



The Loughshore Parishes



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



13 October 2024

28th 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.

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*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: Anne Kelly, Kevin Colaluca, Marie
Fitzsimons (in New Zealand)

Months Mind: Patricia Phillips, Joanne Nolan, Anne
Cathcart, Christine Hughes

Anniversaries: Una Hughes (2nd), Patricia McCoy,
Bridie Park, Angela Snoddy, Maureen Keenan,
Elizabeth Trainor

MASS INTENTIONS

Saturday

Whitehouse 5pm – Patricia McCoy anniversary

Sunday

St Colman's 9.30am – Marie Fitzsimons (recently
deceased) & Elizabeth Trainor anniversary

DO THIS IN MEMORY MASS

The next Do This in Memory Masses for children
preparing for Sacraments will be on 26th & 27th October.
The schedule of Masses for the year ahead can be found
on the [parish website](#).

PRISON WEEK 13th TO 19th OCTOBER 2024

aims to gather the Church in prayer for the needs of all
those affected by prisons: prisoners and their families,
victims of crime and their communities, those working
in the criminal justice system and the many people
caring for those affected by crime inside and outside of
our prisons. The theme for this year is – *Jesus looked at
him and love him*. This year we invite you to remember
that he looks at you and loves you, as he looks at them
and loves them. Fr Stephen McBrearty, Lead
Coordinator of Catholic Chaplains Northern Ireland
Prison Service, would ask that you take a few minutes
out of your day to pray the prison week prayer.

THE PRISONS WEEK PRAYER

Lord, you offer freedom to all people.

We pray for those in prison.

Break the bonds of fear and isolation that exist.

*Support with your love prisoners and their families and
friends, prison staff and all who care.*

Heal those who have been wounded

*by the actions of others,
especially the victims of crime.*

*Help us to forgive one another, to act justly,
love mercy and walk humbly together with Christ in his
strength and in his Spirit, now and every day.*

Amen



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CATHOLIC BISHOPS' PASTORAL LETTER WELCOMING MIGRANTS TO IRELAND

On Sunday 13th October 2024, the Bishops of Ireland published a pastoral letter to welcome migrants to Ireland. As Christians, we have a responsibility to respond to the key question of immigration across our island, and the world. This fundamental question asks, "Who is my neighbour?", and to answer this we are informed by the parable of the Good Samaritan (*Luke 10:29-37*). In the light of the Gospel and Catholic Social Teaching, our bishops offer this reflection on what hospitality for migrant people means in contemporary Ireland.

Mindful that migration has been a central part of our history, the Pastoral Letter provides a space to us as 'migrant pilgrim people' to contemplate the causes of migration, the gifts that migrants bring to our Church and our country, the economic and social issues we all face in Ireland, and the importance of *encounter* in building a true sense of belonging in every parish and community.

The Pastoral letter can be read on the [parish website](#).



MISSION SUNDAY

Next Sunday, 20th October, is Mission Sunday and a special

collection will be taken up at all Masses. Parishioners who have been allocated a box of envelopes will already have an envelope to make a financial contribution to the work of Missio Ireland. For parishioners who do not currently have a box of envelopes, Missio envelopes will be available at the back of the church this weekend. Please take one home and return it next week.

Any parishioners who do not currently have a box of envelopes and would like to contribute to the upkeep of the parish should contact the parish office on 02890370845.

COMMUNION SERVICE

There will be no weekday Masses this week and Communion Services will be held instead at the usual Mass times.



PAUSE FOR HOPE

Sunday 27th October at 3.30pm in Clonard Church - Bringing together in prayer those

who have or have had cancer and their loved ones, and those who care for them.

St Mary's Church Chapel Lane, Belfast 15th & 16th October 2024

Tuesday 15th

- 12 noon: Angelus Bell: Liturgy of Welcome for the Relics.
- 1.00pm: Mass of Our Lady of Lourdes.
- 3.00pm: Lourdes Water Ritual, Rosary mediation, Litany of St. Bernadette.
- 4.00pm: Lourdes Water Ritual, Rosary mediation, Litany of St. Bernadette.
- 5.00pm: Lourdes Water Ritual, Rosary mediation, Litany of St. Bernadette.
- 6.00pm: Angelus - followed by period of quiet preparation for Mass.
- 7.00pm: Mass of St. Bernadette followed by Marian Candlelight Procession.
- 11.00pm: Church closes.

Wednesday 16th

- 7.00am: Mass of Our Lady of Lourdes.
- 9.00am: Lourdes Water Ritual, Rosary mediation, Litany of St. Bernadette.
- 10.00am: Lourdes Water Ritual, Rosary mediation, Litany of St. Bernadette.
- 11.00am: Lourdes Water Ritual, Rosary mediation, Litany of St. Bernadette.
- 12 noon: Angelus - Followed by period of quiet preparation for Mass.
- 1.00pm: Mass of St. Bernadette.
- 3.00pm: Lourdes meditation on the Stations of the Cross.
- 4.00pm: Lourdes Water Ritual, Rosary mediation, Litany of St. Bernadette.
- 5.00pm: Lourdes Water Ritual, Rosary mediation, Litany of St. Bernadette.
- 6.00pm: Angelus - followed by period of quiet preparation for Mass.
- 7.00pm: Concluding Mass of the Immaculate Conception, followed by Benediction.
- 11.00pm: Church closes.



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ABIDE IN HIS LOVE WOMEN'S CONFERENCE

15 – 17th November at The Great Northern Hotel, Bundoran, Co. Donegal. To register, visit Eventbrite.ie and search for "Abide in His Love." Further information, including accommodation details, will be sent via email upon registration.



BINGO

There will be bingo on Saturday 19th October at 7.30pm in St James' Hall. Tea and coffee will be served. Books are £10



STELLA MARIS JOB VACANCY

Regional Port Chaplain Northern Ireland
Hours: 40 hours per week
Salary: £30,000 gross per annum
Location: Ports and harbours throughout

Northern Ireland. Further information relating to this role can be found on the following websites:

www.charityjob.co.uk and www.communityni.org/job