



Chapel cleaners for Ballymaghera April 2026 Eileen McGinn, Catriona Doyle,
Mandy McClean, Annemarie Flannigan, Maureen Grant, Yvonne Devlin,
Roisin Murray and Martina Byrne

Nine-day pilgrimage to Rome and Umbria, 27 July to 4 August 2026 led by Canon Michael Toner (Lower Creggan Parish) and Fr Paul Murphy (Kilmore Parish). Excellent value at 1395 euro, includes flights, accommodation, most dinners, coaching and all tours. Visiting some of the most beautiful places in Italy including Assisi, Orvieto and Spoleto. Mass at the tomb of St Carlo Acutis. For more information email us at: info@myriam.ie or call 0579355050 during office hours.

Pilgrimage to Lourdes for young adults – 18 to 30 years – July 27th to 31st – Mon to Fri – Cost of £680 covers flights, transfers in Lourdes, Hotel and full Board, plus the help of a guide and transport to and from Dublin Airport – there will be time for Pilgrims to experience the pilgrimage and enjoy the freedom to explore Lourdes with friends and others. We have 10 places left....email Frances youthdirector@dromorediocese.org or phone 028 30833898 – leave a message with number.

Junior Set Dancing on Thursday from 6.30pm to 7.30pm in the GAA Clubrooms.
Adult Set Dancing every Thursday night from 7.30 to 9pm in the Parochial Hall
Hilltown Everyone is welcome

A Chara, I just wanted to send a quick message to say a huge go raibh maith agat on behalf of CnaG Boirche Íochtar for allowing us to collect outside masses for our annual Irish Language Scholarship collection to support our young people and adults who are attending a Gaeltacht course this summer. I am delighted that we have raised a total of £2179.15 and €84.40 across the 4 parish collections, and all of these funds will go directly towards scholarships. Many thanks once again and I thank you for your continued support,
Ar son Conradh na Gaeilge Bhoirche Íochtar, Ruairí Ó Donnáin. Oifigeach Forbartha Gaeilge,
Conradh na Gaeilge Boirche Íochtar, Irish Language Development Officer, Lower Mourne Gaelic League

"When Our Lady enters a home, she brings her Son with her," The Legion of Mary invites you to welcome Our Lady of Graces Statue into your home. If you'd like to have the statue for a week, please contact Liz 07708 217549 or Bronagh 07872 694848 or Sheila 07795517503

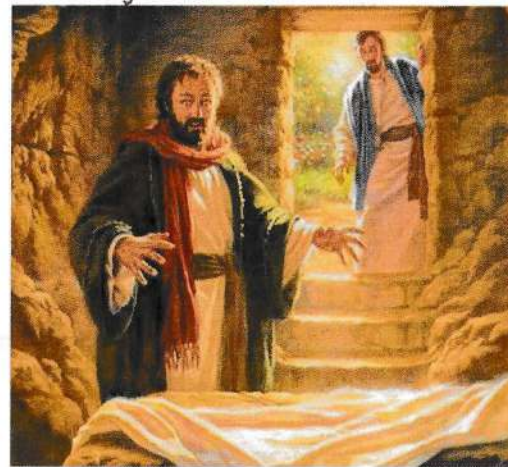
BINGO EVERY MONDAY NIGHT AT 9.00PM IN INF HALL

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

Clonduff Parish Newsletter

Sunday 5th April 2026

Easter Day of the Lord's Resurrection



He must rise from the dead.

John 20: 1-9



Dromore Diocesan Pilgrimage to Lourdes 15th – 20th May 2026: £890.00 inc. transfers from Hilltown to Lourdes and return, full board for 5 days in the Agena or La Solitude Hotels and assistance of JWT Representatives while in Lourdes. Anyone wishing to travel as a pilgrim should contact any member of the local committee as soon as possible or Joanne on 07845825029/ Sean on 07789757417. We are able to facilitate staged payments or Gift Vouchers towards the fare. Anyone wishing to travel as an Assisted Pilgrim may do the same or leave their name in the boxes provided in the three Parish Churches. If you are nominating someone for an Assisted Pilgrim position, please check with them first that they are happy for you to do so.

ANNIVERSARIES: BALLYMAGHERY, BALLYGORIAN & CABRA

Sat 4 th Apr 6.00pm BALLYMAGHERY:	Eugene Carvill, Rostrevor Road Margaret & Stephen Fitzpatrick, Fegans Gardens
Sun 5 th Apr 9.00am CABRA:	John & Mary McPolin, Ballyweely Road Bernard Morgan, Lenish
Sun 5 th Apr 11.30am BALLYMAGHERY:	Sean Murray, Castlewellan Road Malachy McCartan, Slievenagarragh John, Violet, Mary & John Quinn, Hilltown Road Fr Dan McCartan
Mon 6 th Apr 10.00am	BALLYMAGHERY: Peter O'Reilly, Ardmore Drive
Mon 6 th Apr 7.00pm	St Mary's, Rathfriland:
Tues 7 th Apr 10.00am	BALLYMAGHERY:
Wed 8 th Apr 10.00am	BALLYGORIAN:
Thur 9 th Apr 10.00am	BALLYMAGHERY: Eucharistic Prayer Service
Fri 10 th Apr 9.30pm	St Mary's, Rathfriland:
Fri 10 th Apr 7.30pm	CABRA:
Sat 11 th Apr 6.00pm BALLYMAGHERY:	Teenie Magee, Yellow Road Cecelia Grant, O'Hagans Terrace Anne Brannigan, Fegans Gardens Agnes Murray, Spelga Park Mary Murphy, Castlewellan Road
Sun 12 th Apr 9.00am	CABRA:
Sun 12 th Apr 11.30am BALLYMAGHERY:	Dan Brown, Rathfriland Road

RECENTLY BAPTISED – We welcome into our faith Rosa Lily Brown daughter of Vonor and Maria and Jack Shane Rodgers son of Shane and Christina

DROMORE DIOCESAN HISTORICAL SOCIETY

MONDAY 20TH APRIL: @7:30pm in Newry Parish Centre
The Society's next event of its 2026 programme is a talk by Ciaran MacMurcaidh entitled "Exploring Placenames within the Diocese of Dromore"
Admission £1.00. All welcome

Adoration in Ballygorian on Thursdays 7.30pm – 8.30pm.

Adoration will take place on Tuesday evening at 8.00pm with the Rosary being recited in Ballymaghera. All welcome.

PARISH OF CLONDUFF

SUNDAY 5TH APRIL 2026

EASTER DAY OF THE LORD'S RESURRECTION

(Sunday Readings Cycle A – Weekday Readings Cycle 2)

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

Baptism Arrangements

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

Thanks for your generous support £1,907.90

Registered with the Charity Commission for Northern Ireland NIC105046

Diocese of Dromore Safeguarding of Children, young people and vulnerable adults:
Dromore Designated Person Mr Stephen Sherry 07301246329
Email: safeguardingdirector@dromorediocese.org
A copy of the Dromore Diocese "Safeguarding Policy and Procedures" is available for reference in the Parish Rooms.

BALLYMAGHERY ALTAR SERVERS

Sat 4 th Apr:	Sat 11 th Apr: Eibhlín McConville, Daniel Boyle, Sarah Branigan
Sun 5 th Apr: Leah McGarry, Frankie McGinn, Aoife Dickson	Sun 12 th Apr: Leah McGarry, Frankie McGinn, Aoife Dickson

Eucharistic Ministers Ballymaghera

Sat 4 th Apr: 6pm: Colm McGinn	Sat 11 th Apr: 6pm: Murtagh Walls
Sun 5 th Apr 11.30am: Terri Branagan	Sun 12 th Apr: 11.30am: Gérard O'Hare

Readers

Sat 4 th Apr: 6pm: Anita Brannigan	Sat 11 th Apr: 6pm: Oonagh McAleavy
Sun 5 th Apr: 11.30am: Aoibhín Eimear Byrne	Sun 12 th Apr: 11.30am: Darragh McSloy

CABRA READERS	EUCCHARISTIC MINISTERS
Sun 5 th Apr: 9.00am: Helen McAleavy	Sun 5 th Apr: 9.00am: Madeleine McAlinden
Sun 12 th Apr: 9.00am: Lisa Gribben	Sun 12 th Apr: 9.00am: Anne McPolin