

PARISH OF DROMORE

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The Baptism of The Lord

12th January 2025

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 – No Mass

Thurs – No Mass

Fri – No Mass

Sat – No Mass

Ballela Anniversaries

Sun 12: None

Sun 19: None

Dromore Anniversaries

Sun 12: Francis Hamilton

Sun 19: None

Offertory promise Collection - £652.00

Young At Heart Group

Free 6-week Yoga classes in Annaclone P.S, starts Mon 13th Jan at 7pm. suitable for beginners.

The group are considering holding Whist nights on Friday nights in The Parish Rooms beside Annaclone Church, if interested contact Eileen McClory: 07749010663.

DROMORE DIOCESAN HISTORICAL SOCIETY

Monday 20TH JANUARY 2025: at 7:30pm in Banbridge Parish Centre

To mark the Jubilee Year 2025 "Pilgrims of Hope" the Society's first event of its new programme is a talk by James Doran entitled "Journey to God through Rome: the shaping of the 'modern' Jubilee Year experience". All welcome

Grow in love - Sun 19th Jan 2025

Our next Grow in Love Sunday is Sun 19th Jan in both churches. Our next Childrens Liturgy will also be held on Sun 19th Jan in All Saints Ballela.

Tea and Chat

There will be tea and chat in St Colmans hall Dromore on Sun 19th Jan after mass. All Welcome.

Eucharistic Procession - Sat Feb 1st 2025

Come follow me I am the way the truth and the life. The Eucharistic Procession will take place on Sat 1st February at 1pm at St Columba's, Long Tower chapel, Derry.

Derry -Medjugorie processions will be united at the same time.

Irish Men's Rosary

Saturday 1st February at 12 noon outside Guildhall Derry.

Immediately afterwards we will walk to St Columba's Long Tower Chapel (10 minutes) along with our families and join the Eucharistic Procession through the streets of Derry and back to the Guildhall. Organized by the Grey Friars.

Last year's Eucharistic Procession through Derry was the first of it's kind in over 400 years and it was a very powerful spiritual occasion and great public witness to our Catholic faith.

Let us try and make the 2025 Eucharistic Procession much bigger.

Jubilee Year 2025

What is a Jubilee Year?

In the Catholic Church, a Jubilee or Holy Year is a special year of forgiveness and reconciliation, in which people are invited to come back into right relationship with God, with one another, and with all of creation.

How often is a Jubilee Year?

A Jubilee Year is celebrated by the Church every 25 years. This has been the case since 1470, when Pope Paul II changed it from every 50 years.

What is the theme of the Jubilee Year in 2025?

The theme is "Pilgrims of Hope". Pope Francis has invited Catholics to renew our hope and discover a vision that can "restore access to the fruits of the earth to everyone". We are also invited to rediscover a spirituality of God's creation in which we understand ourselves as "pilgrims on the earth" rather than masters of the world.