



## 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> June 2023

Corpus Christi

### 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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**Links to webcam** via parish website or

[www.churchmedia.tv](http://www.churchmedia.tv)

#### REST IN PEACE

Recently deceased: Gerard McLaughlin,  
Gerard Mullan

Months Mind: Seamus McNeill

Anniversaries: Raymond McGrady, Brigid McAllister (13<sup>th</sup>) & Patrick McAllister, Patrick Doherty, Greta McKinley, Robert Taplin, Harry Taplin

#### MASS INTENTIONS

**Saturday** Whitehouse 5pm – Raymond McGrady (4<sup>th</sup>)

**Sunday** St Colman's 9.30am – Brigid & Patrick McAllister

#### WEEKDAY MASSES IN ST MARY'S

**GREENCASLE** - St Gerard's will no longer be able to use their church for weekday Masses while roadworks are being carried out in the vicinity of their church. Mass will be celebrated in St Mary's, Greencastle instead at 9.30am each weekday morning while this work is under way. The time of our usual morning Mass on Wednesday morning will also be changed to 9.30am during this period.

#### DOWN & CONNOR PILGRIMAGE TO LOURDES COFFEE MORNING

We are delighted to advise that this year the Down and Connor pilgrimage to Lourdes is able to take sick pilgrims requiring support. We have seven members of the Loughshore Parishes travelling as volunteers with the pilgrimage. Four are on the youth team with Peri Mullan, Liguori Dobbin and Cesar Navarro as volunteers. We are holding a coffee morning after the 11am Mass in **St James Hall on Sunday 25th June 2023** to help support sick pilgrims, doctors, nurses and the youth team travelling to Lourdes. We would be delighted if you would come and support us. If you bring your petitions on the day, we would be delighted to place them at the shrine on your behalf.

If you cannot make the coffee morning and would like your petitions taken please contact Peri 07598785412 or Liguori 07736899410



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### PATHWAYS TO THE FUTURE

This weekend we celebrate Corpus Christi, a solemnity of the Church that allows us to reflect on the Most Holy Body and Blood of Jesus Christ. One of the early Church Fathers, St John Chrysostom, understood how the Eucharist draws the whole Church together. "What is the Bread actually? The Body of Christ. What do communicants become? The Body of Christ! Just as the bread comes from many grains, which remain themselves and are not distinguished from one another because they are united, so we are united with Christ."

St Paul teaches us that Christ is the head of the Church and we are the body, which is made up of many parts that work together. He's saying that we all have unique roles in the Church and as lay men and women, religious and priests we are called to work together. This is the vision of our *Pathways to the Future* programme too.

When we come to Mass we are one family of God's people. When we leave we carry Christ with us and we bring him out into the world. As we celebrate Corpus Christi, may we be strengthened and nourished by the Eucharist we receive to go out and serve God and his people.

To find out more go to  
[www.pathwaystothefuture.org](http://www.pathwaystothefuture.org)

### EVENING FOR BEREAVED PARENTS

Anam Cara Belfast, the organisation that supports bereaved parents, is holding its monthly Parent Evening for bereaved parents on Monday 12th June 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 taking place Monday 19th June at 7pm. To join please contact us on 028 95213120.

### LEAVERS' MASS

Tuesday 13<sup>th</sup> June 2023 at 7.00pm in Star of the Sea Whitehouse.

At this Mass, we pray for all those children in our parish who are leaving their primary schools this year. This is an opportunity for the whole parish to congratulate them on their achievements to date, to celebrate the gifts of the Holy Spirit which they received at their Confirmation and to pray for God's blessing on them in the years to come.

### CLONARD SOLEMN NOVENA

In honour of our Mother of Perpetual Help.  
14<sup>th</sup> – 22<sup>nd</sup> June 2023

*Monday to Saturday* 6.45am, 9.30am,  
11.30am, 4.00pm, 6.00pm, 8.00pm

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4.00pm, 6.00pm, 8.00pm

This year's theme: "Towards a New Vision of Church". For more information, visit us online at  
[www.clonard.com](http://www.clonard.com)

### COFFEE MORNING IN AID OF STANTON

**HEALTHCARE** will be held in St. Mary's Church, Chapel Lane, Belfast, on Thursday 15th June 2023 at 1.30pm (after 1pm Mass). Come along and hear about the amazing work of Stanton Healthcare providing women facing unexpected pregnancy with practical help and support. For more information contact **02890332882**

### TOBAR MHUIRE SUMMER INSTITUTE 22<sup>ND</sup> – 23<sup>RD</sup> JUNE

*"Blessed are the Peacemakers"*

Speakers: Fr Chris Monaghan CP: *Set My People Free – Peacebuilding in the Scriptures*; Peter McBride: *Trauma as a spiritual fracture*; Brian McKee: *Imagining a new and shared future together*

Conference Costs: £40 per day Residential  
Cost for Evening meal / Bed and Breakfast:  
£75 – single / £60 shared (plus conference cost) For further information or to book your place:

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