also leave return details.

Killeshandra Gun Club Night: in Kelly's Bar on Saturday 3rd December. Spin the Wheel and lots of prizes on the night. Music by Christy and Mono.

Scoil Bhríde Cash for Clobber Clothes Collection: on Wednesday 30th November

We need men's, women's and children's clothing, paired shoes, handbags, belts, bed linen, (no duvets) curtains etc. Kindly return bags to the school at any time before the above collection date. Proceeds will go towards the upkeep of our vegetable and wildlife garden. Your support would be very much appreciated.

'Strange Occurrences in a Small Irish Village' DVD available now. A fascinating film about an extraordinary story. The acclaimed feature documentary from the team behind award-winning film 'One Million Dubliners', examines the phenomenon of Knock Shrine, from the testimonies of those that witnessed the Apparition in 1879, to those that play a central role in Knock Shrine and village today. The DVD is now on sale at Knock Shrine Bookshop, Knock Museum and online at www.knockshrine.ie. An ideal Christmas gift!

Church of the Sacred Heart, Arva – Masses

Saturday 26 th November	Kathleen Dennany, Farrangarriff	7.00pm.
Sunday 27 th November	Christy and Brennie Morris and deceased members of the Morris Family, Drumcarey	10.00am.
Monday 28 th November	(Eucharistic Adoration after Mass until 8.00pm.)	7.00pm.
Tuesday 29 th November		9.30am.
Wednesday 30th November – no Mass		
Thursday 1 st December		9.30am.
Friday 2 nd December		10.00am.
Saturday 3 rd December		7.00pm.
Sunday 4 th December		10.00am.

First Friday: Housebound will be visited in Coronea on Friday 2nd December from 10.30am and in Arvagh from 2:30 pm.

Confessions: after Mass or by request.

Safeguarding Meeting: for parents after 7pm Mass in The Sacred Heart Church on Saturday, December 3rd.

Ministers of Holy Communion:

Sat 3rd Dec: Caroline McCabe, Ann Farrelly. **Sun 4th Dec:** Dermot McGlade, Eileen Cully.

Altar Servers:

Sat 3rd Dec: Group C: James Miney, Lauren Miney and Enna Ward.

Sun 4th Dec: Group D: Sióg Reilly, Rhiannon Mulligan and Matthew Lee.

Offertory Collection: €660.

Church of the Immaculate Conception, Coronea – Masses

Sunday 27 th November	John and Josie Lane and John Walsh, Cordownan	9.00am.
Wednesday 30 th November		9.30am.
Friday 2 nd December		7.00pm.
Sunday 4 th December	Josie Doyle	9.00am.

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Confessions: after Mass or by request.

Minister of Holy Communion: Sun 4th Dec: Rosemary Barry.

Reader for Dec: Kieran O'Reilly. **Collectors for Dec:** Angela Geoghegan, Joe Donoghue.

Offertory Collection: €325.

Inter Carol Service: in Church of Ireland Arva on Thursday 8th December @ 7.30pm.
All members of the community are welcome to attend.

Arva Development Association Draw: Lines for their Christmas Draw are available in all businesses throughout the town. Giant Christmas Hamper and loads of fantastic prizes to be won. Thank you to all businesses who generously contributed prizes to the draw.

Fundraiser for new Christmas Lights in Arva: Race Night in Goalpost Bar on Saturday 3rd December at 9pm. The new lights will greatly enhance the Christmas spirit in the town. Your support would be greatly appreciated.

Parish Bookings- Weddings/Anniversary Masses etc - Contact details: **Killeshandra:** Brian Connolly @ 087 9080817. **Arva & Coronea:** Maureen O'Reilly @ 087 6940400.

Clergy Contact: Fr. D. Sheridan - 049 4334179/087-2254408. Fr. D. Hannon – 049 4335246/087-2830145. Fr. C. Hurley - 049 4334155/087-7979033.

News items for Parish Bulletin - Bridie @ 0861627366 or email parishnotices@gmail.com or Maureen @ 087 6940400. Email: oreillymaureen1@gmail.com before 6pm on Thurs evening.