

Parish of Saval

Centenary 100 Years



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PARISH OF SAVAL

Diocese of Dromore
Co. Down, Northern Ireland

PARISH CHURCHES

St. Colman's Church, Shinn Road, Newry, Co. Down.
Sacristan Team: Janet Jennings, Cora McConville, Mark McDonnell,
Theresa Mooney, Killian Walsh

St. Joseph's Church, Sheeptown Road, Newry, Co. Down.
Sacristan: Mr. Edmund Lennon

OUR MISSION

To live as disciples of Jesus, inviting participation in the Eucharist and the sacramental life of the parish. Discipleship activities include increased attendance at the Holy Mass, participation in the sacraments, adoration and reconciliation.

SAVAL PARISH COMMUNITY

Clergy

Parish Administrator - Very Rev. Canon Francis Brown
Fr Alphonsus Chukwunenye
Fr Callum Douglas Young
Fr Wojciech Stachyra SChr
Rev Carlos Esteban Rojo (deacon)

Newry Parish Office, Hill Street, Newry, Co. Down
Telephone: 0044 (0) 28 3026 2586
Email: office@newrycathedralparish.org

Parish Administration

Parish Secretary: Mrs Ann Rooney

Saval Parish Office,

C/o Sisters of St. Clare, St. Clare's Convent,
42 Glenvale Road, Newry Co. Down BT34 2LA
Parish Office Telephone No: 0044 (0) 28 3025 6372
Email: savalparish@gmail.com
Website: www.savalparish.com

Parish Office Opening Hours

Monday: 9:00 am – 1:00 pm
Friday: 9:00 am – 12:00 noon

All Christenings, Weddings, Funerals, Anniversary Masses or Bulletin Notices should be arranged through the Parish Office or alternatively through Newry Parish Office.

Eucharistic Liturgies:

Saturday: Vigil Mass St Colman's Church, Shinn 7:00 pm
Sunday: Sunday Mass St Colman's Church, Shinn 10:30 am

Webcams

<https://www.savalparish.com/webcams/>

Sunday Mass is broadcast via 'Facebook Live' on the Parish of Saval FB Page

Wednesday: Weekday Mass – St. Clare's convent, Glenvale, 7:30pm

Holy Days of Obligation

Holy Days of Obligation, Easter and Advent
Sacrament of Reconciliation

Arrangements will be published in advance.

ADMINISTRATION

Saval Parish Finance Committee:

Chairperson: Mr. Mark McNally

Administration / Finance / Buildings / Grounds / Maintenance

The finance committee is a committee of parishioners appointed by the Administrator to assist with financial decisions and administration for the parish.

Saval Parish is part of the Dromore Diocesan Trust which is registered with the Charity Commission for Northern Ireland. Registered Charity Number: NIC 105046
Cheques should be made payable to: Dromore Diocesan Trust Saval Parish.

Saval Pastoral Council:

Chairperson: Mr Mark McDonnell

Liturgy & Worship / Readers & Commentators / Childrens' Liturgy / Altar Servers /
Church Events / Ushers / Music Ministry / Family Ministry / Altar Society
John Paull II Awards

This committee is appointed by the Administrator and coordinates matters relating to the spiritual life of the parish.

LITURGICAL MINISTRY

Shinn Church: Mark McDonnell

Sheeptown Church: Therese McAvoy & Una Downey

New readers always welcome.

MUSIC MINISTRY

Shinn Church: Carol McClean & Donal Murphy

Sheeptown Church: Anne Lennon

PARISH GROUPS

Saval Lourdes Committee

St. Joseph's Young Priests Society

The Pioneer Committee

Annual Knock Pilgrimage

The Irish Messenger Promotion

Ministers of the Eucharist

Altar Society

Altar Servers

Junior Readers

GLENVALE CONVENT

Saint Clare's Convent, Glenvale is home to a community of Sisters of St Clare. It is set in the heart of the beautiful countryside of County Down where creation itself seems to reflect the abundant goodness of God. The serenity and peacefulness of Glenvale makes it an ideal setting to "come apart and rest a while" from the hustle and bustle of everyday life.

Through their work of hospitality, they welcome those of all ages who wish to share the peace and prayerfulness of the convent and garden. The Convent is available most of the year to individuals or groups of all denominations wishing to pray and reflect in the quiet atmosphere of Glenvale.

RETREATS: Enquiries may be made in writing to the Bookings Secretary (please send a SAE)

The Sisters of St. Clare, St. Clare's Convent,
42 Glenvale Road, Newry Co. Down BT34 2RD
glenvalebookings@gmail.com
Telephone (028) 028 30252778

SCHOOLS LOCATED IN THE PARISH

Pre-School - Strawberry Tree Playgroup
41a Sheeptown Road, Newry, Co.Down BT34 2LA
Telephone: 0044 (0) 28 3083 3673
Email: strawberrytreesaval@hotmail.co.uk
Playgroup Leader: Chloe Callaghan

Primary - St. Colman's Primary School
43 Sheeptown Road, Newry, Co.Down BT34 2LA
Telephone: 0044 (0) 28 3026 6184
Email: info@stcolmans.saval.ni.sch.uk
Principal: Mr Adrian Savage B.Ed.,M.Ed.

SOCIAL & SPORTING ACTIVITIES

Saval Gaelic Athletic Club

Gaelic Athletics Club located in the rural community of Saval, Newry, Co.Down. The Club was founded in 1949 following the appointment of Rev. Fr. Petit, Curate of Saval. The creation of an all-parish team has become a landmark in the history of Saval.

Saval Sports & Leisure Centre, Coalpit Road, Newry, Co.Down
Email: secretary.saval.down@gaa.ie

Saval Parish

Policy for Allocation of Graves.

Due to the falling number of burial plots available at both St. Joseph's, Sheeptown and St Colman's, Shinn the Parish Finance Council must agree the following policy:

Plots cannot be acquired until they are needed.

Only single or double plots are available, triple plots are no longer available.

Any person taking over an existing used plot needs to complete the Transfer Form which is available from the Parish Office.

New plots are only available to anyone living in the parish.

Cost as follows:

New single plot	- £200
New double plot	- £400
Transfer of existing plot	- £100.

Person to Contact:

Edmund Lennon—Sheeptown Ph 07771 846 253

Dermot Digney—Shinn Ph 07742 386 253

It is important that payments for new plots are made at the Parish Office so as the plot can be properly receipted and registered on the cemetery map for future reference and proof of entitlement.

All enquiries in relation to entitlement for existing used plots must be made in writing to the Parish Office. Please note sometimes this takes time with more information required so it is not suitable to try to establish entitlement at the time of death. The Parish Finance Committee will assist as best as possible. No one person will be expected to take responsibility for difficult decisions, final decisions will be made by the committee collectively.