

## PARISH OF DROMORE

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### Twenty Second Sunday in Ordinary Time

#### Sunday masses

All Saints, Ballela: 9.45am

St Colmans, Dromore: 11.00am

#### Weekday Mass Times

Fr Magennis is on leave. Masses on Sunday 7<sup>th</sup> September at usual times.

**Tues – No Mass**

**Thurs – 7.00pm All Saints**

**Fri – 9.30am St Colmans**

**Sat – No Mass**

#### Ballela Anniversaries

**Sun 31:** Bernard, Mary, Frank & Barney McAnarney

**Sun 7:** None

#### Dromore Anniversaries

**Sun 31:** Bernadette Mackin

Dessie & Sheila McDonnell

The McMullan Family

**Sun 7:** None

#### Offertory promise Collection - £827.50

#### Carlo Acutis Canonization celebration

##### Sunday 7<sup>th</sup> September

On **Sunday 7<sup>th</sup> Sept** Carlo Acutis will be Canonized a Saint – Carlo is a great role model for our young people. Please join us – you and your family and all doing the JP2 Award At 5.30 pm Mass in Newry Cathedral. We welcome help with music and prayers – join us at 4 pm – otherwise to be guaranteed a seat – join us at 5.15 pm If you attended and participated in the VAKS programme please wear your T Shirt – ice cream available afterwards – coffee and tray bakes too. Everyone welcome.

#### Celebrating Carlo Acutis canonization in our church

Prayer cards will be available in the church porch next week for our parishioners to celebrate the canonization of Carlos Acutis. Please take one.

### 31<sup>st</sup> August 2025

#### Ballela G.A.C. Lotto

**22<sup>nd</sup> Aug: 9 10 22 23**

**No winner's**

Next week's Jackpot £3700

#### Pilgrimage to Medjugorie

2025 Year of the Pilgrim – 7 night fully escorted pilgrimage to Medjugorje 9<sup>th</sup> – 16<sup>th</sup> October 2025 Staying close to St. James' Church – Fare €855, Led by Fr. John Brown SMA as Spiritual Director, Phone Marie for further details Tel: 07865299692 or e-mail [mariedowney204@yahoo.co.uk](mailto:mariedowney204@yahoo.co.uk)

#### Memorial Mass - Banbridge

Archbishop Eamon Martin will preside at a Mass in memory of **Fr Joseph Monaghan** being celebrated in **St Patrick's Church, Banbridge** on **Sunday 31<sup>st</sup> August at 3pm.**

Fr Monaghan was a native of Scarva Street, Banbridge. He became a Columban priest and a missionary in the Philippines. He was killed in 1945, while being held captive by Japanese forces in Manila. This occasion has been planned to recall and honour his life, his service and his sacrifice, in the eightieth anniversary year of his death. Any Dromore parishioner interested in Fr Monaghan's story would be warmly welcome to the Mass.

#### Sacrament of Penance, First Communion & Confirmation- Pupils in P4 & P7 Sept 2025

Parents of children attending schools other than the parish or neighboring 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.