



The Loughshore Parishes



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

12th March 2023

3rd 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 10.00am

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

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Links to webcam via parish website or

www.churchmedia.tv

REST IN PEACE

Recently deceased: Alice Sheppard, Gemma Gough, Patrick O'Neill, Gregory Doonan, Thomas Davidson, Sam McConnell

Months Mind:

Anniversaries: Thomas & Paddy O'Kane, Gerald McDonald (12th), Gemma Reynolds

MASS INTENTIONS

[Saturday](#)

Greencastle 6.30pm – Gerald McDonald (12th)

ST PATRICK'S DAY MASSES

St Mary's, Greencastle - 11am

St James, Whiteabbey - 6pm

COLLECTION TOTALS FOR THE MONTH OF FEBRUARY

WEEKLY COLLECTION

Greencastle £1,117.13, Whitehouse £2,409.40,

St James' £1,654.94, St Colman's £949.00

SECOND COLLECTION

Greencastle £508.40, Whitehouse £554.00,

St James' £147.00, St Colman's £180.00

STIPEND

Greencastle £292.00, Whitehouse £845.00,

St James' £385.00, St Colman's £251.00

SICK & RETIRED PRIESTS

Greencastle £113.00, Whitehouse £115.00,

St James' £73.50, St Colman's £55.00

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.

CEILI ON ST PATRICK'S NIGHT

Mass in St James' at 6.00pm on Friday 17th March, followed by entertainment in St James' Hall. A night of Ceili & social dancing, good music and fun for all. No entrance fee.

Traditional food will be served. A retiring collection to cover expenses. Ballot on the night with great hampers to be won.



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GETTING THE PAST OUT OF THE PRESENT – WORKSHOP DAY.

SAT 29th APRIL

Many of us can struggle with forgiveness, letting go of the past so that we can best live out our lives. We invite you to join us for a day of creative prayer and reflection to explore how we can bring healing to our lives through the practice of forgiveness. The day will be led by Fr Jim Cogley, Parish Priest and Psychotherapist from the Diocese of Ferns and will be supported by Fr Peter Carlin PP St Matthew's.

Spaces are limited to 30 participants. The day will take place in 120 Cliftonville Road on Saturday 29th April from 10am – 4pm. **BOOKING ESSENTIAL**

To book please e-mail livingchurch@downandconnor.org or call 028 90690920

ST PATRICK'S MORNING PRAYERS

Continuing the legacy of Saint Patrick who tells us in his Confessions that he rose as many as one hundred times before dawn to pray, a group of Christians will gather at 5:45am at his grave on Saint Patrick's morning. We will pray The Our Father/ The Lord's Prayer one hundred times for peace and unity in Christ among our peoples. Everyone welcome. Please spread the word among friends from different Christian denominations.

BURIAL REGISTERS ONLINE

The details of burials in the graveyard at Greencastle and Our Lady's Acre can now be searched online at:

[Irish Graveyards :: Home](#)

The online records are limited to the information that is recorded on the headstones and, in some cases, there may be gaps in the information. We are keen for the records to be as accurate as possible and would be grateful if you could take some time to look at the website and make the parish office aware of any additional information that ought to be recorded on the website.

There are links to alteration sheets below to be completed and returned to the parish office at loughshore@downandconnor.org

[Greencastle alteration sheet >>](#)

[Our Lady's Acre alteration sheet >>](#)

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 p/wk

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 24th March 2023

PARISH OFFICE will be closed on Friday 17 March.