The Loughshore Parishes

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



21 July 2024

16th Sunday in Ordinary Time

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: Wednesday 9.30am

St James': Friday 10.00am

MORNING PRAYER & COMMUNION SERVICE

St Colman's: Thursday 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

EUCHARISTIC 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 Saturdays in St Mary's, Greencastle. Please contact parish office for further information.

Parish Priest:

Fr. David Delargy

Parish Office:

824 Shore Road Newtownabbey BT36 7DG

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(open Mon – Fri 9.00am – 1.00pm) **E-mail**: loughshore@downandconnor.org **website**: www.loughshoreparishes.org

Links to webcam via parish website or www.churchmedia.tv

The Loughshore Parishes is a member of the Loughshore Pastoral Community comprising the parishes of St Gerard's, St Mary's on the Hill, St Nicholas', Carrickfergus and the Loughshore Parishes

REST IN PEACE

Recently deceased: Kathleen Dick, Anne Jones, Patricia Kelly, Baby Isabella Murphy

Anniversaries: Nicola Craig (1st), Anne McAleese (1st)

MASS INTENTIONS

Saturday Whitehouse 5pm – Anne McAleese (1st)

JULY MASS TIMES

MASSES IN THE LOUGHSHORE PARISHES IN JULY 20th /21st July Whitehouse 5pm, St Colman's 9.30am,

St James' 11am

27th /28th July Greencastle 5pm, St Colman's 9.30am,

St James' 11am

AUGUST MASS TIMES

MASSES IN THE LOUGHSHORE PARISHES IN AUGUST

3rd / 4th August Whitehouse 5pm, St Colman's 9.30am,

St James' 11am

10th / 11th Aug Greencastle 5pm, St Colman's 9.30am,

St James' 11am

17th / 18th Aug Whitehouse 5pm, St Colman's 9.30am,

St James' 11am

24th / 25th Aug Greencastle 5pm, St James' 11am

31 Aug/1st Sept Whitehouse 5pm, St Colman's 9.30am,

St James' 11am

ST BERNARD'S MONDAY-FRIDAY MASSES

From Monday 29th July for three weeks the Monday-Friday 9.45am mass in St Bernard's will move to St Marys on the Hill Church at 9.45am. This is to facilitate ground works at the St Bernard's site that need to be completed over the summer.

PASTORAL SERVICES COLLECTION

This collection is to help offset the pastoral service bill the parish receives each year from the diocese which covers the following offices, commissions, agencies and groups within the diocese of Down And Connor: Family Ministry, Marriage Tribunal, Vocations Commission, Catholic Schools' Support Service, Vetting & Safeguarding, Pastoral Personnel (Hospitals), Living Church, Sacred Music & Boys' Choir, University Chaplains, ACCORD, SPRED, Armagh Regional Marriage Tribunal, CURA, Youthlink and the Diocesan Curia offices. This collection will be taken up this weekend 20th/21st July

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BISHOPS' STATEMENT ON END OF LIFE CARE: FREEDOM TO LIVE FULLY, UNTIL DEATH COMES

The pastoral letter Freedom to Live Fully, Until Death Comes has been published by the Irish Catholic Bishops' Conference to inform people of faith and goodwill who wish to protect and support human life with dignity and compassion, especially in the last weeks of terminal illness: "Every human person possesses an infinite dignity, inalienably grounded in his or her very being, which prevails in and beyond every circumstance, state, or situation the person may ever encounter." With that in mind, the Bishops of Ireland wish to invite people to consider once again some of the essential elements of the Church's teaching on care at the end of life. Read the Full Statement on www.catholicbishops.ie

TRÓCAIRE GAZA EVENT

Trócaire will be hosting an event with Dr Nick Maynard, a surgeon who has been working with Trócaire's partner Medical Aid for Palestinians in hospitals in Gaza during the ongoing conflict. Dr Nick will share his experiences and give a powerful insight into the situation in Gaza. Taking place at The Linen Hall Library, Tuesday 23rd July @ 6.30pm, 17 Donegall Square North, Belfast, BT1 5GB. Please do join us for this important free event, all welcome! Contact Nick for more information: nicholas.hanrahan@trocaire.org



NET MINISTRIES INVITE YOU TO SURF SAND SON

Date 11-13 Oct

At Mullaghmore, Sligo

Surf, Sand, Son is an immersive and transformative retreat weekend designed specifically for secondary school students. Held at the picturesque Star of the Sea Retreat Centre in Mullaghmore, Co Sligo, this event offers a unique blend of spiritual growth, outdoor activities, and meaningful connections.

More Info can be found on the website <u>Surf Sand Son</u> (netministries.ie)

SUMMER SINGING COURSE 2024

5 - 9 August 2024

St Dominic's Grammar School 135 Falls Road, Belfast, BT12 6AE

This is a fantastic opportunity for young singers to upskill their singing technique, as well as make new friends!

We offer junior and senior classes for boys and girls (aged 8-17), as well as opportunities for mixed group singing.

The week concludes with a final showcase in St Peter's Cathedral, Belfast.

Email <u>cathedralmusic@downandconnor.org</u> for further information.

Full fee £35, including refreshments provided by our sponsors, TESCO.

Scholarships available on request.

ESCORTED PILGRIMAGE TO KNOCK SHRINE,

IRELAND, 19th August 2024 with different Novena speakers daily. £649.00 per person sharing. Price includes bus transfers, 4 nights' in Knock House Hotel with full board. All entertainment and excursions included. Day trips to Westport, Ballintubber Abbey, Croagh Patrick, Fr. Peyton Centre & National Museum. Single supplement on request. Contact Patricia on 07740 175557 or 087 1890 236 or email knockpilgrimages@gmail.com.

PILGRIMAGE TO FATIMA

Special Belfast Pilgrimage (Limited availability) to Fatima EX Dublin <u>Easter 2025</u>, Flying with TAP airlines.

Also 13th June 2025 for Feast of Saint Anthony, 13th October 2025 for Miracle of Sun Contact James Treacy 00353 61921470 jamestreacyphotography@gmail.com

Payment by instalments acceptable

NO SUNDAY TEA

There will be no tea in St James' Hall after Mass on Sunday 21st of July.



BINGO

There will be bingo on Saturday 27th July at 7.30pm in St James' Hall. Tea and coffee will be served. Books are £10