

Proudly Presents

**"FROM DRUMLINS TO THE NEW WORLD - THE 1764
EXODUS OF A SCOTS- IRISH COMMUNITY FROM CO.
MONAGHAN TO UPSTATE NEW YORK - A LIVING
LEGACY."**

PRESENTATION BY ANTHONY ANDERTON



IN 1764 THE REV. THOMAS CLARK GATHERED HIS CONGREGATION AT THE CAHANS MEETING HOUSE, NEAR BALLYBAY CO. MONAGHAN. ANSWERING "THE CALL" FROM AMERICA, CLARK THEN LED SOME 300 MEN, WOMEN AND CHILDREN ON FOOT TO THE PORT OF NEWRY, AND BOARDED SHIP FOR NEW YORK. FROM NEW YORK THEY TRAVELED UP THE HUDSON; FIRST TO ALBANY, THEN STILLWATER BEFORE FINALLY SETTLING IN TODAY'S SALEM, WASHINGTON COUNTY NY. THEIR JOURNEY HAS BECOME KNOWN AS THE "CAHANS EXODUS"

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