



The Loughshore Parishes



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

27th August 2023

21st 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

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

Parish Priest:

Fr. David Delargy

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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

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: Rex Attwood, Donna Begley, Fr James Boothman, Mary Gray, John Hughes, Geraldine Petticrew, Matthew McAllister, Angela Smyth, Eimear McCann, Bernard Clarke

Months Mind: Margaret O'Kane

Anniversaries: Maureen Hession (2nd), John Sloan, Sadie Mallon, Mary Doherty, Frank McFall, Rosaleen Wells, John McDonald

MASS INTENTIONS

Saturday

Whitehouse 5pm – Sadie Mallon (3rd)

Sunday

St Colman's 9.30am – Maureen Hession (2nd)

St James' 11am – Maurice Kelly and other deceased members of the Kelly family

Tuesday

Whitehouse 12pm – Requiem Mass for Mary Gray

Wednesday

Greencastle 9.30am - Requiem Mass for John Hughes

IMPORTANT MEETING:

“WITHDRAW THE LAW”

Tuesday 12 September 2023 7.30 – 9pm Europa Hotel. The Society for the Protection of Unborn Children are holding a very important meeting for everyone who objects to abortion lessons in Northern Ireland's school. The aim of the meeting is to send an unequivocal message to the Government in London: *The new law on abortion lessons must be withdrawn and no further measures introduced without a full public consultation.*

FIRST SATURDAY DEVOTIONS

First Saturday Devotions will take place in Holy Family Church on 2nd September.

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

11.00am Holy Sacrifice of the Mass

PARISH OFFICE will be closed on Bank Holiday Monday 28 August.



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GROWTH IN PRAYER AND REFLECTIVE LIVING COURSE

Do you feel restless, do you sense there is a deeper meaning to life, that God is out there but you feel disconnected. The Growth in Prayer and Reflective Living Course may be for you. This 20 session course via Zoom between September and March is based on Ignatian spirituality. Further details available on the Drumalis website

www.drumalis.co.uk

[Drumalis: The Growth in Prayer and Reflective Living Course - YouTube](#)

ROOTED IN LOVE is a follow-on to the Growth in Prayer and Reflective Living Course. It is also delivered via Zoom over 10 sessions, September to April. It might be of particular interest to people with previous experience of Ignatian Spirituality. Here is a short video during which a participant gives some feedback.- [Rooted in Love - YouTube](#)

MARRIAGE AND RELATIONSHIP COUNSELLING WITH ACCORD

Let us help you support your marriage and relationship. If you feel your relationship is in crisis or need a little guidance and feel that you and your partner could benefit from Marriage & Relationship Counselling, either face to face or online, contact your local Centre. Every year we help thousands of couples rebuild and sustain healthy relationships. Call us on **02890 233002**

Email: info@accordni.com

Web: www.accordni.com

RADIO MARIA IRELAND continues to grow across the island of Ireland! We are launching our Belfast Studio, located in St Marys Church, Chapel Lane, BT1 1HH on Thursday 7 September, the Vigil of the Feast of the Nativity of the Blessed Virgin Mary. Starting with a 6pm Vigil Mass in St Mary's Church followed by tea/coffee and an information evening about Radio Maria and its Mission and Vision. Why not come along and bring some friends! For more information www.radiomaria.ie or call 00353 86 838 9989.

WALK IN THE FOOTSTEPS OF ST PATRICK

- Walk with singer-songwriter Dana in the footsteps of St Patrick with pilgrim guides Martina Purdy and Elaine Kelly on September 23rd. Dana has just written a new song Light the Fire for St Patrick. Begin the six-mile camino adventure at the Saint Patrick Centre, Downpatrick with IMAX film about St Patrick, take guided river walk to ruins of 12th Century Inch Abbey, and then journey to Saul to visit the site of Patrick's first church & his grave, Down Cathedral. Bus transfers, pilgrim passport & lunch included is £45. Book The Saint Patrick Centre 02844 619000

www.saintpatrickcentre.com

CEMETERY SUNDAY - CARNMONEY

The Parish Masses in St Mary's on the Hill will be offered for all those buried in Carnmoney Cemetery on the weekend of 2nd / 3rd September 2023. For more information, please click on this link:

[Cemetery Sunday 2023](#)

STRESS CONTROL CLASSES

The Northern Trust Stress Control team are offering stress control classes online. Please see attached information sheet with instructions on how to access the online classes at <https://ni.stresscontrol.org/>.

The classes are **FREE** and the next round will commence on **Monday 4th September**, with session two on the following Thursday (**7th September**).

If you have any questions or queries please get in touch using this email

stress.control@northerntrust.hscni.net

CEILI CLASSES Following on from our very enjoyable Ceili dancing classes in the spring, classes will be restarting in St James' Parish Hall on Monday 11th September 7.30 - 9pm. Cost £20 for four weeks payable on the first night. All our previous dancers and new members will be very welcome. If interested, please contact the parish office on 02890370845