



The Loughshore Parishes



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



05 May 2024

6th Sunday of Easter

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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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: Canon Brendan Beagon, Joan
Doherty, Samuel McIlhennon, Denise O'Neill, Maureen
Montgomery

Anniversaries: Joseph Mills, Liam McDonald, James
Bleakley, Pauline Dallas, Elizabeth Heron, Annie
Tomlinson, Marie McConville, Mary Crooks, Belle
Denvir, Joe Rice, Sarah & Joseph Rogerson, Frank
Craig and Maisie Gourley

MASS INTENTIONS

Saturday

Whitehouse 5pm – Mary Crooks anniversary
Greencastle 6.30pm – Belle Denvir (14th)

Sunday

St Colman's 9.30am – Joe Rice (5th)

St James' 11am – Elizabeth Heron & Annie Tomlinson
anniversaries

Wednesday

Greencastle 9.30am - Sarah & Joseph Rogerson, Frank
Craig and Maisie Gourley anniversaries

COLLECTION TOTALS FOR APRIL

WEEKLY COLLECTION

Greencastle £1,821.00, Whitehouse £3,994.74

St James' £2,017.48, St Colman's £953.00

SECOND COLLECTION

Greencastle £541.60, Whitehouse £616.00,

St James' £254.00, St Colman's £198.00

STIPEND

Greencastle £344.00, Whitehouse £804.69,

St James' £462.80, St Colman's £334.00

ST PEREGRINE NOVENA

will be on Monday 6th May at 7pm in St Mary's,
Greencastle



FIRST HOLY COMMUNION

We would like to invite the parish
community to pray for the children of St
James' Primary School and the Loughshore
Sacrament Class who will be celebrating their First
Holy Communion this coming week.

PARISH OFFICE will be closed on Bank Holiday
Monday, 6th May, reopening on Tuesday 7th May.



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ANNUAL NOVENA TO OUR MOTHER OF PERPETUAL HELP: 13TH MAY – 21ST MAY



St Gerard's will celebrate this year with neighbouring parishes and the theme will be "Creating a Culture of Care". The Novena will reflect on the love of our compassionate God; a love that knows no bounds.

Holy Family Church, Limestone Road

Monday 13th May to Friday 17th May

9.30am and 7.30pm

St Gerard's Church, Antrim Road

Saturday 18th May 9.30am and 6.30pm

Sunday 19th May 9.30am, 11.30am and 7.30pm

Holy Family Church, Limestone Road

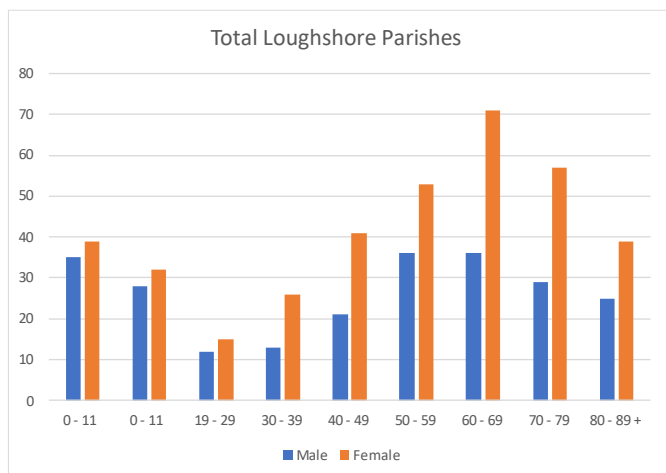
Monday 20th May & Tuesday 21st May

9.30am and 7.30pm

St Gerard's Parish warmly invite you to participate in our Annual Novena in honour of Our Mother of Perpetual Help. Everyone is welcome!

PARISH CENSUS

Thank you for participating in the annual parish census last weekend. The data captured is available to view on the parish website : [Annual-Parish-Census-2024](#)
There was a special Youth Mass last weekend, and so, the numbers may be slightly higher than they would usually be, but it is very encouraging to see so many young people attending Mass, particularly in St James', and being involved in the life of the parish.



REFLECTING ON THE SYNODAL JOURNEY

The Benedictine Monks at Holy Cross Abbey invite you to reflect on the Synodal Journey with Dr. Catherine E. Clifford. Dr Clifford is a Professor of Systematic and Historical Theology at Saint Paul University, Ottawa. Her teaching, research, and publications are in the areas of ecclesiology, ecumenism, and the history of the Second Vatican Council.

She is a member of the Methodist Roman Catholic International Commission and is one of the Canadian delegates chosen to be a lay voting member at the Synod on Synodality.

The event takes place over three evenings, Tuesday 14th May, Wednesday 15th May and Thursday 16th May 2024 @ 7.30 p.m. in Holy Cross Abbey, Rostrevor.

Everyone is welcome to any one or all these evenings.

OUR LADY OF FATIMA ROSARY RALLY

Will take place on Saturday 11th May at 4pm at St Oliver Plunkett Church, Lenadoon in the carpark at the Grotto of Our Lady of Mercy.

Everyone welcome to come and pray the rosary and prayers of Our Lady of Fatima. This initiative is being held at the same time throughout Ireland in different venues

MARY'S MEALS - PRAY IN MAY

Mary's Meals, provides school meals to over 2.4 million children every day. During the month of May, dedicated to Our Lady, we invite you to join us in praying for the hungry children who rely on our life-changing school meals, and for all the children and families around the world who live in poverty. We are praying particularly for families facing extreme food insecurity and hunger in Ethiopia. Further details on our Ethiopia appeal and prayer resources for adults and children can be found at

www.marysmeals.org.uk/prayinmay

ANAM CARA BELFAST, the organisation that supports bereaved parents, is holding its monthly Parent Evening for bereaved parents on Monday 13th May at 7:30pm in the Balmoral Hotel, Belfast, BT10 ND. 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. We also offer an online meeting which takes place 2nd Thursday To join please contact us on 028 95213120.