

The Lough Shore Parishes

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

MASS TIMES:

SATURDAY VIGIL 5.30 pm – Whitehouse

SUNDAY MASS: 9.45 am – St Colman's
11.00 am – St James' 12.15 pm – Greencastle

WEEK DAY MASSES:

Monday 10.00 - Greenisland
Tuesday 19.00 - Whitehouse
Wednesday 09.30 - Greencastle
Thursday No Mass
Friday 10.00 - Whiteabbey

ST PEREGRINE'S NOVENA:

First Monday of the month at 7.30 pm in Greencastle

EUCCHARISTIC ADORATION:

Every Wednesday in Greencastle – 9.30 am to 7 pm

HOLY HOUR IN HONOUR OF THE DIVINE MERCY:

Second Sunday of the month at 6.30 pm in Greencastle

DIVINE MERCY EVENING – Every second Friday

7.30pm – 9.30pm St James' Church

Parish Priest: Fr. David Delargy

Parish Office:

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Webcam: mcmedia.tv (double click on picture of Whitehouse Church)

PARISH SAFEGUARDING COMMITTEE:

For information on our Parish Safeguarding procedures, contact Anne Mc Dermott (Chair) – 07948 799039

WEEKLY COLLECTION

Whitehouse £, St James' £
St Colman's £, Greencastle £

SECOND COLLECTION

Whitehouse £, St James' £
St Colman's £, Greencastle £

Last Will and Testament: Please consider including your parish in your estate planning. The parishes can only exist and function through the funding of their members. Thank you. The names of our parishes for legal purposes are: Parish of Greencastle, Star of the Sea Whitehouse and St James' Parish.

ST VINCENT DE PAUL SOCIETY: available to help in times of crisis & give assistance to those in need. Contact 90351561.

RECENTLY DECEASED: Gerard Reynolds

ANNIVERSARIES: Elizabeth Picken, Karl Finlay, John Dick, Frank & Rosaleen McGlone, Mary & John Branagan, Mark Sheppard, Joe McCourt, Neil Lyttle, Lillian McCoy, Thomas McFlynn, Mary & Owen O'Hara, Patricia Gallagher, Patsy McCourt

MASS INTENTIONS FOR THIS WEEK

Star of the Sea, Whitehouse

Sat 3rd 5.30 pm Mark Sheppard (Anniv)
Tue 6th 7.00 pm Mary & Owen O'Hara

St. James', Whiteabbey

St. Colman's, Greenisland

St. Mary's, Greencastle

Sun 4th 12.15 pm Joe McCourt (1st Anniv)
Mon 5th 7.30 pm Angela Snoddy (Birthday)
Sun 11th 12.15 pm Rosemary Leckey (Anniv)

ROSARY - St Mary's Greencastle: will be prayed every Monday at 6.45pm. All Welcome.

Public Rosary at Bawnmore Park: will continue on Tues 6th Aug (First Tuesday in the month of August) at 5 pm. All welcome

50th Anniversary Celebration of St. Mary's Greencastle

St. Mary's Greencastle celebrates 50 years as an independent Parish this year. To mark this occasion a concelebrated Mass will be arranged in October (date to be confirmed). As part of the celebration we hope to have a display of Greencastle throughout the ages. Anyone who has material that would be relevant, we would appreciate it if we could borrow this for the exhibition. Please contact the undermentioned who will be glad to collect and ensure safe return of the item(s).

Tom Mullan 07747097747; Mary McWilliams 07591759350; Isobel McQuillan 07847485542

Loughshore Parishes: The August draw will take place after mass in St Colman's this Sunday (4th August).

St Colman's Greenisland 50th Anniversary Celebrations

An initial planning meeting to discuss celebrations for the 50th Anniversary of St Colman's will be held in the church hall at 8.30pm on Tuesday 6th August. Please come and share ideas on how best to celebrate this wonderful occasion. Everyone welcome.

Edmund Rice College Sixth Form Open Day: All Prospective 6th Form Students Welcome. Thurs 22nd August 11am to 1pm. Contact the school office for more information 028 9084 8433

St Vincent de Paul Whitehouse: Annual outing - Saturday 7th Sept, leaving Whitehouse for Newcastle at 12 noon. Food served at Avoca Hotel at 4PM. A sheet will be available at the porch of the Church from Saturday 21st July for names and food choices. Cost £10.00

ARE YOU AGED 16-18? Well... your parish wants you. To hear about everything, we have planned for you come along to our youth BBQ, there will be games, food and lots of craic! **When:** August 25th at 5.30pm **Where:** St James Hall Whiteabbey. **Time:** 5.30pm – 8.00pm, **Cost:** FREE. To confirm you'll be there, or to ask any questions, text Steph on 07482251807!

HEALING VENEZUELA: We are holding a "Frock Swap afternoon/evening". Donations of £5 along with 2 or 3 Items beforehand of new/nearly new/label clothes/handbags/shoes/jewellery (suitable for kids, women and or men). Then choose 2 or 3 Items which other have donated. Your donation will include drinks and nibbles and will benefit a great cause. Your Support will be appreciated for what promises to be a good event. Saturday 10th of August @ 11:00 am to 3:00 pm and 6:45 to 9:45pm. Dallah Hall, 305 Shore Road, Whitehouse, Newtownabbey. For more information contact: Marisol Giardina on 07817725475.

Lough Derg 2019: The Three Day Pilgrimage is currently open. You may begin on any day until Tuesday 13th August. Advance booking is not necessary. The Lough Derg team can help you to co-ordinate public transport or link up with Pilgrimage Organisers in your locality. Phone Lorraine on 071 9861518 (from NI 00 353 71 9861518) email: info@loughderg.org

JESUS HEALS: Holy Mass, Preaching, Healing Adoration. Celebrant: Fr Jilto George, CMI, Shalom Director. Two events coming up in August 2019 in down and Connor. Both Venue Times 6.30pm – 9.30pm.

Thursday 8th August – St Colmcille's Church 191a Upper Newtownards Road, Belfast, BT4 3JB

Monday 12th August – St Mary, Star of the Sea, Whitehouse 305 Shore Road, Belfast, BT37 9RY.

Programme includes: Divine Mercy Chaplet, Holy Mass, Prayer & Eucharistic Adoration, Individual Anointing of Holy Oil, and Finishing with Eucharistic Blessing. You are invited to JOIN US at this MASS and EXPERIENCE JESUS' healing touch for the body, mind and soul! Contact: Jacinta 07756225114 or Roshni 07737230680. Watch on: www.ShalomWorld.org

Normal weekly bulletins have resumed with immediate effect.

Family Retreat at Drumalis: Saturday August 31st 2019 10.30am -7pm Led by Fr Darren Brennan Tea/coffee on arrival from 10am Opening session 10.30am Sunday Vigil Mass 5pm Day concludes with evening meal at 6pm £20 per person Lower age limit 16 years Lunch, tea breaks and evening meal included. For more information please contact Maura maura@drumalis.co.uk or Sheila silegg50@gmail.com. Bookings via Drumalis during office hours on [02828272196](tel:02828272196)-debitandcreditcard bookings can be made by phone.

VACANCY – Part-time Housekeeper – St Mary's on the Hill Parish, Belfast: A vacancy has arisen for a part-time Housekeeper within St Mary's on the Hill Parish, St Bernard's Presbytery, 165 Antrim Road, Belfast BT36 7QR. Permanent appointment requiring 20 hours per week. Work pattern will be 5 hours per day on Monday, Tuesday, Wednesday and Friday. However, from time to time flexibility will be required in relation to attendance and hours. Full details relating to the vacancy can be found on the Diocesan website at: <http://www.downandconnor.org> clicking on the tab: job vacancies and on the Community NI website, where terms and conditions relating to the role can also be accessed by way of a Role Profile and Employment Application form. Application packs are also available from St Mary's on the Hill Parish Office. We welcome applications from anyone who feels they meet the criteria and are interested in playing an active part in the Parish. Closing date for applications will be 12.00 noon on Friday 16th August 2019. Down and Connor Diocesan Trust is an Equal Opportunities Employer

Making a Killing Join Trócaire for their annual talk at *Féile an Phobail*. Making a Killing: holding corporations to account for land and human rights violations. Speakers include Caoimhe De Barra, Trócaire's CEO. Thur 8th Aug 7pm, St. Mary's University College

Youth 2000 Summer Festival will be held from 15th - 18th August, at the Clongowes Wood College, Co. Kildare. The Youth 2000 Summer Festival is both Youth 2000's largest event and *the* largest Catholic youth event in Ireland with over 1,000 attending. There are free buses going from all around Ireland. For more information and to book your place visit <http://youth2000.ie/>



Glengormley Parish (St Mary's On The Hill; St Bernard's; St Macnissi's) Fr Patrick Sheehan, PP, VF 9083 2979 Fr Brendan Beagon, PE, CC 9084 1507 Fr Darren Brennan, CC 9083 2488

Loughshore Parishes (St Mary's, Greencastle; St Mary's, Star of The Sea, Whitehouse; St James', Whiteabbey; St Colman's, Greenisland) Fr David Delargy, PP 9037 0845 Fr Samuel Kerr, PE, CC 90365773

St Gerard's Parish (St Gerard's, Antrim Road) Fr Gerard Cassidy, CSsR, PP 9077 4833 Fr Patrick McLaughlin, CSsR, CC 9077 4833

Carrickfergus Parish (St Nicholas', Carrickfergus, Our Lady of Lourdes', Whitehead) Fr Peter Owens, PP 9336 3269