



Chapel cleaners for Ballymaghera in July 2025 are Geraldine Grant, Marina Murray, Marian Brannigan and Susan McAleenan

**Lough Derg One day Retreat to Lough Derg from Hilltown on Sunday 24<sup>th</sup> August 2025.** Will you be joining us ?? This Jubilee Year be a Pilgrim of Hope. To book your place contact **Susie Brannigan 07803163476**



**Pilgrimage to Medjugorje for 7 nights from Wednesday 16th July to Wednesday 23rd July.**

Pilgrimage includes.....Flying direct from Dublin to Mostar which is only half an hour from Medjugorje\* Bus transfers\* Half board accommodation\* Local guide for the week\* Extra excursions of surrounding areas such as Kravica Waterfalls, a visit to the parish of St Anthony and also Surmanci "The Divine Mercy Chapel" these are optional and will incur a small fee. Priced at £595 per person sharing, insurance is £35 extra if needed. Contact Jerome Lynch on 07739092399

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**Saturday 30<sup>th</sup> Aug to Sunday 31<sup>st</sup> August – a 3-part Pilgrimage** - See attached. Visit and experience Lough Derg - 10 am to 3 pm. Onwards to Knock Shrine – visit Apparition chapel and join local community for 7 pm Mass on Sat evening. And on Sunday as a group, we will climb Croagh Patrick. 3 of our National Pilgrimages in 24 hours. email or phone me **0778 694 3672**. We welcome anyone aged 18 to 25 yrs plus. Frances McNally Diocesan Youth Director

**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.**

The INF set dancing class is over until September.

**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 20<sup>th</sup> July 2025  
Sixteenth Sunday in Ordinary Time



Martha welcomed him into her house. Mary has chosen the better part.

**Luke 10:38-42**



**FEAST OF ST ANNE Saturday 26<sup>th</sup> July**

The Feast of St Anne this year falls on a Saturday, so the Mass will be at the normal time of 6.00pm in St Patrick's Church, Mayobridge and this year being 'The Pilgrimage of Hope' Archbishop Eamon Martin will be the chief Celebrant. The Mass will be outside in the Convent Gardens (weather permitting) with Tea and Refreshments served in the Parochial Hall after the Mass.

**Nine Day Novena to St Anne started Thursday 17<sup>th</sup> July**

<b>Sat 19<sup>th</sup> July 6.00pm</b>	<b>ANNIVERSARIES: BALLYMAGHERY, BALLYGORIAN &amp; CABRA</b> MM Martin Rooney, Ballycoshone Road Peter Doran, Killeel Road Petey O'Hagan, Shannon Park Dan Grant & Deceased Grant Family, Rostrevor Road CABRA: Angelina Daly, Dungannon
<b>Sun 20<sup>th</sup> July 9.00am</b>	<b>MM Peter Farnon, Ballygorian</b> Patsy Branagan Hugh & Lily McAleenan, Yellow Road Hugh & Mary Anne Brown, Newry Road
<b>Mon 21<sup>st</sup> July 9.00am</b>	<b>BALLYMAGHERY:</b> St Mary's, Rathfriland
<b>Mon 21<sup>st</sup> July 7.00pm</b>	<b>BALLYMAGHERY: Prayer Service</b>
<b>Tues 22<sup>nd</sup> July 9.00am</b>	<b>BALLYGORIAN:</b>
<b>Wed 23<sup>rd</sup> July 9.00am</b>	<b>BALLYMAGHERY: Prayer Service</b>
<b>Thur 24<sup>th</sup> July 9.00am</b>	<b>BALLYMAGHERY:</b>
<b>Fri 25<sup>th</sup> July 9.30am</b>	<b>St Mary's, Rathfriland</b> Peter, Margaret & Joseph Tekin, Islandmoyle PJ Gribben, Ardmore Park
<b>Fri 25<sup>th</sup> July 7.30pm</b>	<b>CABRA:</b> Paddy Joe Grant & Deceased Grant Family, Rostrevor Road Bernard & Alice O'Hare & Bernard Jnr Annie & Patrick Murphy & Deceased Murphy Family, New Line Theresa McPolin, Spelga Park Monsignor Loughlin McAleavey
<b>Sat 26<sup>th</sup> July 6.00pm</b>	<b>BALLYMAGHERY:</b>
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Josephine & Rosaleen's Grandparents Day Trip to Knock. Sunday 27th July 2025. Bus departs Hilltown Square @6AM. Breakfast & Dinner in the Killyhevin Hotel. Home @22.30. Cost per person £70. To book please contact **02840631139** £35 deposit required.

**PARISH OF CLONDUFF**

**SUNDAY 20<sup>TH</sup> JULY 2025**

**SIXTEENTH SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME**

(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](mailto: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 £1,038.68

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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](mailto: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 on Tuesday evening at 8.00pm with the Rosary being recited in Ballymaghera. All welcome

**BALLYMAGHERY ALTAR SERVERS**

Sat 19 <sup>th</sup> July: Sarah McAlinden, Olivia Malley, Daniel Doyle, Cora Belle Murray, Charlie McCurmsiskey	Sat 26 <sup>th</sup> July: Eibhlin McConville, Daire Gribben, Aisling Brown, Sarah Brannigan
Sun 20 <sup>th</sup> July: Aoife Dickson, Meabh Canning	Sun 27 <sup>th</sup> July: Leah McGarry, Frankie McGinn

**Eucharistic Ministers Ballymaghera**

Sat 19 <sup>th</sup> July 6pm: Geraldine Smyth, Murtagh Walls	Sat 26 <sup>th</sup> July 6pm: Roisin McNeill, Aoibhin Brannigan
Sun 20 <sup>th</sup> July 11.30am: Gérard O'Hare	Sun 27 <sup>th</sup> July 11.30am: PJ Quinn
Sat 19 <sup>th</sup> July 6pm: Anita Brannigan	Sat 26 <sup>th</sup> July 6pm: Oonagh McAleavey
Sun 20 <sup>th</sup> July 11.30: Gabriel Murray	Sun 27 <sup>th</sup> July 11.30am: PJ Quinn

**CABRA READERS**

Sun 20 <sup>th</sup> July 9.00am: Lisa Gribben	Sun 20 <sup>th</sup> July 9.00am: Anne O'Hare
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