

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

Saint Vincent de Paul will be conducting their annual Christmas church door collections in Hilltown churches this weekend **15th/16th December.**
(Cabra church collection took place on 9th December.)

Throughout each year our Conference makes numerous visits to families and people in need in our community. The funds raised will be spent in our community helping those in need of food, heating and educational costs. We rely almost entirely on the support of you, the generous parishioners of Clonduff, who have been very generous in the past.
Thank you in anticipation for your continued support.
"HELP US TO HELP OTHERS!"

Anam Cara Armagh, the organisation that supports bereaved parents, is holding a Parent Evening for bereaved parents on **Wednesday 19th of December at 7:20pm in the Armagh City Hotel, Armagh, BT60 4FR.** This event is free and open to all bereaved parents regardless of the age your child died, the circumstances of their death, or whether their death was recent or not. *We'd be very grateful if you could help us to raise awareness of this free event for bereaved parents in your community. For more information see anamcara.ie or call our Information Line on 02895213120.*

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.*



Irish Christmas Blessing
*May the Blessings of Christmas be with you,
 May the Christ Child light your way,
 May God's Holy Angels guide you,
 And keep you safe each day.*

Santa Returns to Dromantine 15/16 December 2018 Craft Fair 90 minutes of family fun-filled festive activity Early booking advisable as spaces are limited Available online www.dromantineconference.com



96 Glenn Road, BT34 1RH



CHAPEL CLEANERS FOR BALLYMAGHERY IN DECEMBER
 Fionnuala Rooney, Mary Brannigan, Ann Mullholland, Cathy Fitzpatrick, Caroline Grant, Carol Magee & Josephine Fegan

INF Saturday 22 December @ 8:30pm.

Open Mic featuring: - The Kelly Bros and friends.
 Coleen Walls, Paul Gribben and Bernice Mc Aleenan.
All welcome.

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



PARISH OF CLONDUFF 16th DECEMBER 2018

THIRD SUNDAY OF ADVENT

(Sunday Readings Cycle C – Weekday Readings Cycle 2)

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



ANNIVERSARIES: BALLYMAGHERY, BALLYGORIAN & CABRA	
Sat 15 th Dec 6.30pm BALLYMAGHERY	Children's Do this in Memory of me Mass: Rosaleen McKeown, Castlewellaan Road; Seamus McGreevy, Castlewellaan Road; Sally Henning, Stang Road; Sean Lynch, Castlewellaan Road; Joe & Catherine Brannigan, Spelga Park
Sun 16 th Dec 9.00am CABRA	Jim, Rose & James McParlan, Lenish; Owen & Margaret Gribben, Lenish; Ann McParlan, Islandmoyle
Sun 16 th Dec 11.00am BALLYGORIAN	John & Rose Ann Quinn, Kennedy Drive; Patrick & Elizabeth Grant, Carcullion; Brian Darby, Rathfriland Road; Paddy O'Hagan, Newry Road; Desmond McGarry, Bann Lane
Sat 22 nd Dec 6.30pm BALLYMAGHERY	Hugh John McEvoy, Castlewellaan Road;
Sun 23 rd Dec 9.00am CABRA	Patrick Fitzpatrick, Yellow Road
Sun 23 rd Dec 11.00am BALLYGORIAN	Felix & Annie O'Hanlon, Mourne View

WEEKDAY MASS TIMES	
BALLYMAGHERY	Mon, Tues, Wed, Thur & Fri 8.45am
READERS	
BALLYMAGHERY	BALLYGORIAN
Christina O'Hare	Graine Killen
Gail Kane	Jolene Morgan
	CABRA
	Eoghan McAlinden

PENTENTIAL SERVICE: Sunday 16th December Ballymaghery 7.00pm Cabra 7.00pm

RECENTLY BAPTISED – We welcome into our Parish Saoirse Rose Dickson, daughter of Connor & Louise, 37b Sandbank Road and Tiernan Seamus Larry Murray, son of Noel & Laura, 14 Slievenagarragh

Third Sunday of Advent. We light the pink Shepherd Candle or The Candle of Joy. It is also known as "Gaudete Sunday" which means rejoice



Collection : £1381.76 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

Clonduff Parish Newsletter

Sunday 16th December 2018

THIRD SUNDAY OF ADVENT



Rejoice in the possession of the good news.
 Luke. 3: 10-18

CHRISTMAS MASS TIMES

CHRISTMAS EVE: Ballymaghery 6.30pm Ballygorian 7.30pm Cabra 8.00pm
 CHRISTMAS DAY: Ballymaghery 11.00am

Week 3, Joy

Dear Jesus, help us focus on you during this busy season. May we stay aware of the joy you bring into our lives. We want to find you in the everyday moments and come with hearts of gratitude to your manger on Christmas. Amen.

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

EUCHARISTIC MINISTERS		
BALLYMAGHERY	BALLYGORIAN	CABRA
Sat 22 nd Dec 6.30pm: Des McNeill; Marian Brannigan; Anne Murray; Mary O'Hare;	Sun 23 rd Dec 11.00am: Finnoula Rooney; Seamus McAteer	Sun 23 rd Dec 9.00am: Sean & Roisin McAlinden
ALTAR SERVERS		
BALLYMAGHERY	BALLYGORIAN	CABRA
Sat 22 nd Dec 6.30pm: Sean McGreevy; Caoimhe Cowan; Faye Magee; Cara McCormick	Sun 23 rd Dec 11.00am: Lorcan Binks; Sean Quinn; Charlie Morgan	Sun 23 rd Dec 9.00am: Mary Kate McPolin; Eimear Gribben; Blathnaid Kelly; 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.

RECENTLY DECEASED – We pray for the happy repose of the souls of Sally Morgan, 9 Tamary Road and Sally Lively, 20 St Patrick's Park and Teresa Corr, Craigavon mother of Very Rev. Fr Tony Corr PP of Aghaderg and Donaghmore Parishes who were interred recently.
 May they rest in peace

Choir practice for all members to prepare for Christmas on Monday evening at 7.00pm. All members are asked to attend.

School & Parish Annual Carol Service

In St John's Church Ballymaghery on Thursday 20th December at 7.00pm

Refreshments in School afterwards

P1 and Everyone is encouraged to attend to

make this a

Special Parish Celebration



Website: www.clonduffparish.com