

Parish of Newry

Sunday 18 February 2018
First Sunday of Lent

Like John the Baptist, Jesus preached repentance, in other words, revolution. The Greek word translated by 'repentance' is 'metanoia', which means literally 'a mental revolution', a change of mind and heart. The world has seen many revolutions, practically all of them violent. All violent revolutionaries become dictators on the day after the revolution, claiming to be safeguarding the revolution. Bitter experience shows us that the revolution serves the dictatorship, not the other way around. The seizing of power becomes an end in itself, rather than a means. Jesus' revolution was of a different order. He refused the way of power: "put down your sword," he told Peter.

Jesus was first in the desert, where he confronted the wild beasts and the demons. It was an example to all revolutionaries. They should first go into the desert of themselves and face their demons there; otherwise they will project them onto other people and try to destroy them by destroying people. Revolutions, like charity, should begin at home. Reformers should first reform themselves. The axe is laid to the root of the tree, said John the Baptist – my tree, not someone else's; my ego, not other people's.

Revolutions are nearly always against something or someone. That way, they draw on the energy of hatred, which is more easily accessible than the energy of love. But we do not become good by fighting evil (we would soon find ourselves using the same means as the enemy); we become good by doing good. Jesus did not say, Repent and destroy the class of people who are bad news. He said, "Repent, and believe the good news."

A revolution of love appears soft and ineffectual beside the other kind. But love is stronger than death. St Paul could write, "We are being killed all day long; we are accounted as sheep to be slaughtered.... In all these things we are more than conquerors through him who loved us. For I am convinced that neither death, nor life, nor angels, nor rulers, nor things present, nor things to come, nor powers, nor height, nor depth, nor anything else in all creation, will be able to separate us from the love of God in Christ Jesus our Lord" (Romans 8:36-39).

Fr Donagh O'Shea, O.P.,
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Mass Times

The Cathedral of SS. Patrick & Colman, Hill Street

Sunday Mass Times:
Saturday Vigil : 6.00pm
Sunday : 8.30am, 10.00am,
12 noon, & 5.30pm
Weekday Mass Times :
Monday to Friday 8.30am,
Monday to Saturday
10.30am.

St. Brigid's Church, Rooney's Meadow

Saturday Evening
(Vigil Mass) : 7.00pm
Sunday : 9.30am
(Po Polsku)
Friday : 7.00pm

St. Mary's Church, Chapel Street

Sunday : 9.00am
(Latin Mass) & 11.00am
Tuesday : 7.00pm

St. Catherine's Church, Dominican Priory, Dominic Street

Saturday Vigil : 7.30pm
Sunday : 8.00am, 9.30am,
11.00am & 12.15pm
Weekday Mass Times :
Monday to Saturday 7.30am,
11.00am & 7.30pm

Exposition of the Blessed Sacrament

Cathedral: Monday, Tuesday,
Wednesday, Friday & Saturday
9.00am – 11.00am.
Thursday 9.00am – 9.00pm
Sunday 1.00pm – 5.15pm.
St. Catherine's: Blessed
Sacrament Chapel each day
8.00am to 8.00pm.

CONTACT DETAILS FOR THE PARISH OFFICE

All Baptisms, Marriages and appointments may be arranged by calling the Parish Office. A Priest is available in the Parish Office from Monday to Friday 1.00pm – 2.00pm and in the evening by appointment.

OFFICE HOURS AND CONTACT NUMBER FOR PARISH OFFICE

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INTRODUCTORY RITES

Congregation stands

**Entrance Hymn or
Entrance Antiphon**

Cf. Is 90:15-16

All: **When he calls on me, I will answer him;
I will deliver him and give him glory,
I will grant him length of days.**

GREETING

Priest: In the name of the Father, and of the Son, and of the Holy Spirit.

All: **Amen**

Priest: Grace to you and peace from God our Father and the Lord Jesus Christ.

All: **And with your spirit.**

PENITENTIAL ACT

Priest: Brothers and sisters, let us acknowledge our sins, and so prepare ourselves to celebrate the sacred mysteries.

Priest: Lord Jesus, you are mighty God and Prince of peace:
Lord, have mercy. **Lord, have mercy.**

Priest: Lord Jesus, you are Son of God and Son of Mary:
Christ, have mercy. **Christ, have mercy.**

Priest: Lord Jesus, you are Word made flesh and splendour of the Father:
Lord, have mercy. **Lord, have mercy.**

Priest: May almighty God have mercy on us,
forgive us our sins,
and bring us to everlasting life.

All: **Amen.**

THE GLORIA

All: **Glory to God in the highest,
and on earth peace to people of good will.**

**We praise you, we bless you,
we adore you, we glorify you,
we give you thanks for your great glory,
Lord God, heavenly King,
O God, almighty Father.**

**Lord Jesus Christ, Only Begotten Son,
Lord God, Lamb of God, Son of the Father,
you take away the sins of the world,
have mercy on us;
you take away the sins of the world,
receive our prayer;
you are seated at the right hand of the Father,
have mercy on us.**

**For you alone are the Holy One, you alone are the
Lord, you alone are the Most High, Jesus Christ,
with the Holy Spirit, in the glory of God the Father.
Amen.**

THE COLLECT

Priest: Let us pray.

Pause for silent prayer

Priest: Grant, almighty God, through the yearly observances of holy Lent, that we may grow in understanding of the riches hidden in Christ and by worthy conduct pursue their effects. Through our Lord Jesus Christ, your Son, who lives and reigns with you in the unity of the Holy Spirit, one God, for ever and ever.

All: **Amen.**

THE LITURGY OF THE WORD

Congregation Sits

FIRST READING

A reading from the book of Genesis

9:8-15

God spoke to Noah and his sons, 'See, I establish my Covenant with you, and with your descendants after you; also with every living creature to be found with you, birds, cattle and every wild beast with you: everything that came out of the ark, everything that lives on the earth. I establish my Covenant with you: no thing of flesh shall be swept away again by the waters of the flood. There shall be no flood to destroy the earth again.'

God said, 'Here is the sign of the Covenant I make between myself and you and every living creature with you for all generations: I set my bow in the clouds and it shall be a sign of the Covenant between me and the earth. When I gather the clouds over the earth and the bow appears in the clouds, I will recall the Covenant between myself and you and every living creature of every kind. And so the waters shall never again become a flood to destroy all things of flesh.'

All: The word of the Lord
Thanks be to God.

RESPONSORIAL PSALM

Ps 24:4-9. R cf. v.10

**(R) Your ways, Lord, are faithfulness and love
for those who keep your covenant.**

1. Lord, make me know your ways.
Lord, teach me your paths.
Make me walk in your truth, and teach me:
for you are God my saviour. **(R)**
2. Remember your mercy, Lord,
and the love you have shown from of old.
In your love remember me,
because of your goodness, O Lord. **(R)**
3. The Lord is good and upright.
He shows the path to those who stray,
he guides the humble in the right path;
he teaches his way to the poor. **(R)**

SECOND READING

A reading from the first letter of St Peter

3:18-22

Christ himself, innocent though he was, died once for sins, died for the guilty, to lead us to God. In the body he was put to death, in the spirit he was raised to life, and, in the spirit, he went to preach to the spirits in prison. Now it was long ago, when Noah was still building that ark which saved only a small group of eight people 'by water', and when God was still waiting patiently, that these spirits refused to

believe. That water is a type of the baptism which saves you now, and which is not the washing off of physical dirt but a pledge made to God from a good conscience, through the resurrection of Jesus Christ, who has entered heaven and is at God's right hand, now that he has made the angels of the Dominations and Powers his subjects.

All: The word of the Lord.
Thanks be to God.

Congregation stands

ACCLAMATION **Mt 4:4**

All: Praise to you, O Christ, king of eternal glory!
Man does not live on bread alone, but on every word that comes from the mouth of God.
Praise to you, O Christ, king of eternal glory!

GOSPEL

Priest: The Lord be with you.
All: **And with your spirit.**
Priest: A reading from the holy Gospel according to Mark **1:12-15**
All: **Glory to you, O Lord.**

The Spirit drove Jesus out into the wilderness and he remained there for forty days, and was tempted by Satan. He was with the wild beasts, and the angels looked after him.

After John had been arrested, Jesus went into Galilee. There he proclaimed the Good News from God. 'The time has come' he said 'and the kingdom of God is close at hand. Repent, and believe the Good News.'

All: The Gospel of the Lord.
Praise to you Lord Jesus Christ.

Congregation sits

HOMILY

Congregation stands

THE CREED

All: **I believe in one God,
the Father almighty,
maker of heaven and earth,
of all things visible and invisible.**

**I believe in one Lord Jesus Christ,
the Only Begotten Son of God,
born of the Father before all ages.
God from God, Light from Light,
true God from true God,
begotten, not made, consubstantial with the
Father; through him all things were made.
For us men and for our salvation
he came down from heaven,**

(bow your head up to the words 'and became man')

**and by the Holy Spirit was incarnate of the Virgin
Mary, and became man.**

**For our sake he was crucified under Pontius
Pilate, he suffered death and was buried,
and rose again on the third day**

**in accordance with the Scriptures.
He ascended into heaven
and is seated at the right hand of the Father.**

**He will come again in glory
to judge the living and the dead
and his kingdom will have no end.**

**I believe in the Holy Spirit, the Lord, the giver of
life, who proceeds from the Father and the Son,
who with the Father and the Son is adored and
glorified, who has spoken through the prophets.**

**I believe in one, holy, catholic and apostolic
Church. I confess one Baptism for the forgiveness
of sins and I look forward to the resurrection of
the dead and the life of the world to come. Amen.**

PRAYER OF THE FAITHFUL

Congregation sits

THE LITURGY OF THE EUCHARIST

Offertory Procession

*The gifts of bread and wine which will become the Lord's body
and blood are brought to the altar.*

The celebrant raises the host on the paten sa-ying:

Priest: Blessed are you, Lord God of all creation,
for through your goodness we have received
the bread we offer you:
fruit of the earth and work of human hands,
it will become for us the bread of life.

All: **Blessed be God for ever.**

*The celebrant pours wine and a little water into the
chalice, saying quietly:*

Priest: By the mystery of this water and wine
may we come to share in the divinity of Christ
who humbled himself to share in our humanity.

*The celebrant then raises the chalice above the
altar and says:*

Blessed are you, Lord God of all creation,
for through your goodness we have received
the wine we offer you:
fruit of the vine and work of human hands,
it will become our spiritual drink.

All: **Blessed be God for ever.**

Bowing, the celebrant says quietly:

Priest: With humble spirit and contrite heart
may we be accepted by you, O Lord,
and may our sacrifice in your sight this day
be pleasing to you, Lord God.

Then the celebrant washes his hands, saying quietly:

Wash me, O Lord, from my iniquity
and cleanse me from my sin.

Pray, brothers and sisters, that my sacrifice
and yours may be acceptable to God,
the almighty Father.

All: **May the Lord accept the sacrifice at your hands for the praise and glory of his name, for our good and the good of all his holy Church.**

PRAYER OVER THE OFFERINGS

Priest: Give us the right dispositions, O Lord, we pray, to make these offerings, for with them we celebrate the beginning of this venerable and sacred time. Through Christ our Lord.

All: **Amen**

Congregation stands

EUCCHARISTIC PRAYER III

Priest: The Lord be with you.

All: **And with your spirit.**

Priest: Lift up your hearts.

All: **We lift them up to the Lord.**

Priest: Let us give thanks to the Lord our God.

All: **It is right and just.**

PREFACE (Temptation of the Lord)

Priest: It is truly right and just, our duty and our salvation, always and everywhere to give you thanks, Lord, holy Father, almighty and eternal God, through Christ our Lord.

By abstaining forty long days from earthly food, he consecrated through his fast the pattern of our Lenten observance and, by overturning all the snares of the ancient serpent, taught us to cast out the leaven of malice, so that, celebrating worthily the Paschal Mystery, we might pass over at last to the eternal paschal feast.

And so, with the company of Angels and Saints, we sing the hymn of your praise, as without end we acclaim:

ACCLAMATION

All: **Holy, Holy, Holy Lord God of hosts. Heaven and earth are full of your glory. Hosanna in the highest. Blessed is he who comes in the name of the Lord. Hosanna in the highest.**

Congregation kneels

Priest: You are indeed Holy, O Lord, and all you have created rightly gives you praise, for through your Son our Lord Jesus Christ, by the power and working of the Holy spirit, you give life to all things and make them holy, and you never cease to gather a people to yourself, so that from the rising of the sun to its setting a pure sacrifice may be offered to your name.

Therefore, O Lord, we humbly implore you: by the same Spirit graciously make holy these gifts we have brought to you for consecration, that they may become the Body and + Blood of your Son our Lord Jesus Christ, at whose command we celebrate these mysteries.

For on the night he was betrayed he himself took bread, and, giving you thanks, he said the blessing, broke the bread and gave it to his disciples, saying:

TAKE THIS, ALL OF YOU, AND EAT OF IT,
FOR THIS IS MY BODY
WHICH WILL BE GIVEN UP FOR YOU.

In a similar way, when supper was ended, he took the chalice and, giving you thanks, he said the blessing, and gave the chalice to his disciples, saying:

TAKE THIS, ALL OF YOU, AND DRINK FROM IT,
FOR THIS IS THE CHALICE OF MY BLOOD,
THE BLOOD OF THE NEW AND ETERNAL
COVENANT, WHICH WILL BE Poured OUT FOR
YOU AND FOR MANY FOR THE FORGIVENESS
OF SINS.

DO THIS IN MEMORY OF ME.

Priest: The mystery of faith.

All: **My Lord and my God.**

Priest: Therefore, O Lord, as we celebrate the memorial of the saving Passion of your Son, his wondrous Resurrection and Ascension into heaven, and as we look forward to his second coming, we offer you in thanksgiving this holy and living sacrifice.

Look, we pray, upon the oblation of your Church and, recognising the sacrificial Victim by whose death you willed to reconcile us to yourself, grant that we, who are nourished by the Body and Blood of your Son and filled with his Holy Spirit, may become one body, one spirit in Christ.

May he make of us an eternal offering to you, so that we may obtain an inheritance with your elect, especially with the most Blessed Virgin Mary, Mother of God, with blessed Joseph, her spouse, with your blessed Apostles and glorious Martyrs with Saint Patrick and with all the Saints, on whose constant intercession in your presence we rely for unfailing help.

May this Sacrifice of our reconciliation, we pray, O Lord, advance the peace and salvation of all the world. Be pleased to confirm in faith and charity your pilgrim Church on earth, with your servant Francis our Pope and **N**our Bishop, the Order of Bishops, all the clergy, and the entire people you have gained for your own.

Listen graciously to the prayers of this family, whom you have summoned before you: in your compassion, O merciful Father, gather to yourself all your children scattered throughout the world. To our departed brothers and sisters and to all who were pleasing to you at their passing from this life, give kind admittance to your kingdom. There we hope to enjoy for ever the fullness of your glory through Christ our Lord, through whom you bestow on the world all that is good.

Priest: Through him, and with him, and in him,
O God, almighty Father,
in the unity of the Holy Spirit,
all glory and honour is yours,
for ever and ever.

All: **Amen.**

Congregation stands

THE COMMUNION RITE

Priest: At the Saviour's command
and formed by divine teaching, we dare to say:

All: **Our Father, who art in heaven,
hallowed be thy name;
thy kingdom come,
thy will be done on earth as it is in heaven.
Give us this day our daily bread,
and forgive us our trespasses,
as we forgive those who trespass against us;
and lead us not into temptation,
but deliver us from evil.**

Priest: Deliver us, Lord, we pray, from every evil,
graciously grant peace in our days,
that, by the help of your mercy,
we may be always free from sin
and safe from all distress,
as we await the blessed hope
and the coming of our Saviour, Jesus Christ.

All: **For the kingdom, the power and the glory
are yours now and for ever.**

Priest: Lord Jesus Christ,
who said to your Apostles:
Peace I leave you, my peace I give you,
look not on our sins,
but on the faith of your Church,
and graciously grant her peace and unity
in accordance with your will.
Who live and reign for ever and ever.

All: **Amen.**

Priest: The peace of the Lord be with you always.

All: **And with your spirit.**

The celebrant may add these or similar words.

Priest: Let us offer each other the sign of peace.

All make a sign of peace, according to local custom.

Priest: May this mingling of the Body and Blood of our Lord
Jesus Christ bring eternal life to us who receive it.

All: **Lamb of God, you take away the sins of the world,
have mercy on us.
Lamb of God, you take away the sins of the world,
have mercy on us.
Lamb of God, you take away the sins of the world,
grant us peace.**

Congregation kneels

The celebrant says quietly:

May the receiving of your Body and Blood, Lord Jesus Christ,
not bring me to judgment and condemnation,
but through your loving mercy
be for me protection in mind and body
and a healing remedy.

INVITATION TO HOLY COMMUNION

Priest: Behold the Lamb of God,
behold him who takes away the sins of the world.
Blessed are those called to the supper of the Lamb.

All: **Lord, I am not worthy
that you should enter under my roof,
but only say the word
and my soul shall be healed.**

Priest: May the Body of Christ keep me safe for eternal life.

Priest: May the Blood of Christ keep me safe for eternal life.

COMMUNION ANTIPHON

Mt 4:4

All: **One does not live by bread alone,
but by every word that comes forth from the
mouth of God.**

Purifying the chalice the celebrant says quietly:

What has passed our lips as food, O Lord,
may we possess in purity of heart,
that what has been given to us in time
may be our healing for eternity.

PRAYER AFTER COMMUNION

Congregation kneels

Priest: Let us pray.
Renewed now with heavenly bread,
by which faith is nourished, hope increased,
and charity strengthened,
we pray, O Lord,
that we may learn to hunger for Christ,
the true and living Bread,
and strive to live by every word
which proceeds from your mouth.
Through Christ our Lord.

All: **Amen**

THE CONCLUDING RITES

Priest: The Lord be with you.

All: **And with your spirit.**

Priest: May bountiful blessing, O Lord, we pray,
come down upon your people,
that hope may grow in tribulation,
virtue be strengthened in temptation,
and eternal redemption be assured.
Through Christ our Lord.

All: **Amen**

Priest: And may the blessing of almighty God,
the Father, and the Son, + and the Holy Spirit.

All: **Amen**

*Then the celebrant, with hands joined and facing the
people, says:*

Priest: Go forth, the Mass is ended.

All: **Thanks be to God.**

ST. PATRICK'S NOVENA

The Annual Novena to St. Patrick begins on the 8th March. This year each of the Primary Schools in the Parish has agreed to participate in celebrating the Novena. Each Primary School has been asked to lead the prayer on one evening of the Novena and to address a particular theme. The pupils will do the reading, help with the singing of hymns, the Prayers of the Faithful, the Offertory Procession and will be actively involved in the celebration of Mass. Each school will share with us their understanding of the different aspects of St. Patrick's life. The themes are as follows:

8th March	Patrick the Prisoner	St. Patrick's P. S.
9th March	Patrick, Man of Faith	St. Joseph's P. S.
12th March	Patrick, sharing the Faith and making disciples	
13th March	Patrick, a Leader	St. Ronan's P. S.
14th March	Patrick & the Shamrock	St. Clare's Abbey
15th March	Patrick's example for us today.	Bunscoil an Iúir
		Ballyholland P. S.

We ask parishioners' support on each evening of the Novena.

YOUNG PEOPLE HAVE MANY QUESTIONS

It's hard to find time to think and talk about the big questions in life. Youth Alpha is a series of interactive sessions giving young people in Years 11 & 12 an opportunity to explore their faith, ask questions and share thoughts and ideas in a friendly, open and relaxed environment. The programme will run for six weeks starting on Wednesday 21st February 2018 in Newry Parish Centre, 7.30pm – 9.00pm. Cost £3 per session. Places are limited. #TryAlpha for more information. To confirm your son/daughter's attendance please text Caitriona on 07833 668617 or Dara 07766446737.

Eucharistic Holy Hour in Honour of Jesus the Divine Mercy and Our Lady in the Cathedral on Sunday 18th February at 3.00pm. Come spend an hour with the Eucharistic Lord.

Lenten Retreat Days in Dromantine

Dromantine is offering two retreat days during Lent. These will provide time and space to reflect and pray in the peaceful environment of Dromantine on important themes of Lent, and to prepare our hearts and minds to celebrate Holy Week and Easter.

Dates: Saturday 10th March, Led by Fr. Des Corrigan, SMA.

Time: 10.00am – 5.00pm. Cost: £25 / €30, including lunch, teas/coffee. All are welcome. Bookings to: (028) 308 21964. Email: admin@dromantineconference.com

DIRECTED RETREAT DURING LENT

The Retreat is ideal for anyone who cannot take time away for a retreat and who is interested in developing their relationship with God.

The Retreat has two components:

1. A meeting one day each week, for about 30 minutes with your Spiritual Director (one of the Sisters) at a time that is suitable to you.
2. The opening session of the Retreat begins on **Sunday 18th February at 7.30pm** in St. Clare's Convent, Glenvale. Places are restricted, so if you are interested, please contact the Convent Tel: 302 52778. Suggested donation £20.00

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Dromore Diocesan Pilgrimage to Lourdes
17th-22nd May 2018. Price: £610.00

Bookings are now being taken for the Diocesan Pilgrimage to Lourdes. Application forms are available from the Parish Office, Hill Street.

Application for Sick Pilgrims

Newry Lourdes Committee welcomes applications from any person who wishes to be considered as a sick pilgrim with the Dromore Diocese from the 17th – 22nd May 2018. Anyone who is interested or would like information can contact the following: **Martha McEvoy: 3026 7441, Phil Downey: 3026 3012, Deirdre Quinn: 3026 0893**

STATIONS OF THE CROSS IN THE CATHEDRAL DURING LENT

The Stations of the Cross will be recited after the 10.30am Mass each Friday morning, by one of the Ministers of the Word who read at the weekday Masses. On February 23, March 2, 9, 16 and 23, you will have the opportunity to join in the recitation of the Stations of the Cross in response to the words of Pope Francis. This year, Pope Francis reminds us that 'Lent summons us, and enables us, to come back to the Lord wholeheartedly and in every aspect of our lives'.

APOSTOLATE OF PRAYER - The Apostolate of prayer will meet each Wednesday at 11.15 – 12.15 in the Parish Centre. See website for more information. "myprayer.ie"

St. Peter's Parish Clonallon, Warrenpoint
"Healing and Renewal" – 19th - 22nd February 2018
With Sr. Briege McKenna & Fr. Kevin Scallon
Monday 19th Feb. Reconciliation

St. Peter's 10.30am: Mary Queen of Peace: 7.30pm Mass & talk on 'Reconciliation' Service of Reconciliation
Repose of the Blessed Sacrament: 5.30pm.

Tuesday 20th February: Family & the Eucharist

St. Peter's 10.30am: Mary Queen of Peace: 7.30pm Mass & Talk on 'Family & the Eucharist'
Repose of the Blessed Sacrament: 5.30pm

Wednesday 21st February: The Lord, The Giver of Life.

St. Peter's: 10.30am: Mary Queen of Peace: 7.30pm Mass & Talk on 'The Lord, The Giver of Life'.
Repose of the Blessed Sacrament: 5.30pm

Thursday 22nd February: Healing

St. Peter's: 10.30am: Mary Queen of Peace: 7.30pm Mass & Talk on 'Healing'
Repose of the Blessed Sacrament: 5.30pm
Eucharistic Healing Service.

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By Fr. Jim Cogley Friday 2nd March 7.00pm – 10.00pm & Saturday 3rd March 10.00am – 1.00pm in Newry Conference & Banqueting Centre, The Mall, Newry.

Spiritual Direction, Guidance & Counselling

From time to time each one of us has questions about faith, spiritual wellbeing, prayer, doubts, uncertainties, relationship with God. We often ask, 'Where is God in my pain?' How can I reach God? How do I pray? Spiritual Direction provides a safe space and professional support helping us to deal with these questions and experiences. Within this space we are able to discern what God is inviting us to notice, both in our relationship with Him and ourselves. Spiritual Direction is now available in the Parish. If you feel that Spiritual Direction could benefit you, contact Michelle on 07706819472 or pick up a leaflet at Newry Parish Office.

We pray as a Community for the Recently Deceased

Josephine Mallon, Orior Road
Jackie Curran, Cowan Street
Kevin Heaney, North Street
Thomas Quinn, Bettyshill Road
Brian Traynor, Kilmorey Street
Stephen McAllister, Church Street

St. Vincent de Paul Shop Mill Street

Re-launch of Vincent's renovated shop at 30 Mill Street, will be held on Monday 26th February 9.30am – 4.30pm. Refreshments, raffle and some fun. Feel free to join us and pick up a special opening-day bargain.

DROMORE DIOCESAN HISTORICAL SOCIETY

The first meeting of the Society for 2018 will take place in St. Peter's Church Centre, North St, Lurgan on Monday 26 February at 7.30pm. Barry Sheppard, QUB School of Management will give a talk entitled "Solely in the Earth and its Fruits". The influence of the twl Papal Encyclicals, "Rerum Novarum" & "Quadregessimo Anno" on eg workers' rights, Munitir na Tire, Young Farmers Clubs etc will be discussed in the context of the importance of Catholic Social Science principles in the factors, Catholic & National that shapes modern Ireland and Irish Society. All welcome.

BAPTISMS

Amelia Campbell, 40 Shandon Park
Saoirse Rose McGarry, 5 Erskine Street
Grace Hope O'Brien, 11 Shepherds Close
Poppie Annie Harte, 135 Dromalane Park
James Anthony Marley, 108 Knockdarragh

NEWRY PARISH ANNIVERSARIES FOR OUR DECEASED RELATIVES

Cathedral Anniversaries

Saturday 17 February	10.30am 6.00pm	James & Maisie Keenan, Mourneview, Ballyholland Stephen Millican, Dublin Road (M.M) Bridie Devine, Castle Enigan Road (M.M) Louis Spencer, Upper Edward Street Peter, Sarah & Mary Shields, O'Neill Avenue & Peter Shields, Ballyholland Park Bridie Weir, James Street Rita & Tony Izzi, Glasgow
Sunday 18 February	8.30am 10.00am	Patrick Colin Magee, Mourneview Park (M.M) James & Brigid O'Hare, Edward Street & Deceased family members Daniel & Mary Ellen Doran, Mountainview House, Ballyholland Bernard & Rose Creaney, Davis Street & deceased family members Teresa Moody, Carrick-Ard, Fullerton Road Leon Gaillard, Oaklands Annie McLoughlin, Bridge Street Patsy Grant, Rathmore Road & deceased members of the Grant Family
	12 noon	Kathleen, David & Davin (Jnr) Wright, Drumcashelone
Monday 19 February	5.30pm 10.30am	Bridie & Paddy Clugston & The Carroll Family, Mourneview Park Thomas Braniff, Belfast The deceased members of the Connell Family, Monaghan Street
Wednesday 21 February	10.30am	Margaret Peyton, Ravensdale Villas
Friday 23 February	8.30am 10.30am	Margaret Dolan, Carrickmacross William & Margaret Brown & Eilish Weir
Saturday 24 February	10.30am 6.00pm	Marie, George, Dan & Monica O'Hare, Killeavy Road Glyn O'Connor, O'Neill Avenue (M.M) Noel Keenan, St. Clare's Avenue Peggy McArdle, Grinan & Cathal McArdle, Kilkeel Pascal Moore, Cherywood Grove Lily O'Hanlon, Liverpool Charles Keenan, Courtney Hill James & Mary McPhillips & Patricia & Michael McKearney
Sunday 25 February	8.30am 12 noon	Fr. James Fitzpatrick Pat McElroy, Cronin Park (M.M) Brendan & Anita O'Neill, Magennis Villas

St. Mary's Anniversaries

Sunday 18 February	11.00am	Margaret Kimbley, O'Neill Avenue Pamela Dixon, Caiseal Court Deceased members of the Mulholland Family & Eileen Cowan, Ballyholland Davy McManus, Crieve George Cummins & Sean & George Cummins Mavis Little, Carlingford Park Marian O'Hare, Greenan Rd Lily & Dessie McKeivitt, Derrylecka Tom & Kathleen Reilly, Derrybeg Dr, William & Mary Reilly, Nora & Philip Page & deceased Family members Sean McAteer, Ballyholland
Tuesday 20 February	7.00pm	Margaret & Gerry Clarke, Shandon Park Elizabeth McDonnell, St. Mary's Street
Sunday 25 February	11.00am	Oliver Kelland, Commons Way (M.M) Peter McManus, Carnagh Park

St. Brigid's Anniversaries

Saturday 17 February	7.00pm	Patrick Healy, Violet Hill Avenue & the deceased members of the Lundy Family John & Margaret Craven, Raymond Kelly Park Kathleen Cunningham, Violet Hill Avenue Margaret Braniff, Main Avenue, Derrybeg Robert & Ethel McDonald, Derrybeg Drive Pat Magill, Canal Street Patrick McDonald, Carnagh Pk Pat Bagnall Springhill Drive William & Bridget Quinn, St. Clare's Avenue & deceased members of the Quinn Family, Pound St
Friday 23 February	7.00pm	Felix McGuigan, Derrybeg Drive Paula Larkin, Shandon Park, Tommy & Kathleen Fitzpatrick Rathfriland Road, Patrick, Bridget, Mary & James Fitzpatrick, Norht Street, Joe & Kay McAnoy, Beechmount Park. Molly & Matt Griffin, Orior Road Jo & Lewis Dixon, Lisdrum Avenue
Saturday 24 February	7.00pm	Doreen Doherty, Second Avenue (M.M) Margaret McCabe, Second Avenue, Derrybeg David & Mary Watson & Jack & Marie Watson, Killeavy Road Gerald McGuigan, Slievegullion Road & deceased family members John Fearon, Parkhead Crescent Sean McEvoy, Killeavy Road Donna Keddle, Drumgullion Avenue

St. Catherine's Anniversaries

Saturday 17 February	7.30pm	John & Linda McKeivitt Eileen McKay Jackie, Gregory & Mary Mooney John & Rose Devlin Donal O'Neill Mary Rose, John Jim & Derek Kinney
Sunday 18 February	9.30am 11.00am 12.15pm	Sheila, Joseph & Sandra Cunningham Bernard & Rose Madigan The Taylor Family Eugene Smith Moira & Imelda Campbell Evelyn Carnegie Sarah & Arthur Tremer & deceased members of the Tremer Family Benefactors of Church & Priory Bridget, Alice & Michael Quinn Marie Cole The Smith Family Hugh & Elizabeth Mullan & Deceased members of the Mullan & Bradley Families Bridget, Alice & Michael Quinn Marie Cole The Smith Family
Monday 19 February	11.00am	Bernadette Shiel
	7.30pm	Matthew Naughton P J Kane & Gerald, Seamus & Kathleen Kane
Tuesday 20 February	11.00am	Cass, Pat, John, Pat & Eileen Mallon Martina McClorey
Wednesday 21 February	7.30pm	Stephen Woods Arthur Brady
Thursday 22 February	7.30pm	Danny Murphy Robert McLoughlin
Friday 23 February	11.00am 7.30pm	Michael O'Neill & The O'Neill Family Alice, Michael & Francie McKeown
Saturday 24 February	7.30am 7.30pm	Ambrose Walls Pat Kearns Joe & Sylvia Crowley Kathleen & Peter Jennings The Leneghan Family Pat McParland
Sunday 25 February	9.30am	Myles Loughran 11.00am Rosaleen Byrne (M.M) The Murphy Family

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