



The Loughshore Parishes



St Mary's, Greencastle; St Mary, Star of the Sea, Whitehouse;
St James', Whiteabbey & St Colman's, Greenisland

25th June 2023

12th Sunday of the Year

MASS TIMES & SERVICES

SATURDAY VIGIL

5.00pm – Star of the Sea, Whitehouse

6.30pm – St Mary's, Greencastle

SUNDAY MASS:

9.30am – St Colman's, Greenisland

11.00am – St James', Whiteabbey

WEEKDAY MASSES:

St Colman's: Monday 10.00am

Star of the Sea, Whitehouse: Tuesday 7.00pm

St Mary's, Greencastle: Weekdays 9.30am

St James': Friday 10.00am

ST PEREGRINE'S NOVENA:

First Monday of the month at 7.00pm in St Mary's, Greencastle

MOTHER OF PERPETUAL SUCCOUR:

Every Tuesday at 7.00pm in Star of the Sea, Whitehouse

EUCCHARISTIC ADORATION:

Every Wednesday in St Mary's, Greencastle – 10.30am – 1.00pm

DIVINE MERCY CHAPLET:

After 10.00am Mass on Friday in St James'

DIVINE MERCY EVENING – Rosary, preaching, healing prayers and Eucharistic Adoration. Every second Friday 7.00pm – 9.30pm St James' Church.

BAPTISMS: Baptisms are taking place on Saturday in St Mary's, Greencastle. Please contact parish office for further information.

Parish Priest:

Fr. David Delargy

Parish Office:

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(open Mon – Fri 9.00am – 1.00pm)

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Links to webcam via parish website or

www.churchmedia.tv

REST IN PEACE

Recently deceased: Ron Neary

Months Mind: Gerard Mullan, Gerard

McLaughlin

Anniversaries: Joseph McKinley, Josephine

McConnell, Kathleen O'Connor, Gerard

Devlin

MASS INTENTIONS

Saturday

Whitehouse 5pm – Ron Neary (recently deceased)

Greencastle 6.30pm – Gerard Mullan (MM)

Friday

Greencastle 9.30am – Jim Rafferty (1st)

WEEKDAY MASSES

– **NO MASS IN ST JAMES' ON FRIDAY**

There will be no Morning Mass in St James' on Friday 30th June. There will, however, be 9.30am Mass in St Mary's, Greencastle on Friday morning and every weekday morning while work is ongoing at St Gerard's.

FIRST SATURDAY DEVOTIONS

First Saturday Devotions will take place in Holy Family Church on 1st July.

10.00am Adoration of the Blessed Sacrament, Confessions and Act of Consecration

11.00am Holy Sacrifice of the Mass

TAIZÉ PRAYER AROUND THE CROSS

You are warmly invited to Taizé Prayer Around the Cross on Friday 30th June, from 8-9pm in Holy Family Church, Limestone Road. This is an opportunity to take time out to pray with the beautiful Taizé chants, to be still and to be refreshed. Everyone is very welcome, please come along and bring your friends. Refreshments will be served afterwards in the Gathering Space.

ENVELOPE 108 –

Would the parishioner from St James' who has the box containing envelopes with the number 108 please contact the parish office. Thank you!



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PATHWAYS TO THE FUTURE

This is a time of major change – politically, economically, socially, and within our Church. Change can be unsettling and even a little frightening, especially when it impacts on something that we love, cherish, and rely upon, like our parish communities and how we celebrate our faith. Over recent weeks, we have heard about changes that are coming to our parishes and Diocese. Changes in the number of priests in active ministry in years to come, changes in how our parishes will work together in new families of parishes, changes in the active role that lay people will play working alongside our clergy in new ministries, leadership roles and the management of our parishes. The Holy Spirit is moving within these changes, and Jesus is calling each one of us to renew and to rebuild His Church. As Bishop Donal McKeown said in his Pastoral Letter at Pentecost, *“The Spirit which acted with such unexpected force and fulness in Pentecost is the same Spirit we can call upon and put our entire trust in today.”*

The Pathways to the Future team is concluding its initial planning work. Further information about our new Families of Parishes, lay ministries, and new ways for our lay people and clergy to work together in the service of God and each other will be shared through a series of events across the Diocese in the autumn. This will be the start of ongoing conversations that will continue within parishes and across parishes as we start to build our new parish families. As Bishop McKeown said at Pentecost, *“Together we can renew and rebuild the Church. Together, we can become part of God’s amazing dream for ourselves and for the whole of creation. Like the disciples at Pentecost, let us embrace the future with confidence and hope.”* In doing so, let us hear Jesus’ voice as He continues to tell each of us “Do not be afraid”.

To find out more go to
www.pathwaystothefuture.org



DIOCESE OF DOWN AND CONNOR
SINGING FOR BOYS
SUMMER 2023
Monday 14 August – Friday 18 August
St Dominic's Grammar School
135 Falls Road
Belfast BT12 6AE
Applications available from Saint Peter's Cathedral House
or by emailing schola@downandconnor.org

THE DOMINICAN SISTERS, FORTWILLIAM HAVE VACANCIES FOR THE FOLLOWING POSITIONS

Fully qualified care assistants

Full time positions available - 36hrs p/wk.
Part time positions - 24hrs per week
Must be flexible - weekdays/weekends,
days/nights. Must be able to drive with a full
clean driving licence.

Experienced cleaning assistant

Part time hours available.
Please upload a CV along with 2 references
to caitronaionahouse@gmail.com or call
Caitriona on 02890 370008 for
further information.

CLOSING DATE 7th JULY 2023

PILGRIMAGE TO THE HOLY LAND

Last remaining places for special Belfast
Pilgrimage to the Holy Land at Christmas
2023 ex Dublin. Taking in Bethlehem,
Jerusalem, Nazareth, Dead Sea, Sea of
Galilee, Last Supper Room, Garden of
Gethsemane and Mount of Olives. Full day
in Bethlehem on Christmas Day. Contact
James Treacy 00353 6192 1470
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ANNUAL NOVENA PILGRIMAGE TO KNOCK SHRINE, IRELAND, 14th August

2023. Contact Patricia on 07740175557 or
email knockpilgrimages@gmail.com