

## PARISH OF DROMORE

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### Third Sunday of Advent

Masses and ceremonies are broadcast live on Facebook ([www.facebook.com/stcolmans](http://www.facebook.com/stcolmans))

#### Sunday masses

All Saints, Ballela: 9.45 am

St Colman's, Dromore: 11.00 am

#### Weekday masses

**Tues** – 9.30am- St Colmans

**Thurs** –No Mass – All Saints

**Fri** – 9.30am – St Colmans

**Sat** – 10am Mass, & Exposition – St Colmans

Liturgy of the word/ Rosary in St Colman's:

**Mon, Wed & Thurs** 9.30am

#### Christmas Mass Times

**Sun 24 Dec (4<sup>th</sup> Sunday of Advent)**

morning masses as normal

#### Christmas Eve

St Colmans – 6pm

All Saints – 8pm

#### Christmas Day

All Saints - 9.45am

St Colmans – 11am

#### Ballela Anniversaries

**Sun 17:** None

**Sun 24:** Hugh Doyle

**Christmas Eve:** Andy & Oliver McAleenan

#### Dromore Anniversaries

**Sun 17:** Kevin Mallon

Cathal McCrory (Months Mind)

Jack Campbell (Months Mind)

**Fri 22:** Ann Cappa

**Sun 24:** John Aherne

**Christmas Eve:** Oliver McAleenan

#### Offertory promise Collection - £629.75

#### Recently Baptised

Caden William Luck

Ewan Henry Luck

#### Recently Deceased

Patsy McGivern, Aghnacloy Rd, Katesbridge.

### 17<sup>th</sup> December 2023

**Ballela G.A.C. Lotto – Jackpot £2550**

**Fri 8<sup>th</sup> Dec: 2 8 12 14**

**No Winners**

#### St Vincent De Paul Society

#### Annual Christmas appeal collection

Donations also accepted this weekend. By supporting our appeal with a donation today you can help a family through this winter. You can also donate by phone by calling 02890750161 the call agent will ask every donor where they would like their donation to be used. You can go onto their website: [svp.ie/svp-ni.co.uk](http://svp.ie/svp-ni.co.uk)

#### Dromore Historical Society

The Society is pleased to announce the formal launch of its latest Journal. The Journal has a wide range of articles on topics of local relevance and would make an ideal Christmas present for the interested reader. Articles include 50 years of Moyraverty Parish; the History of Glenvale Convent; the Dougher Graveyard, Lurgan; Old Killeavy; Tony O'Carroll, a Newry Airman; Catholicism, Nationalism and WW1 in Lurgan, and St Colman's College in the 1901 & 1911 Census. **Priced £15 (or £25 for 2 copies)**, the Journal is available from Parish Office.

#### Christmas Whist

Many thanks to all who donated to our Christmas Whist, John Gamble, R&B Heslip, Lurgan Veterinary Clinic, R&J Lyness, Nearby, John Rooney Meats, Supervalu & The Market Bar.

#### Diocesan Youth Ministry

**Pilgrimage to Lourdes for young people** (18 – 25 year olds) Tuesday to Sunday 6<sup>th</sup>-11<sup>th</sup> August 2024.

If interested forward your name and mobile number to [youthdirector@dromorediocese.org](mailto:youthdirector@dromorediocese.org). **This will be a great opportunity to experience Lourdes and grow in faith through a shared experience with like-minded people.**