



Chapel cleaners for Ballymaghery in December are Cathy Fitzpatrick, Mary Brannigan, Fionnula Rooney, Caroline Grant, Carol Magee, Josephine Fegan and Lorraine O'Hare

Child/Vulnerable adult training event Parish Centre Rathfriland Monday 2nd December at 7:15pm.

The following are requested to attend:-

Members of the Pastoral Council
All Eucharistic Ministers, Church Sacristans, Choir leaders, Altar Server Leaders, Church Group Leaders.

CLONDUFF SVP:

St Vincent de Paul, St John's Conference, Clonduff will be supporting families in our local community.
We will be having our Annual Christmas Appeal at Mass on the weekends of 7th & 8th, 14th & 15th and 21st & 22nd December.
Hilltown Parish rooms will also be open for anyone wishing to make gift or food donations on Sunday 15th December after Mass. If anyone would like to donate online, we gratefully accept bank transfers. The bank details are: Ulster Bank - Name: St Vincent de Paul St John's Conference. Account number: 59002043 and Sort Code: 98-13-60.

Thank you for your continued support and generosity at this time. Together we can bring some comfort and relief to those who are struggling most this season. We really appreciate all your help.

PRIESTHOOD

We pray for more vocations to the priesthood in our diocese. For more information or guidance if you think you could be called to be a priest, please contact our vocations director, Fr Brian Fitzpatrick, 028 3834 1901 pp.moyraverty.seagoe@gmail.com

Junior Set Dancing on Thursday from 6.30pm to 7.30pm in the GAA Clubrooms.

Set dancing classes in Hilltown. Everyone welcome - beginners, learners and the more experienced. INF Hall, running weekly on Thursdays from 7.30pm to 9pm. Cost £5 per night payable at the door.

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 1st December 2024
First Sunday of Advent



Your liberation is near at hand.

Luke 21:25-28, 34-36



ANNIVERSARIES: BALLYMAGHERY, BALLYGORIAN & CABRA	
Sat 30 th Nov 6.00pm BALLYMAGHERY:	Anne & Michael Kane, Stang Road Hugh John & Jean McPolin, Bryansford Road Susan & Paddy Lively, Leitrim Road Patrick Harper, Dana Place Michael Downey Thomas & Margaret Rosr McPolin, Rostrevor CABRA: John Gribben, Kinghill
Sun 1 st Dec 11.30am BALLYMAGHERY:	Michael & Catherine Barrett, Kanturk, Co Cork Brigid Anne Fegan, Leitrim Gloria & Hugh Lynch, Mournie View Kevin Morgan, St Patrick's Park
RECENTLY DECEASED	Con Fryday, St Mary's Terrace & Carol Johnston, Newcastle
Mon 2 nd Dec 9.00am	BALLYMAGHERY:
Mon 2 nd Dec 7.00pm	St Mary's, Rathfriland:
Tues 3 rd Dec 9.00am	BALLYMAGHERY: Patrick Devlin, Crieve, Newry
Wed 4 th Dec 9.00am	BALLYGORIAN:
Thur 5 th Dec 9.00am	BALLYMAGHERY: Eucharistic Service
Fri 6 th Dec 9.30am	St Mary's, Rathfriland:
Fri 6 th Dec 7.30pm CABRA:	James McGreevy & Deceased Family, Ballyweely Owen Ward & Deceased Family, Islandmoyle Owen & Margaret Gribben, Lenish
Sat 7 th Dec 6.00pm BALLYMAGHERY:	Sally Morgan, Ballydoo John & Brigid Smith, Newry Road Owen & Sally Lively, St Patrick's Park Dan, Sr Alice & Deceased Doyle Family, New Line, Leitrim Lily & Mick Keenan, Ardmore Park Francis & Mary Brannigan, Rostrevor Road Arthur & Mary Brannigan & Deceased Family, Carcullion Sean Fegan, Main Street
Sun 8 th Dec 9.00am CABRA:	John Maginnis, Drumlee Barney & Mary Morgan, Fofannyreagh Mary & Hughie Morgan, Fofannyreagh John & Rose Maginnis, Islandmoyle
Sun 8 th Dec 11.30am BALLYMAGHERY:	Rosemary Carr, Mournie View John Doyle, Castlewellan Road Bernadette Matthews, Leitrim Road Yvonne Lowry, Rathfriland Road Jerry Quinn, Spelga Park

FIRST SATURDAY DEVOTION TO OUR LADY OF FATIMA WILL BE HELD IN BALLYMAGHERY CHAPEL ON SATURDAY 7th DECEMBER 2024 This will consist of the following: 9.45am - 15mins Meditations on the Rosary (as requested by Our Lady) 10am - The Holy Rosary (Joyful Mysteries) 10.30 - Mass 11am - Confessions. These will be undertaken with the intention of making reparation to the Most Immaculate Heart of Mary as requested by Our Lady of Fatima.

PARISH OF CLONDUFF SUNDAY 1ST DECEMBER 2024

FIRST SUNDAY OF ADVENT

(Sunday Readings Cycle C - Weekday Readings Cycle 1)

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 Ballymaghery 12.30pm
Third Sunday of the Month Cabra 12.30pm

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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.

Adoration in Ballygorian on Thursdays 7.30pm - 8.30pm.

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

BALLYMAGHERY ALTAR SERVERS	
Sat 30 th Nov:	Sarah McAlinden, Olivia Malley Sat 7 th Dec: Kayla Malkonska, Ellie Fitzpatrick, Sophie Morgan
Sun 1 st Dec:	Leah McGarry, Frankie McGinn Sun 8 th Dec: Aoife Dickson, Meabh Canning, Ella Hendrick
Eucharistic Ministers Ballymaghery	
Sat 30 th Nov 6pm:	Joe Farrell
Sun 1 st Dec 11.30am:	M.R Murray Sat 7 th Dec 6pm: Susie Brannigan Sun 8 th Dec 11.30am: Marian Brannigan
Readers	
Sat 30 th Nov 6pm:	Joleen Morgan
Sun 1 st Dec 11.30:	Eileen Kelly Sat 7 th Dec 6pm: Rosaleen Brannigan Sun 8 th Dec 11.30am: Ursula Kearney
CABRA READERS	
Sun 1 st Dec 9.00am:	Sheila Gribben
Sun 8 th Dec 9.00am:	Lisa Gribben
CABRA CLEANERS: Aileen Gribben, Teresa Trainor, Patricia Kelly	
EUCARISTIC MINISTERS	
Sun 1 st Dec 9.00am:	Jerome Lynch
Sun 8 th Dec 9.00am:	Joanne McGinn