

PARISH OF DROMORE

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Fifth Sunday of Easter

Sunday masses

All Saints, Ballela: 9.45am

St Colman's, Dromore: 11.00am

Tues- 9.30am St Colman's

Thurs – 7pm All Saints

Fri – 9.30am St Colman's

Sat – 10am Mass, Confessions and Exposition, St Colman's

Ballela Anniversaries

Sun 3: James, Rose & John Savage (Loughinisland)
Barney Doyle

Sun10: Pat Kelly
Jimmy Cosgrave

Dromore Anniversaries

Sun 3: Sarah Tugwell (nee McCrory)
Elizabeth & Malachy Gribbin

Sun 10: None

Offertory promise Collection - €912.50

Trócaire

All Trócaire money has now been sent off.

Total raised: £4,492.52.

A tremendous Thank You to everyone who supported Trócaire this year.

Lourdes mass

The Lourdes Committee invites you to a mass in Ballela on **Friday 8th May at 7.30pm** in preparation for our annual pilgrimage. Refreshment will be served in the school afterwards. Everyone welcome.

Cemetery Blessings

Dromore - Sunday 14th June 2pm

Ballela - Sunday 21st June 2pm

3rd May 2026

Ballela G.A.C Lotto

24th April: 6 8 22 30

£10 winner: Owen McGreevy

Next week's Jackpot £5250

Underage Teams Fundraiser

All our underage teams will be taking part in a sponsored walk on Sunday 7th June. Starting 1.30pm at Ballela pitch, refreshments afterwards, they are raising money to buy 1 sq meter of 3G grass for our ball wall.

Well done to our U15 Camog's who have been selected by Down County Board to play in the National Féile on Saturday 20th June. Best of luck to the team and management. They will be doing the sponsored walk to raise money for the Camogie Féile.

Lourdes Annual church gate Collection

will take place on **Sunday 10th May**.

Our annual pilgrimage will take place from the 15th-20th May to Lourdes. We will carry with us the intentions of those of the parish. We will have a petition box available at the back of the chapel for those who wish their intentions to be brought with us. We would ask that you do not put money in envelopes with petitions. During our pilgrimage we will light a Parish candle and remember the intentions of those at home within our parish.

The Dromore Diocese Youth

in partnership with Knock shrine are offering young people 15 to 17 year old the opportunity to volunteer over the summer – dates available are 26th to 28th June and 24th to 26th July – this is a 3 day experience that offers the opportunity for all to make new friends, volunteer together, have lots of fun and grow in faith. All interested are invited with a parent/guardian to a meeting on **Friday 8th May** at 6.30 pm in Meeting Rooms, Dromore Road, Banbridge, beside St Patrick's Church.