

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

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PARISH SAFEGUARDING COMMITTEE:

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

WEEKLY COLLECTION

Whitehouse £500.00, St James' £504.52
St Colman's £295.50, Greencastle £260.00

SECOND COLLECTION

Whitehouse £110.00, St James' £35.06
St Colman's £60.67, Greencastle £220.00

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: Noreen McVeigh, Thomas Breslin, Edward McCool, John Dick

MONTHS MIND: Rita O'Hanlon

ANNIVERSARIES: Stuart Snoddy, Annie Murphy, George McCourt, Thomas O'Hagan, Margaret McNally.

MASS INTENTIONS FOR THIS WEEK

Star of the Sea, Whitehouse

Sat 17th 5.30 pm Bernie Gault (2nd Anniv)

Sat 24th 5.30 pm Liam McMahon (Snniv)

St. James', Whiteabbey

Sun 18th 11 am Patrick & Eileen Lundy

St. Colman's, Greenisland

Mon 19th 10 am Stuart Snoddy (Anniv)

St. Mary's, Greencastle

Sun 18th 12.15 pm Rita O'Hanlon (Months Mind)

Sun 25th 12.15 pm Rosie Convery (1st Anniv)

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

50th Anniversary Celebration of St. Mary's Greencastle

There will be a concelebrated Mass for this occasion on Sunday, 6th October 2019 at 3.00pm. Bishop Noel Treanor and some of the past and present clergy will be in attendance. More material in relation to Greencastle throughout the ages would be gratefully appreciated. Please contact those named below who will be glad to collect and ensure safe return of the item(s). Tom Mullan 07747097747, Mary McWilliams 07591759350, Isobel McQuillan 07847485542

HEALING VENEZUELA : Thank you all that have donated on the frock swap event on 10th August. A total of £700 was raised on the day. The event was very successful and we are hoping to organise another frock swap at the end of September. More information to follow.

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!

The Legion of Mary Annual Young Adult Catholic Conference takes place in All Hallows College, Dublin on Saturday August 31st and Sunday September 1st 2019. Prices range from €25-€50, accommodation also available. For further details visit our website <http://www.legionofmary-deusetpatria.com/> or contact Lucy 087 9959803.

TINYLIFE: currently recruiting for Family Support Volunteers to help us offer practical support to families of premature babies, in the following areas:- Omagh, Enniskillen, Fermanagh - Newry, Newcastle, Lurgan, Portadown & Armagh. You must be aged 22 + and be able to volunteer for one morning or afternoon each week. Full training will be delivered on Saturday 14th, Wednesday 18th and Saturday 28th September (attendance is required on all 3 days). If you are interested, please contact us at:
Email: info@tinylife.org.uk Telephone: 028 9081 5050

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-debitandcreditcard bookings can be made by phone.

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 in the porch of the Church from Saturday 21st July for names and food choices. Cost £10.00

The Joy of Love in Marriage: A Marriage Enrichment Weekend offers married couples of all ages in a good relationship, private time to rekindle the joy of their love. The next (residential) Weekends (Fri 8pm to Sun 4:30pm) will be held at the Dromantine Conference Centre, Newry from 13 – 15 Sep 2019 and at The Lake Hotel Killarney from 15 -17 Nov 2019. For info. and to book, visit www.marriageencounter.ie or phone 087 784 0408 [ROI] or 0770 281 2321 [NI].

FAITH AND LIFE CONVENTION 2019: Online bookings for this year's Faith and Life Convention are now open. Saturday, 28 September 2019 at Our Lady and St Patrick's College in Belfast. This year our theme for the convention is *Faith in a Better World* and our Keynote Speaker will be Michel Camdessus.

Prayer for the Child in the Womb: Lord Jesus, you are the source and lover of life. Reawaken in us respect for every human life. Help us to see in each child the marvellous work of our Creator. Open our hearts to welcome every child as a unique and wonderful gift. Guide the work of doctors, nurses and midwives. May the life of a mother and her baby in the womb be equally cherished and respected. Help those who make our laws to uphold the uniqueness and sacredness of every human life, from the first moment of conception to natural death. Give us wisdom and generosity to build a society that cares for all. Together with Mary, your Mother, in whose womb you took on our human nature, help us to choose life in every decision we take. We ask this in the joyful hope of eternal life with you, and in the communion of the Blessed Trinity. Amen.

@Nlvoiceless Silent protest about planned liberalisation of abortion. Friday 6th September 2019, 7pm Stormont Estate. Wear dark colours. Carry a mobile phone or other electric light. Strictly no banners, slogans or flyers other than the above.

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

"Get Together", a community of bereaved families, invites you to our "From Inside Out" Conference on 19-9-19 at Riddel Hall, Queen's University, Belfast: Featuring first hand insights from children and families on grief and trauma recovery, and Keynote address by Brid Carroll, Psychotherapist and Chair of the Irish Childhood Bereavement Network. If your work or volunteering brings you into contact with bereaved children, young people and families, this conference is for you. CPD certificates issued. **For more information or to register, click here:** <https://www.cruse.org.uk/from-inside-out-conference>



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

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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