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Third Sunday of Advent

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

Sunday masses

All Saints, Ballela: 9.45am

St Colmans, 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

Christmas Mass Times

Christmas Eve	<u>Christmas Day</u>
St Colmans – 6pm	All Saints – 9.45am
All Saints – 8pm	St Colmans – 11am

Ballela Anniversaries

Sun 15: None

Sun 22: Patrick & Sarah Burns

Deceased members of the McCullough family

Tues 24: Andy & Oliver McAleenan

Dromore Anniversaries

Sun 15: None

Sun 22: Jim & Ann MacKeever MM

John Ahern **Tues 24:** Kevin Mallon

Recently Deceased

Offertory promise Collection - £788.50

Dr Sean Bradley, formerly Preston England.

Grow in Love Sunday

In both churches on Sunday 15th December. Children's Liturgy in Ballela at 9.45am

Christmas Coffee Morning

Ballela Community group are hosting a Christmas Coffee Morning on **Sunday 15th December** after 9.45am mass in Ballela until 12.30am, there will be Christmas crafts for the kids to make and Santa will be there with gifts for all the children, enjoy delicious homemade scones, traybakes and treats for everyone. Admission is £2.50 each.

15th December 2024

Ballela G.A.C. Lotto 6th Dec: 4 10 15 18 No winners

Jubilee Year 2025

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Pope Francis has proclaimed 2025 to be a Holy Year that begins on the Feast of the Holy Family (Sun 29 December). Archbishop Martin invites representatives of each parish to join him for an inaugural mass on Saturday 28 December at 6.00pm in Newry Cathedral. Pope Francis writes, "For all of us, may the Jubilee be an opportunity to be renewed in hope. God's word helps us to find reasons for that hope [as] the Apostle Paul wished to communicate to the Christians in Rome: 'Hope does not disappoint' (Rom 5:5)".



Southern Area Hospice Christmas gift certificates

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Christmas Bingo & Hamper Draw

Lourdes committee are having Christmas bingo in Annaclone hall on **Sunday 15th December** at 3pm. Draw will also take place for a Christmas hamper worth £125, tickets £1 each from committee members.

Childrens' Christmas Crib Service

The Children's Liturgy Group are holding a Crib Service on Sunday 22nd December in All Saints church, Ballela at 3.00pm