

Every person should consider carefully if returning to collective worship is the safe and appropriate step for them, at this time. Families are encouraged to join those celebrating the passion, death and resurrection of Jesus in Churches, from the 'domestic church' of their own living rooms, via live-streaming.

In emphasising the cautious nature of this return to public worship the Bishops remind the faithful that the obligation to attend Mass on Sundays and Holy Days remains suspended and that every person should consider carefully if returning to collective worship is the safe and appropriate step for them, at this time. We continue to strongly encourage participation, where possible, including in the ceremonies of Holy Week, by way of live-streaming.

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

The Society is pleased to announce that its Journal Seanchas Dhroim Mor 2020 is on sale price £10 or £15 to include p&p Seanchas Dhroim Mor 2020 120pp includes articles on : Dr Patrick Donnelly 1649-1719 Bishop of Dromore and "Bard of Armagh"

Thomas B. Keane
The Story of the Sisters of Mercy, Lurgan Sr. Dr Evelyn Kenny
Columbans from the Diocese of Dromore Fr Neil Collins
Edward Mulhern, Lord Bishop of Dromore 1916-1943 Martin Goss
The Grinan Crosses, Clonlea Graveyard & the Mooney family Elizabeth Hughes
The Function of Art: The Great Depression, Papal Encyclicals, and Editorial Cartoons Barry Sheppard

Newry streets in the 1911 Census; (an online study in time of Covid) Martin Goss
Please contact any of the following to purchase a copy:

Martin Goss, Newry 30262849 (answerphone) or goss.ilm@gmail.com
Veritas Shop, The Mall, Newry. Michael Keenan, Burren: 41772543



Clonduff Parish Newsletter

Sunday 25th April 2021
Fourth Sunday of Easter
(Day of Prayer for Vocations)



I AM The Good Shepherd
John 10:11-18
• Before Abraham, I Am
• I AM the Bread of Life
• I AM the Light of the World
• I AM the Good Shepherd

Jesus leads us to God the Father.

John. 10: 11-18



Baptism Arrangements

Office hours Mon – Thurs 9.00am – 4.00pm (028) 30850270
First Sunday of the Month Ballymaghery 12.30pm
Third Sunday of the Month Cabra 12.30pm

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

ANNIVERSARIES: BALLYMAGHERY, CABRA & DRUMGATH

Sat 24th Apr 6.00pm BALLYMAGHERY:	John Curran, Kennedy Drive; Fr Patrick Rooney, Gargary; Phelim Shields, Dundrum; Sr Attracta Devlin; Oliver McConnon, Barnmeen
Sun 25th Apr 9.00am CABRA:	Shane Gribben, Ballyweely Road; Edward & Mary Gribben, Ballykeel
Sun 25th Apr 11.30am BALLYMAGHERY:	Margaret & Stephen Fitzpatrick, Fegans Gardens
RECENTLY DECEASED	Angela Downey, Hilltown
Mon 26th Apr 9.00am BALLYMAGHERY:	
Tues 27th Apr 9.00am BALLYMAGHERY:	
Wed 28th Apr 9.00am BALLYGORIAN:	
Thur 29th Apr 9.00am BALLYMAGHERY:	
Fri 30th Apr 9.00am BALLYMAGHERY:	
Sat 1st May 6.00pm BALLYMAGHERY:	Pat & Lena McAvoy, Yellow Road; Pat & Mary Rose Fitzpatrick, Yellow Road; Christina McNally, Spelga Park
Sun 2nd May 9.00am CABRA:	MM Sally Gribben, Kinghill; Eugene Ward, Convent Road
Sun 2nd May 11.30am BALLYMAGHERY:	Rose McPolin, Bryansford Road; Maureen & Patrick Cowan, Rathfriland Road; John Darby, Dromore; Annie McShane, Spelga Park

Eucharistic Ministers	
Sat 24th April: Marie Murray	Sat 1st May: Geraldine Smyth
Sun 25th April: Ursula Murphy	Sun 2nd May: P J Quinn

Readers	
Sat 24th April 6.00pm: Tracy Lively	Sat 1st May: Elaine McGreevy
Sun 25th April 11.30am: P J Quinn	Sun 2nd May: Diane Maginn

EUCCHARISTIC MINISTERS	
Sun 25th April 9. am: Eoghan McAlinden	Sun 25th April 9.am: Roisin McAlinden
Sun 2nd May 9am: Lisa Gribben	Sun 2nd May 9am: Madeleine McAlinden

St Joseph's Young Priests Society rejoices in the special dedication of this year to St. Joseph by his Holiness Pope Francis. Please continue to pray for vocations to the priesthood and religious life. St. Joseph pray for us.

PARISH OF CLONDUFF

SUNDAY 25th APRIL 2021
FOURTH SUNDAY OF EASTER
(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



PLEASE NOTE In light of the current situation with the Coronavirus, I will not be visiting the sick and housebound, but if someone wishes to have a visit ring my mobile 07764941606. Thank you for your understanding as we try to keep safe at this difficult time. Fr. *Conor Byrne*

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, Castlewelan Road on Sunday 9am to 12 noon and Monday 9am to 12noon.

Thanks for your generous support last week £1,247.00.
Trocaire Collection to date: £5,076.08

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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.

Today also known as Good Shepherd Sunday a day of Special Prayer for Vocations to the work of service in the Church. Christ the good shepherd who has given his life for his sheep. He is the one shepherd of one flock. He has laid down his life for all.