

Come visit the Crib. Picture the Holy Family on that first Christmas night. Say a prayer of thanks for the gift of life, family and friendship



Pilgrimages - The Camino and Lourdes - are you 18 to 30 years old - might you be interested in joining a Diocesan Pilgrimage to Lourdes in May (5 days) and the Camino in the middle of July - (6/7 days) dates to be confirmed - if interested please come along to a gathering of young adults **this Sunday 15th @ 1 pm** in the Café Crème on the Mall, Newry (Beside First Trust Bank). Alternatively forward your name to dromoreyd@btconnect.com. We will be in contact with you...place on both are limited...so claim your place early.....



2020 PILGRIMAGE TO MEDJUGORJE

20th May to 27th May and 12th August to 18th August
Gift Vouchers available
Contact Jerome Lynch on 07739092399

Open Day
for Abbey Christian Brothers' Grammar School, Newry, will take place on Saturday 11th January from 10.00 a.m. - 12.30 p.m.

Weekday Mass Times for Clonduff/Drumgath Parishes.

Monday: 8.45am Ballymaghery. 7.00pm Rathfriland

Tuesday: 9.30am Rathfriland

Wednesday: 8.45am Ballygorian

Thursday: 9.30am Eucharistic Prayer Service, Rathfriland

Friday: 8.45am Ballymaghery. 9.30am Rathfriland.

7.30pm Cabra (First Fridays, Lent and November)

In the event of a Funeral taking place there will be no morning Mass in that Parish.

Mass Times in other local parishes:

Benedictine Monastery 11.30am each day.

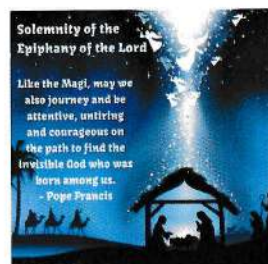
Rostrevor 9.30am Mon, Tues, Thur & Fri.

Mayobridge Mon 10.00am. Wed 7.30pm

Burren Tues 9.30am. Fri 7.00pm

Castlewellan 9.30am each day

HAPPY NEW YEAR



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

PARISH OF CLONDUFF 5th JANUARY 2020

SECOND SUNDAY OF CHRISTMAS

(Sunday Readings Cycle A - Weekday Readings Cycle 2)

ANNIVERSARIES: BALLYMAGHERY, BALLYGORIAN & CABRA

Sat 4th Jan 6.00pm BALLYMAGHERY:	Eddie Gribben, Castlewellan Road; Kathleen McGinn; James, Eileen & Damien Killen, Main Street; Patricia McKibben, Castlewellan; Lily McAleenan, Yellow Road
Sun 5th Jan 9.00am	CABRA:
Sun 5th Jan 12.00pm	BALLYGORIAN: Mick Devlin, Clonduff Road
Mon 6th Jan	Feast of the Epiphany 10.00am: Ballymaghery. 7.00pm: Rathfriland. 8.00pm: Cabra
Sat 11th Jan 6.00pm BALLYMAGHERY	MM James Brannigan, Fegans Gardens; Bridie McGinn, Leitrim & Deceased Morgan Family, Ballydoo; John, Annie, John 7 Emmett Morgan & John & Bridie Smith, Newry Road; Ella Trainor, Carqillan; Una McGinn, Kilkeel Road; Ciaran McAleenan, Yellow Road
Sun 12th Jan 9.00am	CABRA:
Sun 12th Jan 12.00pm	BALLYGORIAN: Barney, Susan & Josephine McShane, Ballygorian

RECENTLY DECEASED - We pray for the happy repose of the soul of Clodagh Gribben who was interred recently. May she rest in peace

NORMAL WEEKDAY MASS TIMES

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

READERS FOR JANUARY

BALLYMAGHERY 6.00pm	BALLYGORIAN 12.00pm	Sun 12th Jan:
Sinead & Maebh McPolin	Granne Killen & Anne O'Hare	Eimear Gribben

Diocesan Pilgrimage to Lourdes for next year, the dates are 12th - 17th May 2020

RECENTLY BAPTISED - We welcome into our faith community **Hallie Ann Nutt**, daughter of Jason and Emma

CHAPEL CLEANERS FOR BALLYMAGHERY IN JANUARY ARE Marian Brannigan, Mary Simpson, Geraldine Grant, Marina Murphy and Susan McAleenan

Collection: £4,066.00 Thanks for your continuing support.

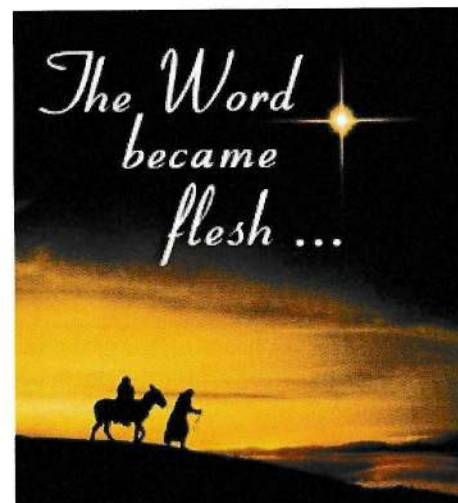
Adoration Times: Ballymaghery - Wed 9am - 12pm

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

Email: info@clonduffparish.com

Clonduff Parish Newsletter

Sunday 5th January 2020
Second Sunday of Christmas



God spoke his Word, the Eternal Son.
 John. 1:1-18.

A HAPPY AND PEACEFUL NEW YEAR TO ALL FAMILIES AND FRIENDS IN OUR PARISH COMMUNITY

For many the New Year is a time for making resolutions, to alter personal and material ways of our life. We are called to renew our commitment to follow - "The Word made flesh" - full of grace and truth.

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 11th Jan 6.00pm: Des McNeill; Marian Brannigan; Anne Murray; Mary O'Hare	Sun 12 Jan 12.00pm: Fionulla Rooney; Gerard O'Hare; Seamus McAteer	Sun 12th Jan 9.00am: Geraldine McPolin; Brian & Madeline McAlinden

ALTAR SERVERS

BALLYMAGHERY	BALLYGORIAN	CABRA:
Sat 11th Jan 6.00pm: Laura Kay; Therese Cowan	Sun 12th Jan 12.00pm: Sinead McPolin; Ciara McPolin	Sun 12th Jan 9.00am: Daniel Gribben; Darragh O'Hare; Martin Kane; Emma McPolin; Mary Kate McPolin

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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.

CABRA Altar Society for January: Marie Milligan, Ann Flynn and Benice Kelly

St Colman's College - The Principal, Staff and Pupils of St Colman's, invite Primary 7 pupils and their parents to an **Open Day** on Saturday 18th January 11.00am - 1.00pm Principal's Address 11.00am & 12 noon. Prospective post 16 students & their parents/guardians are also welcome.

NEW YEAR PRAYER - God, thank you for a new year. May everyone in our family be willing to begin anew with a clean slate. We know that you are always ready to forgive us. Help us to be willing to forgive ourselves and to forgive one another.

As we begin a new year, remind us of our truest values and our deepest desires. Help us to live in the goodness that comes from doing what you want us to do. Help us to put aside anxiety about the future and the past, so that we might live in peace with you now, one day at a time.

Epiphany means manifestation. What the Church celebrates on Monday is the manifestation of our Lord to the whole world; after being made known to the shepherds of Bethlehem He is revealed to the Magi who have come from the East to adore Him. St. Leo brings out this point admirably in a sermon, read at Matins, in which he shows in the adoration of the Magi the beginnings of Christian faith, the time when the great mass of the heathen sets off to follow the star which summons it to seek its Saviour.

New BAPTISM Arrangements

First Sunday Ballymaghery 1.00pm & Third Sunday Cabra 1.00pm
Contact the Baptism Team Coordinator on 07803272403

Website: www.clonduffparish.com