

## PARISH OF DROMORE

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### St Patrick's Day

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 Colman's

**Thurs** – 7.30pm -No Mass

**Fri** – No Mass (First Confessions)

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

#### Ballela Anniversaries

**Sun 17:** Patrick, Mary Rose, & Patrick Doyle Jnr  
Kilkinamurry.

**Sun 24:** Jimmy Devlin

#### Dromore Anniversaries

**Sun 17:** Sadie Glasgow, Brigid Mooney &  
Patrick Logue; Patsy McGreevy  
Philomena & Francie McCrory  
Patricia McCann; Laurence McDonald

**Sun 24:** None

**Offertory promise Collection** - £925.75

#### Recently Deceased

Sister Mary McCusker, Sisters of Mercy Convent,  
Catherine Street, Newry, Formally of Ballela.

#### First Confessions

Friday 22 March at 11.00am in St Colman's,  
Dromore. Please keep the P4 children in your  
prayers.

#### Penitential Service, Friday 22<sup>nd</sup> March

At 7.00pm in St Patrick's Magheralin. All welcome

#### St Clare's Convent Glenvale

**SOLITUDE SATURDAY: 23<sup>rd</sup> March 2024**

Take some time for yourself in the surroundings of  
St. Clare's Convent Glenvale to refresh mind and  
body. The day begins at 10am and ends at 3.30pm.  
Refreshments and a light lunch included. Suggested  
donation £20 Places limited so early booking  
essential. CONTACT: 02830832828

### 17<sup>th</sup> March 2024

#### Ballela G.A.C Lotto

**Fri 23<sup>rd</sup> Feb:** 9 15 22 24 – No winners

**Fri 1<sup>st</sup> March:** 2 12 23 24 – No Winners

**Fri 8<sup>th</sup> March:** 13 17 19 23 – No Winners

#### Offertory Promise Envelopes

Are available today at the back of both churches, if  
you give a regular donation into the Sunday collection  
and would like to have a box of envelopes, please fill  
in the green form at the back of the church and leave  
at the Parochial house or with the parish priest or  
parish secretary. Parishioners who had boxes  
numbered **211 to 220** will find they have been  
reallocated new numbers, these will now be found at  
the start of the offertory promise envelopes.

#### Prayer For Lent

"In this Season of Lent, we Christians prepare for the  
celebration of the Paschal Mystery of Christ's Death  
and Resurrection, as Muslims prepare for the Season  
of Ramadan and Jews prepare for the celebration of  
Passover. We urge people to continue praying and  
fasting for the intention of peace. In praying for  
peace in the land of Jesus Christ, the Prince of Peace,  
we remember in a special way the small but vibrant  
Christian communities in Palestine. An ideal way of  
showing solidarity is to support Trócaire's Gaza  
appeal on <https://www.trocaire.org>."

Let us continue to pray for peace in the Holy Land.

#### Holy Week ceremonies

##### Holy Thursday of the Lord's Supper

6.00pm St Colman's

7.30pm Ballela

##### Good Friday of the Lord's Passion

3.00pm Stations, Dromore and Ballela

7.30pm St Colman's; Veneration of the Cross

##### Holy Saturday of the Lord's Vigil

8.00pm St Colman's Dromore