

The Christian Community

Movement for religious renewal



**Advent, Christmas,
Epiphany,
February and March
2025-2026**

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Hollywood

Advent

Saturday 29 th November	Advent wreath making	16.30
Sunday 30th November	The Act of Consecration of Man	10.00
	Talk and conversation: "Our becoming/God's becoming"	11.15
	The Advent Garden for children	16.30
Wednesday 3 rd December	The Act of Consecration of Man	10.00
Sunday 7 th December	Fundraising at the Advent fair	12.00-18.00
Wednesday 10 th December	The Act of Consecration of Man	10.00
Sunday 14th December	The Act of Consecration of Man	10.00
	Talk and conversation: "Through darkness to the light"	11.15
Wednesday 17 th December	The Act of Consecration of Man	10.00

Christmas and the 12 holy nights

The Act of Consecration of Man at Christmas will be celebrated at midnight, at 8.00 am and at 10.30 am on Christmas day. And at 10.00 on Saturday 27th, Sunday 28th, Monday 29th, Tuesday 30th, Wednesday 31st and on Thursday 1st, Saturday 3rd and Monday 5th of January.

Other events:

Christmas Eve Gathering: for young and old, on 24th December at 17.30. Please bring a lantern to take your Christmas light home.

Christmas Course: Will take place after The Act of Consecration of Man on Saturday 27th, Sunday 28th and Monday 29th of December. We will meet around the Christmas tree with the theme: "God's gifts to us"

New Year's Eve Gathering: For young and old, on Wednesday 31st of December at 20.00, ending with a Close of Day Service.

Epiphany

Wednesday 7 th January	The Act of Consecration of Man	10.00
Sunday 11th January	The Act of Consecration of Man	10.00
	Talk and conversation: "The light of prayer in our heart"	11.15
Sunday 25th January	The Act of Consecration of Man	10.00
	Talk and conversation: "What gifts can we offer ? "	11.15
Wednesday 28 th January	The Act of Consecration of Man	10.00
Thursday 29 th January	Finance group	20.00

February

Wednesday 4 th February	The Act of Consecration of Man	10.00
Sunday 8th February	The Act of Consecration of Man	10.00
	Talk and conversation: "Community in Christ"	11.15
Wednesday 11 th February	The Act of Consecration of Man	10.00
Wednesday 18 th February	The Act of Consecration of Man	10.00
Sunday 22nd February	The Act of Consecration of Man	10.00
	Congregational meeting	11.15
Wednesday 25 th February	The Act of Consecration of Man	10.00

March

Wednesday 4 th March	The Act of Consecration of Man	10.00
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Mourne Grange

Advent

Friday 5 th December	Talk: "Through darkness to the light"	16.00
Saturday 6 th December	The Act of Consecration of Man	10.15
Sunday 21 st December	The Act of Consecration of Man	10.15

Christmas

Sunday 4 th January	The Act of Consecration of Man	10.15
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Epiphany

Friday 30 th January	Talk: "What gifts can we offer?"	16.00
Saturday 31 st January	The Act of Consecration of Man	10.15

February

Sunday 15 th February	The Act of Consecration of Man	10.15
Friday 27 th February	Talk: "Community in Christ"	16.00
Saturday 28 th February	The Act of Consecration of Man	10.15

Clanabogan

Advent

Saturday 6 th December	Talk: "Through darkness to the light"	17.00
Sunday 7 th December	The Act of Consecration of Man	10.30

Christmas

Friday 2 nd January	The Act of Consecration of Man	10.30
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Epiphany

Saturday 31 st January	Talk: "What gifts can we offer"	17.00
Sunday 1 st February	The Act of Consecration of Man	10.30

March

Saturday 28 th February	Talk: "Community in Christ"	17.00
Sunday 1 st March	The Act of Consecration of Man	10.30

Glencraig

The Act of Consecration of Man will be celebrated on Thursdays at 9.30
On St Stephen's Day, 26th December at 10.30.
But no Glencraig service on the 1st, 15th and 22nd of January.

Please contact the priest on 02890 424254 or 07974960570 if you wish to:
have a conversation or a sacramental consultation,
prepare for a wedding or a baptism, make arrangements for a funeral, become a member, learn to serve, or simply want to find out more about The Christian Community.

Times Away

Ben van Lieshout will be away from the 12th to the 24th of January for holidays.
If a priest is needed during the holiday you can contact Rev Siobhan Moora on 00353 851582355.

Gospel Readings

Advent:	November 30	Luke 21	25-36
	December 7	Luke 21	25-36
	December 14	Luke 21	25-36
	December 21	Luke 21	25-36
Christmas:	Midnight	Matthew	1-25
	Dawn	Luke 2	1-20
	Day	John 21	15-25
	January 1	John 1	1-18
Epiphany:	January 6	Matthew 2	1-12
	January 11	Matthew 2	1-12
	January 18	Luke 2	41-52
	January 25	John 2	1-11
	February 1	Matthew 8	5-13
February:	February 8	Luke 8	1-18
	February 15	Luke 18	18-34
	February 22	Matthew 4	1-11
March:	March 1	Matthew 17	1-13