



# The Loughshore Parishes



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



11<sup>th</sup> February 2024

6<sup>th</sup> 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

### 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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(open Mon – Fri 9.00am – 1.00pm)

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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:* Carmel McCann, Anthony  
McCourt, Charles Campbell, Susan Horner, Rose  
Lundy

*Months Mind:* Aine Mullan

*Anniversaries:* Sara Gemmell, Grace & Victor Archer,  
Mary Ellen McQuillan, James & Martha Mallon,  
Noreen Cleary (2<sup>nd</sup>), Frank Quinn (3<sup>rd</sup>), Margaret Park  
(9<sup>th</sup>), Sam McConnell (1<sup>st</sup>), Sarah Quinn, Thomas  
Logan, Jimmy & Susan Logan, Joseph McAteer, Annie  
Mullan, Margaret Park, Sam McConnell, Margaret Hall

## MASS INTENTIONS

### Saturday 10<sup>th</sup> February

Star of the Sea, Whitehouse 5pm – James & Martha  
Mallon anniversaries

St Mary's, Greencastle 6.30pm – Noreen Cleary (2<sup>nd</sup>)

### Sunday 11<sup>th</sup> February

St Colman's 9.30am – Frank Quinn (3<sup>rd</sup>)

St James' 11am – Jim Logan anniversary

### Wednesday 14<sup>th</sup> February

St Mary's, Greencastle 9.30am – Ash Wednesday –  
Aine Mullan MM & Annie Mullan anniversary

### Saturday 17<sup>th</sup> February

Star of the Sea, Whitehouse 5pm – Margaret Park (9<sup>th</sup>)

St Mary's, Greencastle 6.30pm – Sam McConnell (1<sup>st</sup>)

### Sunday 18<sup>th</sup> February

St Colman's 9.30am – Margaret Hall anniversary

## ASH WEDNESDAY – LOUGHSHORE PARISHES

Wednesday 14<sup>th</sup> February is Ash Wednesday.

Mass will be celebrated on Ash Wednesday at 9.30am in  
St Mary's, Greencastle and ashes will be distributed.

For Catholics, Ash Wednesday and Good Friday are days  
of fasting and abstinence. The norms on fasting are  
obligatory from age 18 until age 59. When fasting, a  
person is permitted to eat one full meal, as well as two  
smaller meals that together are not equal to a full meal.  
The norms concerning abstinence from meat are binding  
upon members of the Catholic Church from age 14  
onwards.

## ASH WEDNESDAY – NEIGHBOURING PARISHES

*Holy Family* 7.15am & 9.15am

*St Therese of Lisieux* 10am & 7pm

*St Gerard's* 9.30am & 7.30pm

*St Bernard's* 7.30am, 10am & 7pm



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## PIONEER LENTEN PLEDGE

Many people choose to abstain from alcohol during the season of Lent. You can do likewise. Please consider taking the short-term Pioneer Lenten pledge and say the prayer daily.

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

**CONFIRMATIONS** Congratulations to the all the P7 children of St James' P.S. who were confirmed this week. May the Holy Spirit light their way.



## APPOINTMENT OF BISHOP OF DOWN AND CONNOR

A letter from Bishop Alan McGuckian can be read on the parish website by clicking on this link [Letter to the People of Down and Connor](#)

## LENTEN REFLECTION DAYS IN DROMANTINE RETREAT AND CONFERENCE CENTRE

March 9<sup>th</sup> 2024 – Lenten Reflection Day. Hope begins when I stand in the dark looking out at “the Light”. Led by Fr Damian Bresnahan, SMA. Price £38.00

March 16<sup>th</sup> 2024 – Lenten Reflection Day. Journeying with Christ through Lent. Led by Fr Des Corrigan, SMA. This day will provide time and space to allow Christ to speak to our hearts and to be our companion as we prepare to celebrate His Passion, Death and Resurrection. Price £38.00

Call on 02830821964 or email [admin@dromatineconference.com](mailto:admin@dromatineconference.com)

## A MILLION MEDLEYS TOUR

ORW Promotions Presents MICHAEL ENGLISH Live In Concert - 'A Million Medleys Tour' Special Guest - Olivia Douglas  
St Joseph's Parish Centre, Dunloy on Thursday 7<sup>th</sup> March 2024 Show : 8:00pm Tickets : £25.00  
Available Online from Skiddle.com or from Dunloy Parish Office or call Oran on 07729686440  
Pay at the Door will also be available!

**PARISH OFFICE** will be closed next week and there will be no bulletin next weekend.



Price Only  
**£750**

## LOURDES YOUTH TEAM 2024



### Cost Includes:

Fares per person sharing.  
Inclusive of return flights, transports, full-board accommodation, insurance.

10-17 July 2024

### Applications open now!

To all aged 17 - 24 yrs old from July 2024 to join the Down & Connor Youth Team.



Scan me for the application form



**Limited Spaces!**

For more information please email: [Lourdes@downandconnor.org](mailto:Lourdes@downandconnor.org)

Closing for applications Friday 15th March 2024 @5pm

## DOWN & CONNOR PILGRIMAGE TO

**LOURDES 2024:** 10 – 15<sup>th</sup>/17<sup>th</sup> July. 5 & 7 Night options available. Please visit [www.downandconnor.org/lourdes](http://www.downandconnor.org/lourdes) for more information or call the Pilgrimage Office on (028) 9077 0162 or email [lourdes@downandconnor.org](mailto:lourdes@downandconnor.org)  
Youth Team (10-17<sup>th</sup> July): applications now open.

## DONATION TO ST MARY'S STAR OF THE SEA PRIMARY SCHOOL FROM TESCO



Thanks to Lisa and the Tesco Community Champion for arranging a donation to St Mary's Star of the Sea Primary School towards their Healthy Snack Week.