

Following Pentecost, the Church begins her slow descent from the great peaks of the Easter Season to the verdant pastures of Ordinary Time, the longest of the liturgical seasons. Like the lush June growth all around us, the green of the liturgical season points to the new life won for us by the Redemption of Jesus Christ, the new life of Charity. For Our Lord came to cast the fire of His love on the earth, and to that end, sent His Holy Spirit at Pentecost in the form of tongues of fire.

Ordinary Time is the hour to "go out to all the world and tell the good news." The feasts of June highlight this expansion of the Church. At least ten times, the Church vests in the red of the martyrs whose blood is the very seed of her growth. She also celebrates the feasts of the apostles Peter and Paul, and the birth of St. John the Baptist, proto-disciple and prophet.

We too are called to be witnesses like the apostles and martyrs. May the Heart of Jesus inflame our hearts so that we may be worthy of our Baptismal call to holiness. Immaculate Heart of Mary, pray for us.

June 13

St. Anthony

Called the Wonder Worker because of the numerous miracles attributed to him while he was living and since his death. He is one of the most popular saints in the Catholic Church and is implored as the patron of lost things and a hundred other causes. He was a preacher and theologian and was declared a Doctor of the Church by Pope Pius XII.



Chapel Cleaners for Ballymaghery in June are

Cathy Fitzpatrick, Mary Brannigan, Josephine Fegan, Lorraine O'Hare, Caroline Grant, Carol Magee, Fionnuala Rooney, Anne Mulholland

DAISY HILL HOSPITAL CHAPLAINCY: Chaplaincy support (both routine visits and urgent calls) remains available for patients and staff in our hospital by designated hospital chaplains. If you are aware of anyone in hospital, please ask them to say "Yes" when asked by the nursing staff if they would like a chaplain to visit. Alternatively, the patient or their next of kin can ring the hospital at any time and ask to speak to the chaplain on call. The number for the hospital is 028 3083 5000.

DROMORE DIOCESAN HISTORICAL SOCIETY

Monday 14th JUNE 2021: @7:30pm The Society will host an online lecture by Anthony entitled "John Mitchell – Less revolutionary than the average English shopkeeper". Retired from Anglia Ruskin University, Anthony Russell is the author of 'Between Two Flags: John Mitchell & Jenny Verner' (Merrion Press).

Access to the event will be available from 7:20pm with a 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 JUNE 14th

Clonduff Parish Newsletter

Sunday 13th June 2021
Eleventh Sunday in Ordinary Time



It is the smallest of all the seeds on earth; yet once it is sown it grows into the biggest shrub of them all.
Mark. 4: 26-34

Fr Tony Corr R.I.P



Clonduff Parish Thursday 29th August 1996 – Friday 16th June 2000

Fr C Byrne Tel (028) 40630206 or 07764941606 or email cbyrne26@icloud.com

ANNIVERSARIES: BALLYMAGHERY, BALLYGORIAN & CABRA

Sat 12th June 6.00pm BALLYMAGHERY:	Rose O'Hanlon, Carcullion; Thomas & Teresa Mooney, Carcullion; Eugene Keenan, St Patrick's Park
Sun 13th June 9.00am BALLYMAGHERY:	Owen, Pat & James McPolin & Deceased Family members, Stang; MM Patricia Tucker, Rostrevor Road/New York
RECENTLY DECEASED	Crissie Wilson, Ballygorian; Veronica Brown, Ballygorian; Margaret McConville, Mullaghmore; Fr Tony Corr
Mon 14th June 9.00am BALLYMAGHERY:	
Tues 15th June 9.00am BALLYMAGHERY:	
Wed 16th June 9.00am BALLYGORIAN:	
Thur 17th June 9.00am BALLYMAGHERY:	
Fri 18th June 9.00am BALLYMAGHERY:	Barney Hugh & Bessie Brannigan, Spelga Park; Sean Rooney, Spelga Park; Barney James Grant, St Patrick's Park
Sun 20th June 9.00am BALLYMAGHERY:	
Sun 13th June 11.30am BALLYMAGHERY:	
Eucharistic Ministers Ballymaghery	
Sat 12th June 6pm: Suzie Brannigan	Sat 19th June: Marie Murray
Sun 13th June: Joseph Farrell	Sun 20th June: Ursula Murphy
Readers Ballymaghery	
Sat 12th June 6pm: Joleen Morgan	Sat 19th June: Niohmi Murray
Sun 13th June 11.30am: Teresa Carr	Sun 20th June: Aoife Murray
CABRA READERS	
Sun 13th June 9am: Deirbhile Devlin	Sun 13th June: Darragh McAlinden
Sun 20th June 9am: Darragh McAlinden	Sun 20th June: Roisin McAlinden



RECENTLY BAPTISED - We welcome into our faith community Holie Trisha McDonald daughter of Gary Therese, Aubrey Bridie Graham daughter of Michael and Clodagh, Elizabeth Patricia Trainor daughter of Kieran and Kathryn, Rossa Sean McGreevy son of Gavin and Corrine and Arthur Bernard Ruddy son of Peter and Kathy

PARISH OF CLONDUFF

SUNDAY 13th June 2021

ELEVENTH SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME

(Sunday Readings Cycle B – Weekday Readings Cycle 1)

You can now book your Anniversaries, Baptisms, Weddings or any other enquires by contacting the Parish Office Monday – Thursday 9am – 4pm
(028) 30850270 or email

clonduffparish@dromorediocese.org

Baptism Arrangements

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

Your continued financial support to Parish life and Parish upkeep is very much appreciated during these anxious and challenging days due to the on-going Coronavirus Pandemic.

Envelopes may be deposited through the Letter Box at the Parochial House, Castlewalian Road on Sunday 9am to 12 noon and Monday 9am to 12 noon.
Thanks for your generous support last week £1,323.53
Troaire Collection to date: £6,177.79



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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.

Lough Derg 2021: Lough Derg regrets that it will not be possible in 2021 to reopen Station Island for the Traditional Three Day Pilgrimage or even for the autumn programme of Day Retreats. Lough Derg will again offer the opportunity to

"Do Lough Derg from wherever you are" on 3rd – 5th July
The outdoor Pilgrimage on the Lough Shore Pilgrim Path will also be available as the summer goes on. Further information from Lough Derg office 0(0353) 71 9861518 or www.loughderg.org.

