



# The Loughshore Parishes



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



3<sup>rd</sup> March 2024

3<sup>rd</sup> Sunday of Lent

## 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

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

### Parish Priest:

Fr. David Delargy

### Parish Office:

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website: [www.loughshoreparishes.org](http://www.loughshoreparishes.org)

Links to webcam via parish website or [www.churchmedia.tv](http://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:* Patrick McCafferty Senior, Paul  
McCullough

*Months Mind:* Theo Devlin, Susan Horner, Carmel  
McCann, Anthony McCourt

*Anniversaries:* Michael McLoughlin, Alice Sheppard,  
Eamon Fitzpatrick, James Murphy, Major McGovern,  
Rosaleen Devlin, Frank Mulholland, Charlotte McFlynn

## MASS INTENTIONS

### Saturday

Star of the Sea, Whitehouse 5pm – Susan Horner MM  
& Alice Sheppard anniversary

St Mary's, Greencastle 6.30pm – Carmel McCann MM

### Sunday

St Colman's 9.30am – Eamon Fitzpatrick anniversary  
St James' 11am – James Murphy & Major McGovern  
anniversaries

Monday St Colman's 10am – Rosaleen Devlin (7<sup>th</sup>)

### Tuesday

Star of the Sea, Whitehouse 7pm – Frank Mulholland  
anniversary

## COLLECTION TOTALS FOR FEBRUARY

### WEEKLY COLLECTION

Greencastle £1,045.10, Whitehouse £2,020.61

St James' £1,667.94, St Colman's £835.00

### SECOND COLLECTION

Greencastle £496.90, Whitehouse £599.00,

St James' £198.00, St Colman's £168.00

### STIPEND

Greencastle £317.00, Whitehouse £695.00,

St James' £346.00, St Colman's £229.00

### DIOCESAN COLLECTION

Greencastle £89.80, Whitehouse £170.00,

St James' £72.00, St Colman's £37.00

**ST PEREGRINE NOVENA** will be held on Monday  
4<sup>th</sup> March at 7pm in St Mary's, Greencastle.

## PERMANENT DIACONATE

Information evenings for those wishing to explore the  
Permanent Diaconate or to hear more about the work of  
permanent deacons will take place in Downpatrick,  
Ballymena and Belfast during March.

Further relevant information can be found on the  
Diocesan website

<https://www.downandconnor.org/living-church/diaconate/>



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**TRÓCAIRE – SPEAKER AT MASSES THIS WEEKEND**  
Pauline Gormley from Trocaire will be speaking at all our Masses this weekend to talk about their Lenten campaign. Thank you in advance for your support and generosity.



PLEASE JOIN US FOR A WEE BIT OF FUN

MARCH 17

**ST COLMAN'S GREENISLAND AFTERNOON TEA AND MUSIC FROM 2PM EVERYONE WELCOME**




## St. Patrick's Party



A Ceili and social night in St James' Hall 7.15 pm  
Saturday 16th March 2024  
with Live ceili music by  
The Mc Auley Ceili Band.

Dance and song with Denis Hession and friends.  
Supper served BYO  
Ballots  
(Retiring collection to cover expenses.)



**THE ABAANA NEW LIFE CHOIR** will be performing in St John's Church, 444 Falls Road, Belfast on Sunday 3<sup>rd</sup> March at 6.30pm. The choir is made up of 20 young children from Uganda, aged between 7 and 9 years old. This promises to be an incredible evening of music, song and dance during which the children will share their stories about life in Uganda. The concert is free to attend with an offering taken up during the performance. The concert is suitable for children to attend.

**ANAM CARA BELFAST**, the organisation that supports bereaved parents, is holding its monthly Parent Evening for bereaved parents on Monday 11th March at 7:30pm in the Balmoral Hotel, Belfast, BT10 ND. This event is free and open to all bereaved parents regardless of the age your child died, the circumstances of their death, or whether their death was recent or not. We also offer an online meeting which takes place 2nd Thursday. To join please contact us on 028 95213120.

**ST PETER'S CATHEDRAL GIRL'S CHOIR**  
We are thrilled to announce the first-ever Diocesan girls' choir based at the Cathedral. Girls aged 11-18 are invited to join this new and exciting initiative. Open auditions will take place **Thursday 7 March 2024 between 4:30pm -6:00pm in the Cathedral Hall** (left of the church as you drive through the main gates). While it is not essential to prepare anything, you are welcome to bring a piece if you are comfortable to do so. For more details, contact Mr James McConnell at [cathedralmusic@downandconnor.org](mailto:cathedralmusic@downandconnor.org)

**ST NICHOLAS' REPOSITORY:** will have a selection of St Patrick & Easter cards and gifts for sale in St Mary's Star of the Sea Whitehouse, on Sat 9th March before & after 5.00 pm Mass.

**FATIMA PILGRIMAGE** 9<sup>th</sup>-14<sup>th</sup> August EX Dublin Mass in Santarem where bleeding host took place, visit visionaries' homes, Hungarian stations of the cross, Lisbon with church of Saint Anthony where he was born and baptised, seaside excursion. Payments can be made by instalments, Contact James Treacy 061921470 or email [jamestreacyphotography@gmail.com](mailto:jamestreacyphotography@gmail.com)