

CHRISTMAS GIFT VOUCHERS available for the 2019 pilgrimage to Medjugorje
Contact: Jerome Lynch 07739092399

The Principal, Staff and Pupils of St Mark's High School, Warrenpoint, cordially invite Primary 7 pupils and their parents to their **OPEN DAY** on Saturday 12th January 2019 from 9.00am-12.00pm. *Principal's Address 11.15am.*

Dromore Diocesan Pilgrimage to Lourdes
Tuesday 21st May to Sunday 26th May 2019

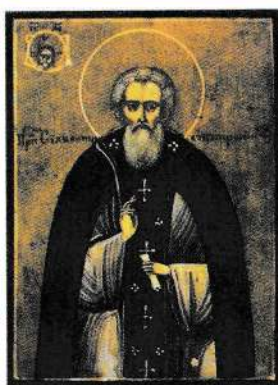
Dear Parishioner, Anyone interested in travelling as an Assisted Pilgrim or a Pilgrim should contact any member of the Clonduff Lourdes Committee as soon as possible. Also, if you would like to nominate a member of the community to go as an Assisted Pilgrim please give the details to any committee member or put their name in the box provided in any of the three chapels. *Please do not nominate someone without first asking them if they would like to go.*

Thank you. Chairman: Peter Mc Ginn,
Secretary: Joanne Killen, Treasurer: Sean Mc Greevy



RECENTLY BAPTISED—We welcome into our Parish Emmie Dickson daughter of Christopher and Roisin, 18 Close Road, Cabra

Today, Sunday, is the Feast of the Holy Family. It is a Catholic religious festival falling on the first Sunday after Christmas. Although major feast days dedicated to each member of the Holy Family—Jesus, Mary, and Joseph—also exist, the **Feast of the Holy Family** commemorates their life together and the celebration focuses on religious family life. Originally celebrated on the Sunday after Epiphany (January 6), the Feast of the Holy Family was moved to the Sunday after Christmas in 1969, bringing it within the Christmas season.



St. Sylvester

PRAYER TO ST SYLVESTER
Feast Day December 31st

Come, O Lord, to the help of your people, sustained by the intercession of Pope Saint Sylvester, so that, running the course of this present life under your guidance, we may happily attain life without end. Through our Lord Jesus Christ, your Son, who lives and reigns with you in the unity of the Holy Spirit, one God, for ever and ever. Amen.



Please Note: To Book Anniversaries etc New Number (028) 40638261

Clonduff Parish Newsletter

Sunday 30th December 2018

THE HOLY FAMILY OF JESUS, MARY AND JOSEPH



We progress in wisdom, age and grace by living according to God's will.
Luke. 2: 41-52

*I wish all parishioners of Clonduff Parish
a Very Happy New Year.
May 2019 be a blessed year for everyone.*

Fr Charles Byrne PP

Fr C Byrne Tel (028) 40638261 or in emergency 07764941606

PARISH OF CLONDUFF 30th DECEMBER 2018
THE HOLY FAMILY OF JESUS, MARY AND JOSEPH
(Sunday Readings Cycle C – Weekday Readings Cycle 2)

ANNIVERSARIES: BALLYMAGHERY, BALLYGORIAN & CABRA	
Sat 29 th Dec 6.30pm BALLYMAGHERY	Sheila Brannigan, Castlewellan Road; James & Bridget Anne McConville, Mullaghmore & Deceased Keenan Family, Carcullion
Sun 30 th Dec 9.00am CABRA	Patrick, Mary & Aine McPolin, Ballyweeley Road; Owen McAnuff, Cabra
Sun 30 th Dec 11.00am BALLYGORIAN	Deceased members of the Wilson Family, Ballygorian Road
Fri 4 th Jan 7.30pm CABRA	Stephen, Catherine & Mary McAleavey' Stang; Arthur & Kathleen Gribben, Ballykeel; Bronagh Ann Gibney, Seaforde
Sat 5 th Jan 6.30pm BALLYMAGHERY	MM Hugh John McPolin, Bryansford Road; Eddie Gribben, Castlewellan Road; Kathleen McGinn, Kilkeel Road; Ella Trainor, Carquillan; Lily McAleenan, Yellow Road
Sun 6 th Jan 9.00am CABRA	
Sun 6 th Jan 11.00am BALLYGORIAN	Mick Devlin, Clonduff Road; Barney, Susan & Josephine McShane, Rathfriland Road

WEEKDAY MASS TIMES

BALLYMAGHERY Mon 31st Dec & Tues 1st Jan 10.00am, Wed, Thurs & Fri 8.45am

READERS

BALLYMAGHERY	BALLYGORIAN	CABRA
Christina O'Hare Gail Kane	Graine Killen Jolene Morgan	New Year's Eve Betty O'Hare Sun 6 th Eoghan McAlinden

RECENTLY DECEASED – We pray for the happy repose of the soul of Eugene Grant, 11 Ardmore Park who was interred recently.
May he rest in peace

ABBEY GRAMMAR SCHOOL OPEN DAY – is on Saturday 12th January from 10.00am – 12.00noon

CABRA ALTAR SOCIETY FOR JANUARY
Marie Milliigan, Ann Flynn & Bernice Kelly

Collection: £1680.00 Thanks for your continuing support.
Adoration Times: Ballymaghery: Wed 9am – 12pm
Ballygorian: Wed 6.30pm – 7.30pm
Cabra: Fri 6.30pm – 7.30pm

Email: info@clonduffparish.com

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) 40638261 or 07764941606 Also if there is someone in hospital please let me know. Fr. C. Byrne

EUCCHARISTIC MINISTERS

BALLYMAGHERY	BALLYGORIAN	CABRA
Sat 5 th Jan 6.30pm: Martin & Marian Farnan; Margaret Rose Murray; Phil Fegan	Sun 6 th Jan 11.00am: Pauline Fitzpatrick; Ursula Murphy	New Year's Eve: Jerome Lynch; Ann O'Hare Sun 6 th Jan: Geraldine McPolin; Ann McPolin

ALTAR SERVERS

BALLYMAGHERY	BALLYGORIAN	CABRA
Sat 5 th Jan 6.30pm: Sean McGreevy; Caoimhe Cowan; Faye Magee; Cara McCormick	Sun 6 th Jan 11.00am: Lorcan Binks; Sean Quinn; Charlie Morgan	New Year's Eve: Emma McPolin; Daniel Gribben; Mary Kate McPolin; Blathnaid Kelly; Sun 6 th Jan 9.00am: Eimar Gribben; Mary Kate McPolin; Catherine Taylor; Daniel Gribben:

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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.

CHAPEL CLEANERS for Ballymaghery in January are:
Marian Brannigan, Mary Simpson, Geraldine Grant, Marina Murray,
Susan McAleenan & Niamh Quinn

FEAST OF THE EPIPHANY

Next Sunday, we celebrate the Feast of the Epiphany. The great Feast of Epiphany celebrates the adoration of Jesus by the wise men (Magi) from the East, together with his baptism in the Jordan and the wedding feast at Cana in Galilee. In the Magi, representatives of the neighbouring pagan religions, the Gospel sees the first fruits of the nations, who welcome the good news of salvation through the Incarnation. The word Epiphany means a revelation. Daily life is full of little epiphanies for those who have eyes to see and minds to reflect.



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