

Parish Of Drumragh

16th January
Christian Unity Week
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Sacred Heart Church
St Mary's Church, Drumragh

Christian Unity Week

The Week of Prayer for Christian Unity in 2022 has been prepared by the churches of the Middle East, the history of which was, and still is, characterised by conflict and strife, tainted with blood and darkened by injustice and oppression. The Christians of the Middle East offer these resources conscious that the world shares many of the travails and much of the difficulties that it experiences, and yearns for a light to lead the way to the Saviour who is the light that overcomes darkness.

Serving the Gospel today requires a commitment to the human being, especially the poorest, the weakest and those marginalised. It requires from the churches transparency and accountability in dealing with the world, and with each other. This means churches need to co-operate to provide relief to the afflicted, to welcome the displaced, to relieve the burdened, and to build a just and honest society. This is a call for churches to work together so that young people can build a good future according to God's heart, a future in which all human beings can experience life, peace, justice, and love.



Sacred Heart Church Sunday Mass Times

Vigil : Saturday 6.00 pm
Sunday : 9.00 am, 11 am & 1.00 pm
Weekdays: 10am & 7.30pm
Wednesday : Eucharistic Adoration
after 10 am Mass

St Mary's Drumragh

Open Sundays from 1pm—4pm
for private prayer
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**No Confessions at present
due to Covid 19**

Emergency Number 07858776533 (Only to be used in case of emergency)

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Feasts of the Week
Mon 17th-St. Anthony, Abbot
Thurs 20th-St. Fabian, Pope & Martyr
& St. Sebastian, Martyr
Fri 21st- St. Agnes, Virgin & Martyr
Sat 22nd- St.Vincent, Deacon & Martyr

Please note email address for
St. Joseph's Hall—Please send book-
ing forms etc. to this address
sjh@drumraghparish.com
New Contact No 07926941321

Sacred Heart Church
7.30 pm Mass Intentions

Monday– 10am Katherine Linnane, 1st
Anniv./7.30pm Nora McAnulla MM
Tuesday-Frances Cunningham, MM
Wednesday–Pat Given, MM
Thursday-Aidan McGale, MM
Friday–Cathal Murray, 1st Anniv.

ST. JOSEPH'S HALL Committee are
appealing for new committee /
volunteer members. See contact details
above.

Recently Deceased

We pray for:
Frankie McElhatton
Eamon McClean
Eamon Glackin
May they rest in peace



“UNLOCKING THE MYSTERIES
OF THE BIBLE” with Jeff Cavins is an
eight-week programme being offered by
the Living Church Office (Down & Con-
nor Diocese). It is offered as a good op-
portunity for those interested in deepen-
ing their knowledge of their faith, under-
standing the bible and its timeline, and
learning how to approach reading it.

Monday Evening, 7.00pm,
starting Monday 17 January
To register, please complete an online
form [https://forms.office.com/r/](https://forms.office.com/r/g3FWFK5x8w)
[g3FWFK5x8w](https://forms.office.com/r/g3FWFK5x8w) or if you have any que-
ries email a.steen@downandconnor.org
Course participants will receive a re-
source pack and connect online for a time
of teaching, discussion and prayerful re-
flection.

Parish Draw

The Parish once again sincerely thanks
promoters and members for their loyal
commitment and dedication to this annu-
al fundraiser – your support is much ap-
preciated.

Promoters who were unable to register
last week can still do so by contacting
the Draw Committee on or before
Wednesday 27th January.

New promoters are always welcome.
Cards are available from Committee
members or by phoning the parish office
(028 8224 2092) between 9.00am -
12.30pm Monday, Tuesday and Friday
only.

The draws for January and February will
take place in early February depending
upon Covid regulations.

Thank you once again.

Crib Collection

Mr. Dominic Pinto KM has written to
thank parishioners for your generosity to
the Crib Collection which this Christmas
Season will be divided equally between
1) The Order of Malta Charities
(Bethlehem Hospital) and
2) the Order of Malta Ambulance Corp
(Omagh). Mr. Pinto acknowledges the
charitable works carried out by the Order
of Malta in Bethlehem and locally
throughout the pandemic of 2020 and
2021. He will pass a cheque for £509.37
to each. Total donated was £1018.74

Catholic Schools Week

Catholic Schools Week 2022 begins on Sunday 23rd January and continues until Sunday 30th January. The theme for this year is '**Catholic Schools: Living Life to the Full**'.

During Catholic Schools Week families, parishes and schools are invited to participate in a week of celebration of Catholic schools, reflecting on their contribution to the common good of society.

To launch Catholic Schools Week in our diocese, Mass will be celebrated by Bishop McKeown in Saint Eugene's Cathedral, Derry

on **Thursday 20th January at**

10.00am via the webcam

<http://www.steugenescathedral.com/webcam.html>

There is a national resource pack with ideas to help schools and parishes celebrate this week and this is available online at <https://www.catholicschools.ie/catholicsschoolsweek2022/>

Omagh Charismatic Prayer

Group invites you to join their weekly Zoom meeting on Thursday evenings at 6.30pm for Hymns, Prayers of thanksgiving, Scripture and Prayers of intercession. The meeting credentials are:

MEETING ID: 753 1929 5586

PASSCODE: PRAYER1

Do This In Memory 2022

The covid19 pandemic over the past two years has restricted us from offering the parish based *Do This In Memory* program for the year 4 pupils preparing for First Confession and First Holy Communion. This year the priests propose to offer a shortened version on-line through our parish webcam at certain parish Masses. To begin we invite all year 4 pupils in the parish and their families to log on to the 6.00pm Vigil Mass next Saturday evening (January 22) where supported by our teachers we will ask you as children, parents/guardians, and families to commit to praying and working together.

Home, school and parish are all essential elements in our life and faith journeys.

Celebration of the Sacraments in the Parish of Drumragh 2022

In September the following dates were agreed with the relevant school principals. The sacraments will take place on these dates pandemic permitting.

First Confessions

Tuesday 26th April 2022

6.00pm Saint Conor's PS

Wednesday 27th April 2022

6.00pm Holy Family PS

Thursday 28th April 2022

6.00pm All Saints' PS & Sacred Heart PS

First Holy Communion

Saturday 7th May 2022

12.00pm All Saints' PS, Tattysallagh

2.00pm Holy Family PS

Saturday 11th June 2022

12.00pm Sacred Heart PS, Tattyreagh

2.00pm St. Conor's PS

Sacrament of Confirmation

Tuesday 7th June 2022

5.00pm St. Conor's PS

Wednesday 8th June 2022

5.00pm Holy Family PS

Thursday 9th June 2022

5.00pm All Saints' PS, Tattysallagh & Sacred Heart PS, Tattyreagh

Northern Ireland Foster Care

With an increase in children and young people needing foster homes across Northern Ireland, we really need you now. Every child deserves to have a happy, loving and safe home where they'll feel cared for, valued and supported. It's always the right time for fostering.

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Baptisms in Drumragh Parish

Currently there are Baptisms in the Sacred Heart Church every Sunday at 3 pm. These can be booked through the Parish Office Mon/Tues/Fri from 9 am to 12.30 pm. We ask parishioners to please note that the numbers attending baptisms have had to be restricted to **12 people for each family** due to health and safety guidelines for the Covid 19 pandemic. We appeal to all parishioners to adhere to this guidance as the safety of all attending is of paramount importance.

Dún Uladh traditional music classes are back! From 18th January, online traditional music classes are back! With lessons for all ages and abilities available across tin whistle, flute, banjo, concertina and harp. For further information or to enrol please contact the centre on 028 8224 2777 or e-mail music@dunuladh.ie

Steve Cooney and Dermot Byrne live in concert at Dún Uladh! The legendary trad duo will take to the stage Saturday 26th February at 8:30pm. Earlybird tickets are available now for a special rate of £12 (standard £15) and can be purchased online at www.dunuladh.ie or reserved by calling 028 8224 2777. For further information on the event/upcoming concerts e-mail info@dunuladh.ie

St Joseph's Hall



CURRENTLY CLOSED DUE TO COVID RESTRICTIONS

For all enquiries about booking and access to St Joseph's Hall, please call new no 07926941321



Pioneers

07775810297

Al-Anon Family

9068 236

Alcoholics Anonymous

9035 1222

Aware

7126 0602

Care for Cancer

8224 6599

Drug Awareness

0800 776600

Gamblers Anonymous

7135 1329

The Samaritans

8224 4944

SVDP Thrift Shop

8225 2000

SVDP Helpline

07738837991

Accord Marriage Preparation Programme.



All Marriage Preparation programmes will be virtual interactive until further notice and can be booked with any centre as they take place via zoom. Booking now online at www.accord.ni.com (Limited to 15 couples per course)