



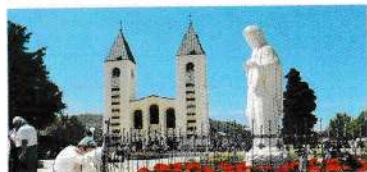
St. Paul's, Cabra P7 children will be celebrating their **Service of Light on Sunday 8th March @ 9am Mass in Cabra Chapel**, followed by Friends of St. Paul's Association fundraising **Coffee Morning** from 9.30am to 11am in Cabra Community Centre.
Any buns and tray bake donations appreciated! *Everyone welcome!*



2020 PILGRIMAGE TO MEDJUGORJE

16th May to 23rd May and
12th August to 19th August
Gift Vouchers available

Contact Jerome Lynch on 07739092399



Ceili



Charity SETS CEILI

Joe's Ceili in memory of Eileen Parr
INF Hall, Hilltown Sunday 15th March 2020

4.00pm – 7.00pm

Music: Ceili Time Admission: £8/€10

Ceili in aid of Multiple Charities

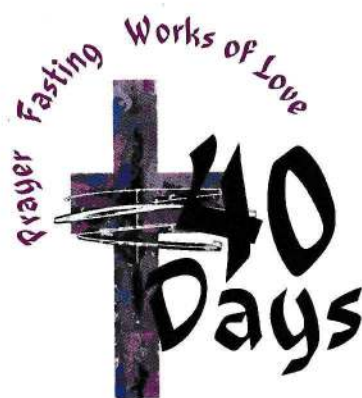


Trad Sessun & Sing Song in INF LOUNGE Hilltown
on Saturday 29th February



Mourne mela-celebrating world music, dance, art, crafts and food. Organised in partnership with Women of Clonduff group. Saturday 7th March 12pm to 4pm in INF Hall. Free event for all the family.

DROMORE DIOCESAN HISTORICAL SOCIETY Wednesday 11th March 2020: at 7:15pm for 7:30pm. The Society's Annual Dinner & Irish Night in the Lough and Quay Restaurant 3 Marine Parade, Warrenpoint, Newry BT34 3NB. A four-course meal, costing £20 per person followed by entertainment appropriate to the lead up to St Patrick's Day. To help us confirm numbers attending, please book with **Martin Goss, Newry 30262849 (answer phone)**, **Michael Keenan, Burren 41772543** or **Jim Conway, Lurgan 07808052246 (after 6:00pm)**.
If desired, membership subscriptions may be paid at this event.



MASS TIMES FOR LENT IN CLONDUFF

Monday 8.45am Ballymaghera
Tuesday 7.00am Ballymaghera
Wednesday 8.45am Ballygorian
Thursday 9.15am Ballymaghera
to facilitate pupils from St Patrick's PS
Friday 8.45am Ballymaghera. 7.30pm Cabra

MASS TIMES FOR LENT IN RATHFRILAND

Monday 7.00pm
Tuesday 9.30am
Wednesday 9.30am
Thursday 9.30am Prayer Service
Friday 9.30am

Fr C Byrne Tel (028) 40630206 or in emergency 07764941606



PARISH OF CLONDUFF 1st MARCH 2020

FIRST SUNDAY OF LENT

(Sunday Readings Cycle A – Weekday Readings Cycle 2)

ANNIVERSARIES: BALLYMAGHERY, BALLYGORIAN & CABRA

Sat 29th Feb 6.00pm BALLYMAGHERY:	MM John Rooney, Rostrevor Road; Patrick & Annie Murray, Ballymaghera; Brendan & Kathleen Murray, Ballymaghera; Paddy & Susan Lively & Deceased members of the Lively Family, Leitrim Road & Patricia Coughlin, Warrenpoint; Bridget O'Hagan, Shannon Park; Emily, James & Thomas Brown, Ballygorian
Sun 1st Mar 9.00am CABRA:	Rory Woods & Deceased members of the Woods & Kane Families; Stephen & James Doherty, Islandmoyle
Sun 1st Mar 12.00pm BALLYGORIAN:	
Fri 6th Mar 7.30pm CABRA:	Patrick, Thomas & Margaret Fitzpatrick, Islandmoyle; Elizabeth Fitzpatrick, Burrenreagh
Sat 7th Mar 6.00pm BALLYMAGHERY:	Anne Hannaway, Carquillan; Kathleen McConville & Deceased Family, Castlewellan Road; Emmanuel Longmore, Slievenagarragh; Mary, Felix & Martin McGaw, Kilkeel Road & Dolores Tinnelly, Rostrevor; Owen & Margaret Keenan, Tommy, Kathleen & Catherine Hillen, O'Hagan's Terrace; Anne Keenan, St Patrick's Park
Sun 8th Mar 9.00am CABRA:	
Sun 8th Mar 12.00pm BALLYGORIAN:	MM Johnny McAleavey, Leode

Diocesan Pilgrimage to Lourdes for this year, the dates are 12th – 17th May 2020

RECENTLY DECEASED – We pray for the happy repose of the soul of
Kathleen O'Hagan, Kilkeel Road who was interred recently. May she rest in peace

CHAPEL CLEANERS FOR BALLYMAGHERY in March are

Katriona O'Hagan; Fionnula Magee; Tish O'Hagan; Mary McGreevy;
Agnes Morris; Christina O'Hare; Jackie Fitzpatrick; Caoimhe Fitzpatrick

CABRA ALTAR SOCIETY for March

Marie Kearney; Ann McPolin; Lorraine Bloomfield



READERS FOR MARCH

BALLYMAGHERY 6.00pm	BALLYGORIAN 12.00pm	Sun 8th Mar:
Gabrielle Murray & Teresa Carr	Oonagh McAleavey & Joleen Morgan	Helen McAleavey

Collection: £1,362.00 Thanks for your continuing support.

Adoration Times: Ballygorian – Wed 9am – 12pm.

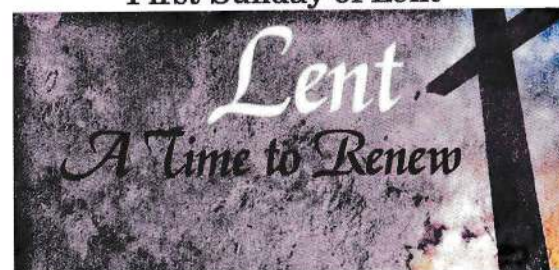
Ballygorian - Wed 6:30 to 7:30pm. Cabra: Fri 6.30pm – 7.30pm

Email: info@clonduffparish.com

Clonduff Parish Newsletter

Sunday 1st March 2020

First Sunday of Lent



Jesus prepares for his ministry of love for 40 days.

Matt. 4:1-11.

As Lent begins we are reminded of Adam's fall from grace and the reality of sin in human life, we are also reminded that Christ is the new Adam overcoming temptation in himself and so making possible a new life, a new humanity for those who belong to him.



Trocaire boxes are available in each Church porch.
Please take one with you – and one for your neighbour too!

The Gospel tells us if we wish to renew our lives the remedy is in prayer, fasting and almsgiving. These three strands of the Lenten observance are as ancient as Christianity itself. There is no substitute for them.



PLEASE NOTE If someone is sick or elderly at home and not able to come to Mass and has not been visited please contact me on (028) 40630206 or 07764941606. Also, if there is someone in hospital please let me know. **Fr. C. Byrne**

EUCCHARISTIC MINISTERS

BALLYMAGHERY	BALLYGORIAN	CABRA
Sat 7th Mar 6.00pm: Mary Murray; Marie Murray; Desmond Connolly; Mary O'Hare	Sun 8th Mar 12.00pm: Sarah Farnon; Eileen McCusker	Sun 8th Mar 9.00am: Anne McPolin Roisin & Sean McAlinden;

ALTAR SERVERS

BALLYMAGHERY	BALLYGORIAN	CABRA:
Sat 7th Mar 6.00pm: Grace & Zara Kelly; Ellie May McComiskey	Sun 8th Mar 12.00pm: Sinead McPolin; Ciara McPolin	Sun 8th Mar 9.00am: Emma McPolin; Mary Kate McPolin; Darragh O'Hare; Daniel Gribben

Registered with the Charity Commission for Northern Ireland NIC105046

Diocese of Dromore Safeguarding of Children, young people and vulnerable adults: Dromore Designated Person Patricia Carville 07789917741. A copy of the Dromore Diocese "Safeguarding Policy and Procedures" is available for reference in the Parish Rooms.

ST JOSEPH'S YOUNG PRIESTS SOCIETY Newry Pastoral Area (Newry and Saval Parishes)

The Newry Pastoral Area will host a Vocations event with the celebration of Mass in the Newry Parish Conference and Banqueting Centre at 3.00pm on Sunday 15th March 2020. Please come, pray for vocations to the priesthood and religious life and become involved.

SACRED HEART GRAMMAR SCHOOL PRESENTS A Musical Evening in St Clare's Hall on Tuesday 31st March 2020 at 7.30pm. Proceeds in aid of Sisters of St Clare in Central America

Atonement Prayer

Lord, forgive us our many sins.

We grieve and repent with all our hearts for having offended you, for our great failings and neglect of the young and vulnerable.

We place all of those who have been hurt by the Church in any way into your loving hands and under the protection of Our Blessed Mother.

Lord, bring peace to their broken lives and show us all the way out of darkness and into the light of your Word.

May we as the people of God be more fully human, more fully Christ-like and more fully your people, that we may see the errors of the past and go forward with renewed hope and faith in Christ and in our Church. Amen.

New BAPTISM Arrangements

First Sunday Ballymaghera 1.00pm & Third Sunday Cabra 1.00pm

Contact the Baptism Team Coordinator on 07803272403

Website: www.clonduffparish.com