

TRAD SESSUM IN INF HALL ON SATURDAY 29th FEBRUARY



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



CLANRYE GROUP HEALTHY LIVING CENTRE – DisABILITY FITNESS Sessions covering light exercise and chair aerobics in a safe environment. All welcome **Beginning: Friday 21st February 12pm to 1pm in Warrenpoint Parish Centre. Cost £2 per person per week**
Clanrye Group is 1 of 27 Healthy living centres who work collaboratively in order to address and tackle health inequalities within local communities in Northern Ireland.
Contact Leah for more information: 028 30898119

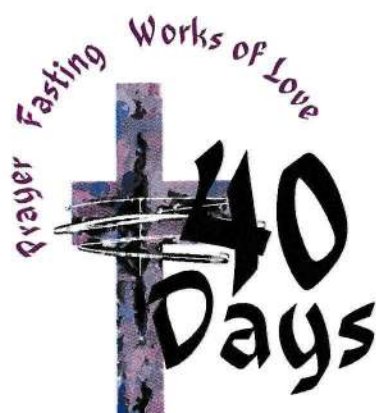
Coffee Morning

Everyone Welcome



PANCAKE TUESDAY COFFEE MORNING

Pauline and Harry are hosting a Coffee Morning in the Downshire Arms Hotel on Pancake Tuesday 25th February in aid of St Vincent de Paul from 10.00am until 12 noon.
Live Music by Billy Finnegan and Pancake making fun for the kids



MASS TIMES FOR LENT In Rathfriland

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

MASS TIMES 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
Ash Wednesday 10.30am Ballymaghera and 8.00pm Cabra



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

PARISH OF CLONDUFF 23rd FEBRUARY 2020 SEVENTH SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME (Sunday Readings Cycle A – Weekday Readings Cycle 2)

ANNIVERSARIES: BALLYMAGHERY, BALLYGORIAN & CABRA	
Sat 22 nd Feb 6.00pm BALLYMAGHERY:	MM Micheal McPolin, Bryansford Road; Peter Gilmore, Bann View; James, Roseann & Matthew Brannigan, St Patrick's Park; Deceased members of the Downey Family, Reed Hall; Rose Grant, New Line; Mary Rose McConville, Mullaghmore; James McConville, St John's Terrace
Sun 23 rd Feb 9.00am CABRA:	MM Michael Downey, Dromboniff; Thomas, Annie & Patrick Murphy, Bryansford Road; Mary Cull, Ballykeel
Sun 23 rd Feb 12.00pm BALLYGORIAN:	Ambrose & Kathleen Walls & Tommy Kennedy, Sandbank Road; Cissie Morgan, Main Street
Wed 26 th Feb	ASH WEDNESDAY: Ballymaghera 10.30am. Cabra 8.00pm. Rathfriland 9.30am & 7.00pm
Fri 28 th Feb 7.30pm	CABRA:
Sat 29 th 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
Sun 1 st Mar 9.00am CABRA:	Rory Woods & Deceased members of the Woods & Kane Families
Sun 1 st Mar 12.00pm BALLYGORIAN:	

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

NORMAL WEEKDAY MASS TIMES

BALLYMAGHERY: Mon & Fri 8.45am. BALLYGORIAN: Wed 8.45am. CABRA: First Friday 7.30pm

READERS FOR FEBRUARY

BALLYMAGHERY 6.00pm	BALLYGORIAN 12.00pm	Sun 1 st Mar:
Maria Wilson & Ursula Kearney	Mary C Murray & Eileen McCusker	Eoghan McAlinden



Please Note: A meeting of all Eucharistic Ministers will take place on Monday 24th February at 7.30pm in the Parish Meeting Rooms. It is essential that all current Eucharistic Ministers attend and also those past Eucharistic Ministers who bring Holy Communion to the housebound.

Collection: £1,093.00 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 23rd February 2020
Seventh Sunday in Ordinary Time



To restore peace through forgiveness is a mark of a Christian.
Matt. 5:38-48.

LENT IS A TIME TO PAUSE

Pause a little; leave behind the unrest and commotion that fill the soul with bitter feelings which never get us anywhere. Pause from this compulsion to a fast-paced life that scatters, divides and ultimately destroys time with family, with friends, with children, with grandparents and as a gift... time with God.

Pause for a while, refrain from the need to show off and be seen by all, to continually appear on the 'noticeboard' that makes us forget that value of intimacy and recollection.

Pause for a while, refrain from haughty looks, from fleeting and prerogative comments that arise from forgetting tenderness, compassion and reverence for the encounter with others particularly those who are vulnerable, hurt and even immersed in sin and error.

Pause for a little while, refrain from deafening noise that weakens and confuses our hearing that makes us forget the creative power of silence.

Pope Francis

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 29 th Feb 6.00pm: Roisin McNeill; Martin Farnon; Marian Farnon; Margaret Rose Murray	Sun 1 st Mar 12.00pm: PJ Quinn; Ursula Murphy; Pauline Fitzpatrick	Sun 1 st Mar 9.00am: Anne O'Hare; Jerome Lynch; Darragh McAlinden

ALTAR SERVERS

BALLYMAGHERY	BALLYGORIAN	CABRA:
Sat 29 th Feb 6.00pm: Sean McGreevy; Leah Murray; Ryan McPolin	Sun 1 st Mar 12.00pm: Clare Green; Ruby Binks	Sun 1 st Mar 9.00am: Calum Branagan; Martin Kane; Blathnaid Kelly; Catherine Taylor

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.

SOLITUDE SATURDAY An opportunity to refresh mind body and spirit in the beautiful surroundings of St. Clare's Convent, Glenvale on Saturday 29th February 2020. Mass 9.30am. Retreat 10.30 – 3.00pm. Tea/coffee/light lunch provided. If interested please contact Sisters of St. Clare 30252778 Suggested Donation £20

The month of February is dedicated to the **Holy Family**. This year the first 25 days of February fall during the liturgical season known as **Ordinary Time** which is represented by the liturgical colour green. Green, the symbol of hope, is the colour of the sprouting seed and arouses in the faithful the hope of reaping the eternal harvest of heaven, especially the hope of a glorious resurrection. The remaining days of February are the beginning of **Lent**. The liturgical colour changes to purple – a symbol of penance, mortification and the sorrow of a contrite heart.

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

New BAPTISM Arrangements
First Sunday Ballymaghera 1.00pm & Third Sunday Cabra 1.00pm
Contact the Baptism Team Coordinator on 07803272403

Website: www.clonduffparish.com