



Chapel cleaners for Ballymaghery in February are Maura Quinn, Maureen Rooney, Geraldine Murphy, Patricia Grant, Frances Rooney, Colette McAteer, Elaine McGinn and Susie Brannigan



PRAYER TO OUR LADY

Take my hand Oh Blessed Mother
Hold me firm less I fall
I am nervous when I'm walking and to thee I humbly call
Guide me over every crossing
Watch me when I'm on the stairs
Let me know when you are beside me
Listen to my favourite prayers
Bring me to my destination safely everyday
Help me with each undertaking as the hours pass away
When evening falls upon us and I fear to be alone
Take my hand Oh Blessed Mother once again
and lead me home



Youth Opportunity – Are you 16 years old, plus, have you considered signing up for the **Pope John Paul II Award** – a great way to meet like minded people, to grow in faith, help others – to make a difference. It will open doors of opportunity, World Youth Day to Portugal 2023, our own home Pilgrimages, Croagh Patrick's, volunteer at Knock and much more.

For more information email Frances at youthdirector@dromorediocese.org
We have similar opportunities for past and present JP2 participants and for young adults 18 – 25 years old – Leadership, peer mentoring, social actions projects, prayer together and much more guided by your own ideas - register your interest via email above.

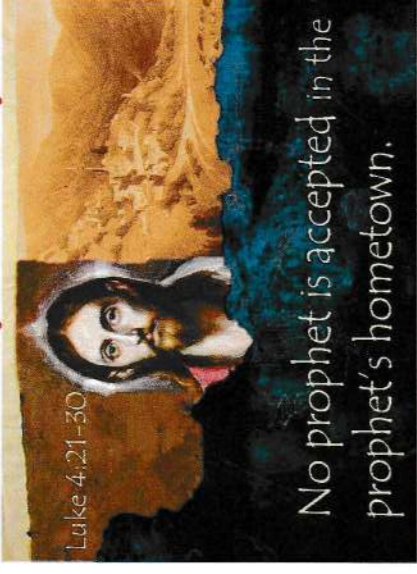
RECENTLY BAPTISED – We welcome into our faith community **Nainsi Fae Brown** daughter of Padraig and Sinead and **Pippa Pearl Lively** daughter of Paul and Caoimhe

Brigid storytelling evening - Come along to a night of interweaving song, poetry and story with Liz Weir - Irish Storyteller and friends. Everyone welcome both women and men. Monday 31st January in **Rathfriland Parish Centre**. Tea and buns from 6.45pm. Start at 7pm to 8.30pm. Cost £5 payable on the evening. For catering purposes please call **075 4086 6986** and book your place on or before Sunday 30th January please.

St Brigid cross-making - Come along and make your St Brigid's cross in **Hilltown INF Hall** on Tuesday morning with the expert guidance of local crafter Heather McDermott. Everyone welcome to this free event, both women and men from 10am to 12pm. Hall Committee serving tea/coffee and buns/shortbread for cost of £2. To ensure there are enough materials for crosses please call **075 4086 6986** and book your place on or before Sunday 30th January please.

Clonduff Parish Newsletter

Sunday 30th January 2022
Fourth Sunday in Ordinary Time



Luke 4:21-30

No prophet is accepted in the prophet's hometown.

Like Elijah and Elisha, Jesus was not sent to the Jews only.
Luke. 4: 21-30



Ordination to the Permanent Diaconate

Gerry McBrien, Parish of Banbridge and Brendan McAllister, Parish of Newry will be Ordained Deacons for the Diocese of Dromore today Sunday 30th January 2022 at 2.00pm in St. Patrick's Cathedral, Armagh.
Gerry McBrien in preparation for his Ordination has been helping out in our Parish during the past year.
We keep Gerry & Brendan, and their families in our prayers and we pray that the Lord may bless and guide them in their future ministries.
Due to current restrictions the numbers in St Patrick's Cathedral will be Restricted, the Ordination Ceremony can be viewed on <https://armaghparish.net/cathedral-webcam/>

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

Sat 29th Jan 6pm BALLYMAGHERY	ANNIVERSARIES: BALLYMAGHERY, BALLYGORIAN & CABRA James & Mary McGaw, Goward; Jim McAleenan, Yellow Road; Downey Family, Mayobridge; John & Elizabeth Fitzpatrick & Andrew & Winifred McGaw, Kilkeel Road; Rose O'Hanlon, Carquillan; Geraldine Larkin, Ardmore Park
Sun 30th Jan 9.00am	CABRA:
Sun 30th Jan 11.30am BALLYMAGHERY:	Martina Devlin & Mark Mooney, Hilltown; James, Susan & Martin Murphy, Shanlieve Court; Micheal McPolin, Bryansford Road
Mon 31st Jan 9.00am	BALLYMAGHERY:
Tues 1st Feb 9.00am BALLYMAGHERY:	St Brigid.
Wed 2nd Feb 9.00am	St Brigid's Crosses will be Blessed at this Mass
BALLYGORIAN:	The Presentation of the Lord
Thur 3rd Feb 9.00am BALLYMAGHERY:	Candles will be Blessed at this Mass
Fri 4th Feb 9.30am	St Blaise.
Fri 4th Feb 7.30pm	Throats will be Blessed at this Mass
Sat 5th Feb 6.00pm BALLYMAGHERY:	RATHERILAND: St Mary's. Mass
Sun 6th Feb 9.00am BALLYMAGHERY:	CABRA: John, Eddie & Cassie O'Hagan, Ballykeel Bessie & Barney Hugh Brannigan, Speiga Park; Leo Lowry, Clonduff
	CABRA: Harry & Maggie Kelly, Islandmoyle; Hugh, Bridget, John & Hugh Morgan Jr, Ballykeel; Lizzie O'Hanlon & Teresa O'Hare
	Johnny McAleavey, Leode Road



KNIGHTS OF ST COLUMBANUS

The Knights of St Columbanus will provide some St. Brigids Crosses in each of the Churches. The Crosses will then be blessed by the Priest. After Mass Parishioners are welcome to take the Crosses home and remind us of and to strengthen our faith. While these Crosses are Free to our Parishioners we would happily accept any voluntary donation to help us maintain our faith based work in the locality.



The Holy Rosary will be recited every Tuesday evening at 8.00pm in Ballymaghery.
All are welcome

PARISH OF CLONDUFF

SUNDAY 30th JANUARY 2022

FOURTH SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME

(Sunday Readings Cycle C – Weekday Readings Cycle 2)

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

Baptism Arrangements

First Sunday of the Month Ballymaghery 12.30pm
Third Sunday of the Month Cabra 12.30pm

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.

Parish Envelopes may be deposited through the Letter Box at the Parochial House, Castlewellan Road on Sunday 9am to 12 noon and Monday 9am to 12 noon.
Thanks for your generous support last week £2,044.52

The Parish of Clonduff

is registered with the Charity Commission for Northern Ireland NIC105046

Diocese of Dromore Safeguarding of Children, young people and vulnerable adults.
The Dromore Designated Person is: Patricia Carville 07789917741.
A copy of Dromore Diocesan "Safeguarding Policy and Procedures" is available for reference in the Parish Rooms.

Eucharistic Ministers Ballymaghery	
Sat 29 th Jan 6pm: Marian Farnon	Sat 5 th Feb 6pm: Marie Murray
Sun 30 th Jan 11.30am: Mary McGreevey	Sun 6 th Feb 11.30am: Gérard O'Hare
Readers	
Sat 29 th Jan 6pm: Jane Arthurs	Sat 5 th Feb 6pm: Rhianna McKenna
Sun 30 th Jan 11.30am: PJ Quinn	Sun 6 th Feb 11.30am: Tracy Lively

Eucharistic Ministers	
CABRA READERS	EUCCHARISTIC MINISTERS
Sun 30 th Jan: 9.00am: Eoghan McAlinden	Sun 30 th Jan 9.00am: Anne O'Hare
Sun 6 th Feb 9.00am: Helen McAleavey	Sun 6 th Feb 9.00am: Roisin McAlinden