



The Loughshore Parishes



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

20th March 2022

3rd Sunday of Lent

MASS TIMES & SERVICES

SATURDAY VIGIL

5.00 pm – Star of the Sea, Whitehouse

6.30 pm – St Mary's, Greencastle

SUNDAY MASS:

9.30 am – St Colman's, Greenisland

11.00 am – St James', Whiteabbey

WEEK DAY MASSES:

St Colman's: Mon 10am

Star of the Sea, Whitehouse: Tuesday 7pm

St Mary's Greencastle : Wednesday 10am

St James': Fri – 10.00 am

ST PEREGRINE'S NOVENA:

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

MOTHER OF PERPETUAL SUCCOUR:

Every Tuesday at 7pm in Star of the Sea, Whitehouse

EUCCHARISTIC ADORATION:

Every Wednesday in St Mary's, Greencastle – 10.30am – 1pm

DIVINE MERCY CHAPLET:

After 10am Mass on Friday in St James'

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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Links to webcam via parish website or

www.churchmedia.tv

REST IN PEACE

Recently deceased: Samuel Tomlinson,
John Donnelly

Months Mind: Noreen Cleary, Hannah
McMahon

Anniveraries Theresa Kelly, Drew Sloan,
Peter Branagan Snr, Rosaleen McCrystal,
Maura McDonald, Catherine & John McNally,
Daniel Brankin

WEEKLY COLLECTION

Greencastle £180.00, Whitehouse £145.50,
St James' £66.00, St Colman's £71.00

SECOND COLLECTION

Greencastle £25.00, Whitehouse £32.00,
St James' £29.00, St Colman's £50.50

SHRINES

Whitehouse £220.00

ONLINE BOOKING

Online booking is no longer required for any
of the Masses in the Loughshore Parishes.

COVID- 19

Please note that although face coverings are no longer legally required when entering and exiting the church, the Diocese and Parish strongly recommends that face coverings be worn at all times while in the church and throughout liturgical celebrations, even when seated.

LENTEN PIONEER PLEDGE

"I promise in honour of the Sacred Heart of Jesus and with the help of the Blessed Virgin Mary to abstain from all alcoholic drink during Lent."

BULLETIN NOTICES

Could all notices for the parish bulletin please be submitted to the parish office by 12pm on Thursdays. Thank you.



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Special Collection for Ukraine

Weekend of 26 -27 March 2022



"In the name of God I ask you: stop this massacre!" - Pope Francis

The proceeds of this Special Collection will be directed to Caritas Internationalis which is the helping hand of the Church on the ground in Ukraine and surrounding areas.

www.catholicbishops.ie

SPECIAL COLLECTION FOR UKRAINE

The Irish Bishops have asked for a Special Collection to be taken up at Masses on the weekend of 26/27 March to support humanitarian efforts in Ukraine and especially the families and children who have had to flee their homeland in advance of the Russian invasion. The proceeds of this Special Collection will be directed to Caritas Internationalis, which is the helping hand of the Church on the ground in the Ukraine and the surrounding region. Please be as generous as you can. Thank you.

PRO-LIFE INFORMATION MEETING

Precious Life will hold a "Restore Personhood" Pre-election Campaign Meeting on Thursday 24th March in The Devenish Complex, Belfast at 7.30pm. All welcome. For more information contact Precious Life on 07592280522 or email restore.personhood@gmail.com

FOR A SYNODAL CHURCH

Thank you to everyone who took the time to fill in the answers on our synodal postcards. The responses will be read and fed back to the Diocesan Synodal Team as part of the synod here in Down and Connor. Across the Universal Church, there is growing momentum about the forthcoming synod and it's great that we, in our parish, are a part of the conversation.

There are still opportunities for people to be involved and we encourage you to go to the website www.downandconnor.org/synod where you can find out about synodal events that you can go to, as well as making an online submission.

Walking Together Towards Easter"

Residential Easter Triduum at Drumalis, Larne (14-17 April 2022)

led by Fr Perry Gildea CM and Drumalis Team An opportunity to reflect and participate in the Liturgy of Holy Week – the Triduum will commence with registration from 5 pm on Holy Thursday and end on Easter Sunday morning with Mass followed by breakfast. Cost: £295 per person. For further details or to book a place, please contact Drumalis during office hours (Mon-Fri, 9 am – 5 pm) – 028 28272196/28276455 or email drumalis@btconnect.com

DOWN & CONNOR DIOCESAN TRUST JOB VACANCY - INTERNAL AUDITOR

We are looking to recruit an Internal Auditor to ensure that financial accuracy, internal controls and regulatory compliance are challenged and maintained across the diocese. This will be a permanent appointment requiring 35 hours attendance each week, Monday to Friday. Salary: £25,000 - £34,000 If interested in making application for this post, please download an application form from the diocesan website at: <http://www.downandconnor.org/job-vacancies> Closing date for applications will be 12 noon on Thursday 31st March 2022