

St Brigid's Church Killeshandra
Church of the Immaculate Conception Coronea & Sacred Heart Church Arva
Church Newsletter Sunday 31st May 2026
THE MOST HOLY TRINITY

Thought for the day: What is it to live a Trinitarian Life? Whenever we feel hatred or think dark thoughts about anyone or anything, the invitation of Love is to counter it with an action of Love and Compassion towards that which we sense ourselves 'hating.' Do we believe in the power of Love Present in everything? Are we open to practice it however impossible it seems? Negative energy can be replaced by Life Giving Energy, but it is a practice we must consciously enter into and sometimes it takes great patience and trust over a long period. The simple truth is if we persistently hate we beget hate. If we persistently endeavour to Love, we beget Love.

Relics of St. Oliver Plunkett will visit the Conaty Chapel of the Kilmore Diocesan Pastoral Centre in Cavan on Wednesday 3 June from 10am to 10pm Masses will be offered at 1:15pm (for those doing examinations at this time), 5:45pm and 8pm (celebrated by Bishop Martin Hayes). There will be Confessions from 12 noon to 1pm, 4:30pm to 5:30pm and 6:30pm to 7:30p. The visit of the relics is being organised by the Kilmore Diocesan Pastoral Centre with the assistance of the local Knights of Saint Columbanus. All welcome.

Mary's Meals will hold their Annual Church Gate Collections across the Diocese **this weekend, May 30th and 31st**. Your support can make a real difference. They feed more than **3 million children** every school day across 16 of the world's poorest countries. Just €22 feeds a child in their place of education for a full school year. At least **93%** of donations go directly to their charitable work. Please support if you can. For more information, visit www.marysmeals.ie or call Patricia on 086 3140814.

St. Brigid's Church Killeshandra **Eircode: H12 DD79**

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Sunday 31st May **11.15am.** **Anniv.** Michael O'Reilly, Killytawney.
2nd Anniv. Bernadette (Bea) Brady, Church Street, **Anniv:** Tommy Brady, London and Church Street and **Anniv.** Patrick Brady, Church Street.

Monday 1st June **No Mass**

Wednesday 3rd June **5.30 – 8.30pm.** Eucharistic Adoration

Friday 5th June **7pm.** **Anniv.** John P, Roseanna and Gerard Fitzpatrick.

Sunday 7th June **11.15am.** **Anniv.** Cathal O'Rourke, Portlongfield and deceased members of the O'Rourke and Brady families.

Anniv. Sheila Gray, Imelda Grey, Terry Gray and Nancy O'Reilly.

Anniv. John Joe and Maura Braiden, Snakiel and deceased family members.

Anniv. Packie and Mogue O'Reilly, Patricia Dene, Drumambry and deceased family members

Readers: Sunday 31st May/7th June: Siobhán O'Flaherty.

Offertory Collection: Sunday 24th May: €1,095. **Diocesan Trust Collection final:** €309. **Trocaire Collection:** €3,640.

Adorers Contribution: €226.

Killeshandra Camino - We Need Your Help – Just a Few Hours on 20th June. If you're not walking the Camino, we would really appreciate any time you can spare to help with stewarding along the route or with hospitality in the hall. We're especially in need of support in the afternoon through to the end of the day. Thank you in advance! Contact details: Michael O'Reilly, Stewarding Co-ordinator. Mobile: 087 7883861. Email: m_or58@yahoo.co

Sacred Heart Church Arva **Eircode: H12 RY96**

Sunday 31st May **9.45am.** **Anniv.** Noel Ellis, Farrangarrif, **Anniv.** Jimmy and Ann Lynch, Cornafean and **Anniv.** Noel and Mary Ellis, Cormore.

Anniv. Kathleen Ellis, Woodlands, Arva.

Month's Memory. Ann Doyle (née Crowe), Hollybank, Arva.

Friday 5th June **10am.** Eucharistic Adoration after Mass

Sunday 7th June **9.45am.** **7th Anniv.** Pascal Harrington, Drumhaldry.

Please remember in your prayers the following: Joseph (Joe) Mulligan, Killester, Dublin and late of Farrangarve, Arva whose funeral took place on Thursday last, 28th May at the Church of St Brigid's, Killester. Vincent O'Reilly, Cormore, Arva, formerly New York and Drumambry, Killeshandra whose funeral took place on Friday last, 29th May in the Church of the Sacred Heart, Arva. May they Rest in Peace.

Ice Cream Day: St. Mary's N.S. Arva are holding an Ice Cream Day in aid of Down Syndrome Cavan on **Friday 5th June** in the carpark of the school from **1pm - 3pm**. Please come along and get yourself a lovely ice cream and show your support for this fundraiser.

Readers: Sunday 31st May: Olivia Brady. **Sunday 7th June:** Edel Brady. **Eucharistic Ministers.** **Sunday 31st May:** Áine Bannon, John Ryan and Olivia Brady. **Sunday 7th June:** Anne Kiernan, Teresa Lynch and Eileen McGlade.

Collection Counters – Month of June – Claire Miney, Anne Kiernan and Kathleen Donnelly.

Offertory Collections: Sunday 24th May: €624.64. **Diocesan Purposes Collection final:** €175.

Children's Rosary Sacred Heart Church: Wednesdays - 6.30pm. We welcome all children and adults to join us in this beautiful prayer.

Church of the Immaculate Conception Coronea **Eircode: H12 HN53**

Saturday 30th May **7.30pm** **People of the Parish.**

Tuesday 2nd June **10am.**

Saturday 6th June **7.30pm.** **Anniv.** Bernard, Susan and Seamus Brady, Drumkeeran, Cornafean.

Anniv. Aidan and Seán O'Reilly, Drumcoghill.

Offertory Collections: Saturday 23rd May: €321.10. **Diocesan Purposes Collection final:** €156.

Priests: Fr. Andrew Tully P.P. Killeshandra. 049-4334017/086-8050526. Email: killeshandra@kilmorediocese.ie

Fr Tom McManus, Parochial House, Arva - 049 4335096.

Parish Office Opening Hours -Monday, Tuesday, Wednesday and Friday 10am to 1pm. Contact Bridie: 049 4334017.

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