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

25th September 2022

26th Sunday of the Year

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

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'

BAPTISMS: Baptisms are taking place on Saturday 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)

E-mail: loughshore@downandconnor.org website: www.loughshoreparishes.org
Links to webcam via parish website or

www.churchmedia.tv

REST IN PEACE

Recently deceased: Nan McAlinden, Francis Gallagher, Gerard Synott, Alice Gillen, Patrick McConville

Months Mind: Hannah Cochrane, Patricia

Lowry

Anniversaries: Suzanne McCullough, Alex Turner, Robert McCrystal, Teresa Wells,

Patrick O'Neill, Bernard Condit

MASS INTENTIONS

Saturday

Whitehouse 5pm – John McCrystal (9^{th)} Greencastle 6.30pm – Teresa Wells (50th)

WEEKLY COLLECTION

Greencastle £421.78, Whitehouse £449.00, St James' £319.60, St Colman's £185.00

SECOND COLLECTION

Greencastle £67.20, Whitehouse £96.00, St James' £22.00, St Colman's £28.00

AUTUMN COLLECTION

Greencastle £79.70, Whitehouse £100.00, St James' £41.00, St Colman's £82.00 **SHRINES**

St Colman's £394.50

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 and throughout liturgical celebrations, even when seated.

TAIZÉ PRAYER AROUND THE CROSS

on Friday 30th September 8-9pm, in Holy Family Church, Limestone Road. Everyone is warmly invited.

FIRST SATURDAY DEVOTIONS

Will take place in Holy Family Church, Limestone Road on 1st October. 10.00am Adoration of the Blessed Sacrament, Confessions and Act of Consecration 11.00am Holy Sacrifice of the Mass

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COASTAL ROSARY FOR FAITH & LIFE IN IRELAND

On Sunday October 9th, the annual Coastal Rosary will take place at 2.30pm. Join thousands from around Ireland to pray the Rosary for Life and Faith at our coasts, grottos, rivers, churches, and other suitable places. Simply sign up a Rosary location at www.coastalrosaryireland.ie or text your location to 087 278 6552

LEGION OF MARY ANNUAL ROSARY PROCESSION will be held on 9th October 2022. Assemble at St John's, Falls Road, Belfast at 2.45pm. Leaving at 3.00pm, processing to St Michael's, Finaghy Road North for Benediction. Come and join us.

FUNDRAISING FOR THE PEOPLE'S KITCHEN

One of our parishioners, Peri Mullan is trying to complete the Camino de Santiago and is now down to her final few hundred kilometres. "I am hoping to walk approximately 120kms from St-Jean-Pied-de-Port to Estella, starting on 29th Sept and would like to try and use this opportunity to raise some much-needed funds for the People's Kitchen while I'm walking. In the current cost of living crisis, the People's Kitchen provide food to the most vulnerable in our society. They provide 1000 meals daily to the homeless and needy and solely rely on donations to carry out this most needed work. Any support is gratefully appreciated." Peri's contact details are: Tel. 07598785412 email perimullan@hotmail.co.uk www.just giving.com/crowdfunding/perimullan-camino

ANAM CARA BELFAST, the organisation that supports bereaved parents, is holding its monthly Parent Evening for bereaved parents on Monday 10th October at 7:30pm in the Crowne Plaza Hotel, Belfast. 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.

SACRAMENT PREPARATION CLASSES

Any children who do not attend Catholic schools will require additional classes to prepare for receiving the sacraments. Please email your contact details to loughshoresacraments@gmail.com
Children must be P4 and above. Children must be registered before the end of September. Anyone contacting after this date will be enrolled in the next year's class.

DAY FOR LIFE 2022 – CARING FOR THE OLDER PERSON

This year's *Day for Life* will be celebrated in Ireland on Sunday 2 October on the theme 'Caring for the Older Person'. We invite people to think again about the value and worth of older persons in families and in society, and to make practical choices to build bridges between the generations. We call for people and parishes to devote quality time, energy and creativity in caring for the older persons in our communities. We invite engagement in political debate on providing adequately resourced care of older persons so that no-one feels like a burden in our society. Saint Joachim and Saint Anne – Pray for us! To read the pastoral message for Day for Life in full, visit www.councilforlife.ie

DOWN AND CONNOR DIOCESAN TRUST VACANCIES - DIOCESAN CURIA OFFICE ASSISTANT FINANCE OFFICER X 2 required to provide guidance on financial accuracy, internal controls, and regulatory compliance across the Parish network. Permanent appointment for 35 hours per week. Salary: £25,000 to £35,000 gross per annum

EXECUTIVE SUPPORT OFFICER

required to provide a full portfolio of support, by way of expert secretarial, clerical, administrative and diary management services. Permanent appointment for 35 hours per week. Salary: £27,000 to £30,000 gross per annum For more details, visit Job Vacancies | Diocese of Down and Connor