

St Brigid's Church Killeshandra
Church of the Immaculate Conception Coronea & Sacred Heart Church Arva
Church Newsletter Sunday 7th June 2026. The Most Holy Body and Blood of Christ

Bishop Martin Hayes' Visit to Killeshandra Parish -Thursday 11th of June 2026

10:00a.m. Mass in Sacred Heart Church, Arva, followed at 10:30a.m. with Refreshments in Saint Patrick's Hall - An opportunity to meet with the morning Mass congregation and parishioners. **11:00a.m. Meeting in Saint Patrick's Hall:** Bishop Martin will meet with The Leaders of the Sacred Heart Church Eucharistic Adoration Group and The Children's Rosary Group.
11:30a.m. Visit to Saint Mary's National School, Arva. 1:00p.m. Visit to Scoil Bhríde, Killeshandra.
4:00p.m. Prayer Service at the site of Coronea Old Church and Cemetery. 5:15p.m. Meetings with the following groups to take place in Saint Brigid's Church Killeshandra: Eucharistic Adoration Group and Killeshandra Rosary Group. Arva and Killeshandra Saint Vincent de Paul Conferences. The Chairpersons of the Four School Boards. **7:00p.m. Mass in Saint Brigid's Church, Killeshandra:** with all Parishioners from across the three Church Areas of the Parish with Saint Brigid's Church Choir providing the Music and Hymns for the Mass. **8:00p.m. Refreshments and Social Gathering in Killeshandra Community Hall:** Food provided by the Local Guild of the I.C.A. and Parishioners. **9:00p.m. Separate Meetings with the following groups:** (These meetings will be held in one of the side rooms of the Killeshandra Community Hall): The Parish Pastoral Council. The Parish Safeguarding Representatives. The Parish Finance Committee. The Church of the Sacred Heart, Arva Renovation Committee.

Kilmore Diocesan P.T.A.A. Mini-Night Vigil to mark the Feast of the Sacred Heart. Takes place on Friday 12th June at St. Brigid's Church, Killeshandra. Beginning at: 8pm with an outdoor Procession including a walk around the grounds of the Church with prayers and reflections from 20 Saints who had particular devotion to the Sacred Heart. Followed by: Stations of the Cross in the Church and some time of Guided Prayers, Meditation and Eucharistic Adoration before Mass. Concluding the Vigil with Mass at 10pm. Tea and refreshments served after Mass. Both Pioneers and Non-Pioneers are welcome from throughout Kilmore Diocese and beyond.

The Knights of St Columbanus Charities -Annual Church Gate Collection at all Masses in the three Church areas of Killeshandra Parish this weekend, Saturday, 6th and Sunday, 7th June. Please support.

St. Brigid's Church Killeshandra Eircode: H12 DD79

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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. For those doing exams.
Monday 8th June	7pm.	Eucharistic Adoration
Wednesday 10th June	5.30 – 8.30pm.	Bishop Martin Hayes will Celebrate Mass for his Parish Visit
Thursday 11th June	7pm.	Anniv. John Harten, Marahill, his parents Tom and Roseanne and his sister Josephine.
Friday 12th June	7pm.	Mass and Burial of Ashes of Owen Dinneney, Portlongfield (1 st Anniversary).
Saturday 13th June	2pm.	Anniv. Pat Donohoe, Tunaloy.
Sunday 14th June	11.15am.	Anniv. Terry, Sheila, Niall and Jim Brady, Gurteen and deceased family members. Anniv. John, Eileen, Pat and Richard Brady. 7th Anniv. Margaret Maguire – Gaffney, Drumlara and Churchtown, Dublin.

Readers: Sunday 7th June: Siobhán O'Flaherty. **Sunday 14th June:** Karen Sweeney. **Offertory Collection: Sunday 31st May:** €880.

Please remember in your prayers: Seamus McPhilips, Ardlougher, Ballinagh (brother of Marie O'Reilly, Keelagh) whose funeral took place on Saturday last in St. Matthew's Church, Drumavaddy. May he Rest in Peace.

MEETING: A brief meeting to organise the refreshments in the Community Hall for Bishop Martin Hayes' visit on Thursday next will take place after Mass on **Monday evening 8th June in St Brigid's Church.** Your help on the evening would be greatly appreciated.

Sacred Heart Church Arva Eircode: H12 RY96

Sunday 7th June	9.45am.	Anniv. Kathleen Ellis, Woodlands, Arva. 7th Anniv. Pascal Harrington, Drumhaldry.
Thursday 11th June	10am.	Bishop Martin Hayes will Celebrate Mass for his Parish Visit
Friday 12th June	10am.	For those doing exams. Eucharistic Adoration after Mass.
Sunday 14th June	9.45am.	Anniv. Ellie and John O'Reilly, Enaghan. Anniv. Benny and Teresa Fitzpatrick Main Street, Arva. 25th Anniv. Kathleen O'Reilly, Cormore, Arva.

Readers: Sunday 7th June: Edel Brady. **Sunday 14th June:** Cormac O'Donnell. **Eucharistic Ministers. Sunday 7th June:** Anne Kiernan, Teresa Lynch and Eileen McGlade. **Sunday 14th June:** Lilian Brady, Carmel Dobson and Cormac O'Donnell.

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

Offertory Collections: Sunday 31st May: €908.55. **Diocesan Purposes Collection final:** €205.

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 6th June	7.30pm.	Anniv. Bernard, Susan and Seamus Brady, Drumkeeran, Cornafean. Anniv. Aidan and Seán O'Reilly, Drumcoghill. Anniv. Alice Nahas (nee Lord).
Tuesday 9th June	10am.	For those doing exams.
Thursday 11th June	4pm.	Bishop Martin Hayes - Prayer Service at the site of Coronea Old Church and Cemetery.
Saturday 13th June	7.30pm	People of the Parish. Offertory Collections: will be included in next week's Newsletter.

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