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



15th September 2024

24th 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

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

Parish Priest:

Fr. David Delargy

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(open Mon – Fri 9.00am – 1.00pm) E-mail: loughshore@downandconnor.org website: www.loughshoreparishes.org

Links to webcam via parish website or 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: Joanne Nolan, Anne Cathcart, Deirdre Williams, Gerard Mullan, Bryan Privilege (in Christchurch, New Zealand)

Anniversaries: Bernadette Gault, Liam Byrne (1st), Tom Hayes, Phil Privilege (4th), Alice Gillen (2nd), Jeannie O'Rorke (2nd), Mary Wilson (3rd), Brigid Crangle, Annabelle McCrystal, Hugh Reeves

MASS INTENTIONS

Saturday

Whitehouse 5pm – Bernadette Gault anniversary Greencastle 6.30pm – Liam Byrne (1st)

Sunday St Colman's 9.30am – Tom Hayes anniversary Tuesday

Whitehouse 11am – Requiem Mass for Joanne Nolan Wednesday

Greencastle 9.30am – Bryan Privilege (recently deceased) & Phil Privilege (4th)

THE CLIMATE CRISIS – WHAT CAN WE DO?

In response to the Climate Crisis, you are invited to a Webinar facilitated by Jane Mellett of Trócaire on Thursday 19th September at 7.30 pm. To register for this webinar, click the following link https://bit.ly/3XDKJct and enter your name and address

OUR LADY'S ROSARY FESTIVAL

The Legion of Mary, the Knights of Saint Columbanus and Youth 2000 present Our Lady's Rosary Festival from Sat 5th October to Sun 13th October 2024 with 7 events in different venues. All details can be found at belfastrosaryfestival.com or at 07955386288 The Festival ends with the 21st Annual Rosary Procession from St. John's Church to St Peter's Cathedral commencing at 2.30pm on Sun 13th October.

CELEBRATION OF MASS AND BLESSING WITH HOLY RELIC OF SAINT PADRE PIO

Sunday 22nd September 2024 at 7pm, St Vincent de Paul Parish, 171 Ligoniel Road, Belfast, BT14. There will be a collection to support the Parish of St Vincent de Paul.

VISITS OF RELICS OF ST BERNADETTE TO

IRELAND The tour of the relics of St Bernadette runs from 4th September – 5th November, 2024 and will be in St Mary's, Chapel Lane on 15th & 16th October. More details on Diocesan website.

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LIVING IN HOPE. Clonard Monastery, 11am - 3.30pm, 21st September, 2024. *Led by Breige O'Hare*. A day of encouragement, a chance to renew a love of life and a sense of hope in a better future with God, caring for our children, caring for creation. Story and song, space for quiet prayer and space for conversation. Bring a packed lunch. Tea/coffee provided. Booking essential. To book, ring Clonard Reception 02890445950

COLUMBAN WAY WALK FOR PEACE, HEALING AND WELLBEING.

A small core group of walkers are walking the entire 361-mile Columban Way from Carlow to Bangor Abbey, County Down. They are due to arrive at Bangor Abbey on Saturday 21st September, International Peace Day. You can join the group on the final stage from Helen's Bay to Bangor (4.5 miles)

To join the walk, you need to register in advance of 21st September. For more information and to book visit the <u>Visit Ards and North Down website</u> Places on the walk are limited so book early to avoid disappointment.

ALPHA St Colmcille's Church, Ballyhackamore is running an ALPHA programme over 8 weeks in The Hearth pub next door to the church (at 199 Upper Newtownards Road BT4 3JB) - on Tuesday evenings from 8pm to 9.30pm, starting on Tuesday 1st October. Meet new people and explore the Christian faith together. Alpha is for anyone who's curious. No judgement, no pressure. Each session unpacks a big question of life, faith, and purpose, and is designed to spark conversation. Come along, see what you think. All welcome, especially 18–40-year-olds. For more information, contact the parish office stcolmcilles@downandconnor.org or text 07879 498131

TRÓCAIRE - VOLUNTEERS REQUIRED

Trócaire is looking for people to join our team of Christmas fundraisers to help respond to the urgent need of poor communities around the world, including the millions of children and families caught in conflict in Sudan and Gaza. You can take action and make a difference through a range of activities, including the promotion of our Gifts of Change – training and support will be provided. If you would like to find out more, please email Mark McMahon at infoni@trocaire.org or call 028 90808030.

DOMINICAN JUBILEE PILGRIMAGE TO

KNOCK to celebrate 800 years of Dominican presence in Ireland. Bus leaves Kennedy Shopping Centre @ 7.30am on 13th October. Returning at 10.00pm Cost £25 For further details please contact Tina @ 07517151978

BEGINNING EXPERIENCE The loss of a partner through death, separation or divorce is devastating. Beginning Experience is offering a programme of bereavement support in St Bride's Hall, Derryvolgie Ave., Belfast on three Saturdays (28th September, 26th October and 30th November) Booking essential. To find out more, contact Pauline 07519289185 or Marie 07896119669 or email belfastbe@yahoo.com

DANCE FOR FUN in aid of Healing Venezuela 20th September 2024 7pm – 9pm at St James' Parish Hall, 463 Shore Road, Whiteabbey

What to expect:

- ✓ Latin Music
- ✓ Professional Dance instruction
- ✓ Community and Charity

Support a cause, dance with purpose. Donation £10. For more information, contact Marisol at 07817725475

CLOTHES FAIR

Pre-loved clothing and shoes from the recent Swap Fair will be available in St Colman's Hall after Mass this Sunday. Donations in aid of Healing Venezuela.

ST LOUIS GRAMMAR SCHOOL – CENTENARY GALA BALL

2024 marks one hundred years since St Louis Grammar first opened its doors to Catholic girls from Ballymena and the surrounding areas. As part of the school's Centenary celebrations, a Gala Ball is being held at the Tullyglass House Hotel on Saturday 9th November. You can get your tickets now at www.friendsofstlouisballymena.com

ST BENEDICT'S COLLEGE, RANDALSTOWN JOB VACANCIES

St Benedict's College urgently require the following:

- *Temporary Building Supervisor
- *Temporary Technician(s) to cover ICT, TD, Reprographics

Any interested parties should make contact with the school on 028 94472411