

PARISH OF DROMORE

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Fourth 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 - No mass

Thurs – 7.00pm – No Mass

Fri – 9.30am – St Colman's

Sat – 10am – St Colman's

Christmas Mass Times

Christmas Eve

Tuesday 24th

St Colmans – 6pm

All Saints – 8pm

Christmas Day

Wednesday 25th

All Saints – 9.45am

St Colmans – 11am

Ballela Anniversaries

Sun 22: Patrick & Sarah Burns

Deceased members of the McCullough family

Tues 24: Andy & Oliver McAleenan

Sun 29: Hugh Doyle

Dromore Anniversaries

Sun 22: Jim & Ann MacKeever MM

John Ahern

Tues 24: Kevin Mallon

Oliver McAleenan

Sun 29: Dominic McClure

Offertory promise Collection - £739.10

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

St Vincent de Paul

Would like to thank everyone for their generous support throughout the year, especially around Christmas time. Your generosity has helped many families who would be struggling at this time of the year. We wish you all the blessings of the Christmas season and a Happy New Year.

22nd December 2024

Ballela G.A.C.

Light Up Ballela Vehicle Run

Fri 27th Dec Registration 2.30pm, Run starts at 5pm

Also Kids mini-Tractor run, disco area, games and a prize for best lit mini vehicle(Tractor/scooter/bike etc)

Hot chocolate & Mulled Wine, Burgers & Hot Dogs, Raffle & Tuck Shop

Jubilee Year 2025

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, "We... by virtue of the hope in which we were saved, can view the passage of time with the certainty that the history of humanity and our own individual history are not doomed to a dead end or a dark abyss, but directed to an encounter with the Lord of glory. As a result, we live our lives in expectation of his return and in the hope of living forever in him. In this spirit, we make our own the heartfelt prayer of the first Christians with which sacred Scripture ends: 'Come, Lord Jesus!' (Rev 22:20)". (*Spes non confundit*, 19)

**WITH THANKS FOR YOUR SUPPORT
AND GENEROSITY,
WITH HOPE-FILLED PRAYERS FOR THE
YEAR AHEAD,**

**A HAPPY AND HOLY CHRISTMAS
TO ALL OUR PARISHIONERS**

The Lourdes Committee

Thanks for the support at the recent bingo held in Annaclone and for the support for the hamper draw The winner was Paul Carothers from Dromore.