The Knights of Columbanus, Warrenpoint are providing bottles of Easter Water which will be available in St. John's Ballymaghery & St. Mary's Cabra after the Easter Masses.

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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.

CABRA EUCHARISTIC MINISTERS	
Sun 28th 9.00am: Darragh McAlinden	**Holy Thursday 7.30pm:** Brian McAlinden
Good Friday 7.30pm: Jerome Lynch	**Easter Sunday 9.00am:** Geraldine McPolin

RECENTLY BAPTISED – We welcome into our faith community **Meithimh Clara Nic Ruairi** daughter of Conan and Michelle and **Ciaran Connor Devlin** son of Dane and Sabrina

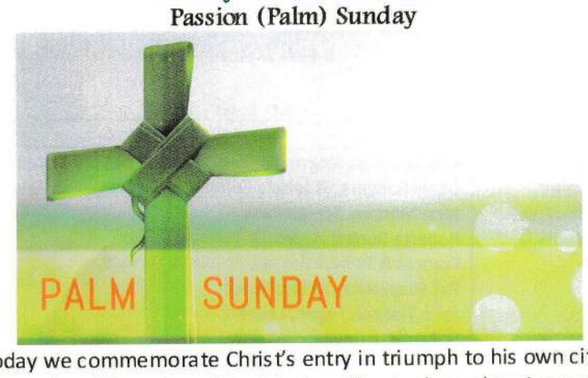
DAISY HILL HOSPITAL CHAPLAINCY: Chaplaincy support (both routine visits and urgent calls) remains available for patients and staff in our hospital by designated hospital chaplains. If you are aware of anyone in hospital, please ask them to say **"Yes"** when asked by the nursing staff if they would like 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.

Trócaire's Lenten Campaign for 2021 tells the stories of two families in South Sudan whose lives have been impacted by conflict. Awut and Ajak are shining examples of resilience, friendship and solidarity. This Lent we hear not only about the enormous challenges they have faced, but also about how they support each other through these challenges. This year, the Lent campaign is part of UK Aid Match, meaning public donations* given up to 16th May 2021 will be doubled by the UK government, up to £2m. Furthermore, if a donor signs up for a monthly gift, or increases their monthly gift, before the 16th of May 2021, up to three of their instalments will be matched! We will be able to support thousands of people in South Sudan to grow enough food to feed their families.

Don't' forget that donations will only be matched up until the 16th May.

Clonduff Parish Newsletter

Sunday 28th March 2021
Passion (Palm) Sunday



Today we commemorate Christ's entry in triumph to his own city, to complete his work as Messiah: to suffer, to die and to rise again. Dying he destroyed our death, rising he restored our life.

STATIONS OF THE CROSS AND BENEDICTION
on Sunday at 5pm in Ballymaghery

Re-opening of Churches for public worship.

Following ongoing consultation between representatives of the Churches, the Executive Office and our public health authorities, and in light of the most recent review of lockdown provisions by the NI Executive, the Northern Catholic Bishops are pleased to announce that, where possible, there can be a cautious return to public worship for the faithful from Friday 26th March.

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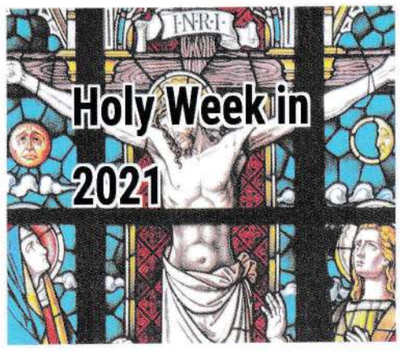
Fr C Byrne Tel (028) 40630206 or 07764941606 or email cbyrne26@icloud.com

ANNIVERSARIES: BALLYMAGHERY, CABRA & DRUMGATH	
Sat 27th Mar 6.00pm BALLYMAGHERY:	Ambrose, Michael & Martin Walls, Goward; Joe & Mary Catherine Branagan, Spelga Park; Jean McPolin, Bryansford Road; Gerard McGaw, Kilkeel Road; Patrick, Florrie & Patsy McGaw, Kennedy Drive; Brendan & Kathleen Murray & Kathleen & Annie Murray, Castlewellan Road; Sean Fegan, Bryansford Road; Canon Pat McAnuff; Thomas, Mary & Evan McGlade & Deceased Family, Ballydoo Road; Gerard Devlin, Barnmeen; Hugh & Mary Fitzpatrick, Barnmeen
Sun 28th Mar 9.00am	**CABRA:**
Sun 28th Mar 11.30am BALLYMAGHERY:	**MM Bronagh Murray, Kilkeel Road;** Denis Rodgers, St John's Terrace; Joan Morgan, Spelga Park; Roberta Russell, St John's Terrace; Frances & Robert Russell, St John's Terrace; Pat Fitzpatrick, Yellow Road; John Thomas Fegan, Leitrim; Sr Attracta Devlin; Bernard Travers & Deceased Family, Cabra; Deceased members of the Maginnis Family, Islandmoyle; Patrick & Bridget McArdle, Rathfriland
Mon 29th Mar 9.00am	**BALLYMAGHERY: Webcam only**
Tues 30th Mar 9.00am	**BALLYMAGHERY: Webcam only**
Wed 31st Mar 9.00am	**BALLYMAGHERY:**
Thur 1st Apr 7.30pm	**BALLYMAGHERY: Holy Thursday Mass of the Lord's Supper**
Thur 1st Apr 7.30pm	**CABRA: Holy Thursday Mass of the Lord's Supper**
Fri 2nd Apr 3.00pm BALLYMAGHERY:	**Stations of the Cross. Webcam only** **7.30pm: Good Friday Evening Celebration of the Lord's Passion**
Fri 2nd Apr 7.30pm	**Good Friday Evening Celebration of the Lord's Passion**
Sat 3rd Apr 6.00pm	**BALLYMAGHERY:**
Sun 4th Apr 9.00am CABRA:	Mary McPolin, Ballyweeley Road; Barney Morgan, Lenish
Sun 4th Apr 11.30am BALLYMAGHERY:	Sean Murray, Castlewellan Road; Malachy McCartan, Slievenagarragh; John, Violet & Mary P Quinn, Newry Road; Sarah McGeown, Barnmeen

Stations of the Cross and Benediction on Sunday at 5pm

PARISH OF CLONDUFF

SUNDAY 28th MARCH 2021
PASSION (PALM) SUNDAY
(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 Charles 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, Castlewellan Road on Sunday 9am to 12 noon and Monday 9am to 12noon.**
Thanks for your support last week £1,170.00

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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.

The New Parish Envelopes are now available for collection in the Parish Meeting Rooms

Readers 27th – 28th March	Readers Holy Week
6pm: Sinead & Maebh McPolin **Passion Narrator:** Jolene Morgan & Sinead McPolin **11.30am:** Geraldine Smith **Passion Narrator:** Marie Cowan & Nuala Smith	**Holy Thursday 7.30pm** Maria Murray **Good Friday 7.30pm** Teresa Carr **Passion Narrator** Maria Wilson & Emma McGreevey **Easter Vigil 6.00pm** Niohmi Murray **Epistle** Aoife Murray

CABRA READERS	
Sunday 28th March 9.00am Helen McAleavey & Angela Gribben **Sunday 28th March 9.00am**	**Holy Thursday 7.30pm:** Gail Kane **Good Friday 7.30pm** Sheila Gribben & Kate Woods **Easter Sunday 9.00am** Maria McPolin

New Webcam Details:- Website: www.clonduffparish.com alternatively www.churchmedia.tv