



Chapel cleaners for Ballymagherly in January are Geraldine Grant, Marina Murray, Marian Brannigan and Susan McAleenan

Set dancing classes in Hilltown. Everyone welcome - beginners, learners and the more experienced. INF Hall, running weekly on Thursdays from 7.30pm to 9pm. Cost £5

SOLITUDE SATURDAY 27th January. An opportunity to take some time for yourself, in the beautiful surroundings of Glenvale to refresh mind and body. The day begins at 10.00am with Mass and ends at 3.30pm. Refreshments and a light lunch included. Suggested donation £20. Places limited so early booking essential. **Contact 02830832828**

Easter Pilgrimage to Medjugorje for 7 nights from Saturday the 30th of March to Saturday the 6th of April, Pilgrimage includes Flights to and from Dublin to Split Bus transfers. Half board accommodation. Local guide for the week. Travel insurance. Extra excursions of surrounding areas such as the Kravica Waterfalls and Mostar with its world famous bridge, these are optional and will incur a small fee. Gift vouchers available. Priced at £695 pps. Contact Jerome Lynch on 07739092399

DROMORE DIOCESAN HISTORICAL SOCIETY

Monday 22nd January 2024: @7:30pm The Society will host an online lecture by **Geoff Cobb** entitled **"From Poverty to Power: the Irish in New York"**. We are delighted to welcome back our New York contributor, Geoff Cobb. Geoff, the author of four books on Brooklyn history, and a 2021 publication entitled, **"The Irish in New York: Profiles of New Yorkers who have Shaped the Empire State"**, is vice president for local history for the New York Irish History Round Table and a regular contributor to Irish America magazine. **The ZOOM room will open at 7:20pm. The talk will start at 7:30pm sharp.** A link to the talk can be obtained by e-mailing the Hon Secretary goss.jim@gmail.com and will be forwarded on Monday January 22nd.

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The Journal has a wide range of articles on topics of local relevance and would make an ideal present for the interested reader. Articles include 50 years of Moyraverty Parish; the History of Glenvale Convent; the Dougher Graveyard, Lurgan; Old Killeavy; Tony O'Carroll, a Newry Airman; Catholicism, Nationalism and WW1 in Lurgan, and St Colman's College in the 1901 & 1911 Census. **Priced £15 (or £25 for 2 copies)**, the Journal will be available from Veritas and the Parish Office.

ALPHA for young people – starts **MONDAY 15th JAN** - we welcome 16 to 19 years old to join us on a Monday evening in the **Parish Centre, Rostrevor (beside the Parish office)**. **Youth ALPHA** creates a space for young people to have share food, to meet new people and share conversations about life, faith, and purpose – for many this is a life changing experience. **Pilgrimage to Lourdes for young people** – 18 – 25 year olds – 6th to the 11th August 2024 – Tuesday to Sunday – If interested and want to know more please forward your name and mobile number by email to youthdirector@dromorediocese.org – information will be forwarded to all – **this will be a great opportunity to experience Lourdes and grow in faith through a shared experience with like minded people.**

BINGO EVERY MONDAY NIGHT AT 9.00PM IN INF HALL

Fr C Byrne Tel (028) 40630306 or 07764941606 or email clonduffparish@dromorediocese.org or cbyrne26@icloud.com

ANNIVERSARIES: BALLYMAGHERLY, BALLYGORIAN & CABRA

Sat 13 th Jan 6.00pm BALLYMAGHERLY:	Sarah Parr, Ardmore Park Peter McAleavey, St Patrick's Park
Sun 14 th Jan 9.00am CABRA:	MM Margaret Harper
Sun 14 th Jan 11.30am BALLYMAGHERLY:	Ciaran McAleenan, Yellow Road
Mon 15 th Jan 7.00pm	St Mary's, Rathfriland:
Mon 15 th Jan 9.00am BALLYMAGHERLY:	
Tues 16 th Jan 9.00am BALLYMAGHERLY:	
Wed 17 th Jan 9.00am BALLYGORIAN:	
Thur 18 th Jan 9.00am BALLYMAGHERLY:	Prayer Service
Fri 19 th Jan 9.30am	St Mary's Rathfriland:
Fri 19 th Jan 7.30pm CABRA:	
Sat 20 th Jan 6.00pm BALLYMAGHERLY:	Paddy Wilson, Ballygorean Bridie McGinn, Leitrim Road John, Annie, John, Emmett & Charlie Morgan, Ballydoo PJ McAlinden, Spelga Park James & Mary McGaw, Goward Colette, Annie & Jack O'Hagan, Rostrevor Road Patsy Reilly Frank & Emma Devlin, Leitrim Road James Brown, Newry Road Patrick & Catherine Morgan Rosaleen & Norman Taylor, Ballygorean Susan Brown, Oakridge Bernard, Susan & Josephine McShane, Rathfriland Road Elizabeth & Rose O'Hanlon & Deceased Family, Fegans Gardens
Sun 21 st Jan 9.00am CABRA:	Kevin Campbell, Islandmoyle Martin & Edward Grant, Drumboiff
Sun 21 st Jan 11.30am BALLYMAGHERLY:	Darby Family, Kilkeel Road Sean Cairns, Spelga Park

RECENTLY BAPTISED – We welcome into our faith community Eoin Michael Murray son of Ryan and Michelle

Adoration in Ballygorean has resumed and now changed to Thursdays 7.30pm – 8.30pm



Adoration will take place every Tuesday evening at 8.00pm with the Rosary being recited in Ballymagherly. All are welcome.

Webcam Details:- Website: www.clonduffparish.com alternatively www.churchmedia.tv

Clonduff Parish Newsletter

Sunday 14th January 2024
Second Sunday in Ordinary Time



They saw where he lived and stayed with him.

John 1: 35-42

Dromore Diocesan Pilgrimage to Lourdes 17th – 22nd May 2024

The Parish Committee would like parishioners who are interested in travelling as an Assisted Pilgrim to submit their names to any member of the Committee as soon as possible.



PARISH OF CLONDUFF SUNDAY 14TH JANUARY 2024

SECOND SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME

(Sunday Readings Cycle B – Weekday Readings Cycle 2)

You can now book your Anniversaries, Baptisms, Weddings or any other enquires by contacting the Parish Office Monday & Friday 9am – 3pm (028) 30850270 or leaving a message on answering machine or Email: clonduffparish@dromorediocese.org

Baptism Arrangements

First Sunday of the Month	Ballymagherly	12.30pm
Third Sunday of the Month	Cabra	12.30pm

Thanks for your generous support £1,362.34

Thanks to you all for your generosity to the Parish and myself over the Christmas period. I have always tried to do my best for everyone. There are times when I may get things wrong. If anyone has an issue, I would like to think that they could come to me in person.

Fr Charles Byrne

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.

Eucharistic Ministers Ballymagherly

Sat 13 th Jan 6pm: Joseph Farrell	Sat 20 th Jan 6pm: Roisin McNeill
Sun 14 th Jan 11.30am: M R Murray	Sun 21 st Jan 11.30am: Gérard O'Hare
Readers	
Sat 13 th Jan 6pm: Marie Cowan	Sat 20 th Jan 6pm: Lorcan Kelly
Sun 14 th Jan 11.30am: Maria Wilson	Sun 21 st Jan 11.30am: Teresa Carr

St Colman's College Open Day Saturday 20th June !0.00am - 1.00pm
Principal's Address 11.00am & 12 Noon.

CABRA READERS	EUCCHARISTIC MINISTERS
Sun 14 th Jan 9.00am: Eimear Gribben	Sun 14 th Dec 9.00am: Jerome Lynch
Sun 21 st Jan 9.00am: Lisa Gribben	Sun 21 st Jan 9.00am: Anne McPolin