

PARISH OF DROMORE

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Twentieth Sunday in Ordinary time

18th Aug 2024

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

Sunday masses

All Saints, Ballela: 9.45am

St Colman's, Dromore: 11.00am

Weekday masses

Tues – 9.30am – St Colman's

Thurs – 7.00pm – All Saints

Fri – 9.30am – St Colman's

Sat – 10am – St Colman's (Mass & Exposition)

Ballela Anniversaries

Sun 18: None

Thurs 22: Seamus Cunningham
Brian McMullan

Sun 25: Willie, Sarah, Hugh & Sean Lavery
Bernard, Mary, Frank & Barney McAnarney

Dromore Anniversaries

Sun 18: Patrick & Bridget Johnson
James McGuigan

Sun 25: Gerard & Maura Eadie
Geraldine Doyle
Ann Topley

Recently Baptised

Róibín Rós Auld

Iona Nancy Hutchinson

Offertory promise Collection - £964.70

Our Lady Queen of Peace Drumnavaddy Chapel Centenary Celebrations

Sunday 18th August at **3.00pm** will be a special centenary mass in the chapel (please note the change of time).

Pope's Collection Sun 18th Aug

These offerings to the Holy Father are devoted to the needs of the Church in impoverished dioceses worldwide, to humanitarian initiatives and to social promotion projects, as well as to the support of the Holy See. The Pope, as pastor of the universal Church, is attentive to the needs of poor dioceses, religious institutes and those in difficulty.

Ballela G.A.C. Tractor & Vehicle Run

Fri 30th August 6.30pm in Ballela playing fields

Static show, Family night

£10 entry fee for Tractors & Cars

Burgers, Tuck shop, refreshments & children's activities. Mothers & Others race and Dads & Lads.

Guided tours of Newry cathedral

The last guided tour of Newry Cathedral is on

Wednesday 21st August at 6.45pm

Each tour will take approximately 90 mins. Please meet at the main door, you will hear the story of the building from 1825-1829 and of the later extensions, the history of its stained glass, marble altars, sculptures and mosaics. There is no charge for tours.

Weekend Retreat for Mission Supporters and

Friends of SMA

Friday 27th (4.30pm) – Sunday 29th Sept (2.00pm)

The SMA community welcomes our Supporters and friends to this **Weekend Retreat and Reflection**, which will be an opportunity to take time aside in the tranquil and relaxed setting of Dromantine.

All will join in celebrating Mass each day at the Novena in honour of St. Thérèse.

The Sacrament of Reconciliation and the Sacrament of the Sick will be celebrated during the weekend.

Sacrament of Penance, First Communion & Confirmation- Pupils in P4 & P7 Sept 2024

Parents of children attending schools other than the parish or neighbouring Catholic schools who wish to have their children prepared for these sacraments are requested to inform Fr Magennis as soon as possible to ensure they are included in the Grow in Love programme which starts in September.