

CLOUGHJORDAN PARISH NEWSLETTER – 21st April 2024

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Weekend Mass Times

Ardcroney – Vigil Mass Friday at 7.30pm

Kilruane – Vigil Mass Saturday at 6pm

Cloughjordan – Sunday at 11am

INTRODUCTION TO THE SCRIPTURE READINGS: **First Reading:** This is the only name by which we can be saved. **Second Reading:** We shall see God as he really is. **Gospel:** The good shepherd is one who lays down his life for his sheep.

MASS INTENTIONS:

Fri 19th Ardcroney:

Sean McLoughney

Sun 21st Cloughjordan:

Francis Costello (MM)
Paddy & Ellen Horrigan
Daisy Horrigan

Fri 26th Ardcroney:

Alice & Tom Hill
Baby Isobel Duff
Baby Tess Duff
Kathleen Cleary

Sun 28th Cloughjordan:

Marie Delaney
Peggy Rohan

RECENTLY DECEASED: **Ben Darcy**, Toomevara & formerly The Windmill, Cloughjordan.

We pray for all who have died and all whose anniversaries occur at this time

CLOUGHJORDAN WEEKDAY MASSES: Tuesday, Wednesday & Thursday at 9.30am

CLOUGHJORDAN LAY LITURGY: Monday & Friday 9.30am

Mon 22nd Presider: May Casey : Eucharistic Minister: Geraldine Williams

Fri 26th Presider: Gay Kieran : Eucharistic Minister: Margaret O'Neill

WEEKDAY READERS: Mon 22nd Marion Cahill, Tue 23rd Gay Kieran,
Wed 24th Oonagh Roantree, Thurs 25th May Casey, Fri 26th Una MacNamara.

EUCCHARISTIC MINISTERS:

Ardcroney Fri 26th

Kay Guest

Kilruane Sat 27th

Margaret O'Neill & Fiona Conroy

Cloughjordan Sun 28th

Josie Hayes & Angela O'Sullivan

READERS:

Ardcroney Fri 26th

Pauline Spain – Readers & Prayers

Kilruane Sat 27th

Anne Donaghy Reddan – R : Assumpta O'Kelly -- P

Cloughjordan Sun 28th

Gay Kieran -- Reader & Prayers

GREETERS & WELCOMERS – MAY:

Ardcroney: Martin Spain ... Kilruane: Peadar Walsh

Cloughjordan: Martin Kennedy & Jim O'Meara

MONEY MATTERS – last weekend:

Baskets collection: €542.70 Development Fund: €858.60

DONATION: Sincere thanks for a very generous donation of **€100.00** received towards the painting of Cloughjordan Church.

Many thanks for your continued support towards our Parish

PARISH ACCOUNTS FOR 2023: Are displayed on the notice board in each Church. Extra copies are available in each Sacristy and in the Parish Office.

SACRAMENTS 2024:

Confirmation Retreat – The boys and girls who will be celebrating the Sacrament of Confirmation on **Thursday 16th May at 11am** will prepare with Mass at 9.30am on Monday 29th April. A time of reflection on the Sacrament, given by Liz Callery will follow until 2pm.

FIRST HOLY COMMUNION: Ardcroney: Saturday 11th May at 11am

Cloughjordan: Saturday 18th May at 11am...Kilruane: Saturday 25th May at 11am.

CAFÉ CHURCH: Join us for coffee/tea, refreshments, music, interview, and chat in Cloughjordan Methodist Church Hall on Thursday 25th April 7.30 – 9pm. Included will be an interview with **Peadar Kirby – What Climate change is doing for us?** All welcome.

CLOUGHJORDAN COMMUNITY GAMES - Athletics and field events will take place in Kilruane McDonagh GAA on Sunday May 12th. Registration is at 3pm. The cost of entering is 3 Euros per child. Events include sprints, middle distance races, ball throw, long puck and shot putt. There will be fun races for U6s, Mums and Dads.

MARY'S MEALS: Seamus Bourke, Treasurer North Tipperary Mary's Meals will speak at our Masses on the weekend of 3rd, 4th and 5th May. Mary's Meals mission is that every child in the world might receive a daily meal in their place of education. In their first year of existence, they raised slightly over €50,000 which fed approximately 2,270 children.

MacDonaghs Lotto 15/04/2024. Numbers drawn: 18-19-21-26. No Jackpot Winner. 8x€25: Laura Cleary, Corner House; Ann O'Meara, Carriganagh; Mgt McLoughlin, Nenagh; Ailís Bergin, c/o Mgt Prout; Joan Ryan, c/o Michael Hogan; Maureen Gleeson, c/o Maureen Gaynor; Mary Hackett, c/o Philip Quinlan; Níosa Minogue, c/o Susan O'Brien. Jackpot next week €3,100. Thanks for your continued support.

HANDBALL: Congratulations to Jerome Cahill, Ardcroney on winning the All-Ireland Junior Men's title in Croke Park.

Prayer for vocations

***Lord, the ministry of Priests confirms your unfailing care for your people.
Call from among us the Priests and religious needed for your church
of today and tomorrow.***

***Bless all those who are discerning a vocation to priestly or religious life
and bless all those who minister in your church in any way.***

Parish Office opening hours: Monday, Wednesday & Thursday 10am to 3pm

