

GREENCASTLE

Sat. 10 <sup>th</sup> Sept.	St. Patrick's, Greencastle	6.00pm	Vigil Mass
Sun. 11 <sup>th</sup> Sept.	Our Lady of Wayside, Broughderg	11.30am	Mass
Tues. 13 <sup>th</sup> Sept.	St. Patrick's, Greencastle	12..30pm	Mass
Sat. 17 <sup>th</sup> Sept.	St. Patrick's, Greencastle	6.00pm	Vigil Mass
Sun. 18 <sup>th</sup> Sept.	Our Lady of Wayside, Broughderg	11.30am	Mass

COLLECTION: Greencastle: £1,370

**Farewell / Thank You Evening for Fr. Eddie Gallagher:** Friday 21<sup>st</sup> October in Greencastle Community Centre. Further details later or enquiries to Maria call (028) 8164 8357 or WhatsApp 07768 395 038

**Safeguarding Sunday (18<sup>th</sup> September, 2022):** Mass takes place next Sunday at 3.00pm in St. Columb's Church, Waterside, Derry. Safeguarding Sunday is a chance to shine a light on what our diocese is doing to ensure our parish communities and our places of worship are safe environments. Protecting children, and adults at risk, is at the heart of the Church's message. The National Board for Safeguarding Children in the Catholic Church in Ireland has developed comprehensive safeguarding standards which are designed to support best practice in providing safe environments and child-protection procedures. The Diocese of Derry, along with all Church bodies, is committed to complying with these standards. This year's Safeguarding Sunday We take this opportunity to thank and pray for those who have stepped up to co-ordinate safeguarding in our church so that we can ensure the protection of children and adults at risk. We believe that safeguarding is an outworking of our faith in a loving and just God - the God who calls us to speak up on behalf of those who cannot speak for themselves and to defend the rights of the vulnerable (Proverbs 31:8).

**Trócaire is looking for people to join our team of Christmas fundraisers** to help respond to the urgent need of poor communities around the world, especially the millions of people affected by the hunger crisis in East Africa. You can take action and make a difference through a range of activities, including the promotion of our Gifts of Love – training and support will be provided. If you would like to find out more about what you can do to help now or over the Advent and Christmas period, then please email Mark McMahon at [infol@trocaire.org](mailto:infol@trocaire.org) or call 028 9090 8030.

**Derry Youth Scholarship Programme:** A year-long programme for young people in 6<sup>th</sup> Form or doing their Leaving Cert. The programme provides opportunities for young people to meet others from across the diocese, to come together to explore their faith, to meet new friends, gain training and learn new skills, and work with a charitable organisation. If you are interested in this programme or would like more information, please message us @Derryyouth on social media or email Niamh at [niamh.mclaughlin@derrydiocese.org](mailto:niamh.mclaughlin@derrydiocese.org)

**Gamblers Anonymous:** Is Gambling affecting your life? Perhaps we can help. (028) 7135 1329

**Queen's University Catholic Chaplaincy – New Academic Year:** Monday 12<sup>th</sup> September. Open during term from 10.00am to 10.00pm, Monday to Thursday and Fridays (10.00am to 3.00pm), the Chaplaincy provides vital pastoral and faith supports to students, offering them a home-from-home during their time at university. More on what's on offer can be found at [qbcatholic.org](http://qbcatholic.org). Mosaic Café is open Monday to Friday from 10.00am to 3.00pm. Sunday evening Mass, open to the University community and wider public, resumes Sunday 18<sup>th</sup> September at 8.00pm. *Spread the word, especially with any incoming or returning students!*

BADONEY LOWER (Gortin – Rouskey)

Sat. 10 <sup>th</sup> Sept.	St Patrick's, Gortin	7.30pm	Vigil Mass
Sun. 11 <sup>th</sup> Sept.	St Mary's, Rouskey	10.00am	Mass
Sat. 17 <sup>th</sup> Sept.	St Patrick's, Gortin	7.30pm	Vigil Mass
Sun. 18 <sup>th</sup> Sept.	St Mary's, Rouskey	10.00am	Mass

**Adoration of the Blessed Sacrament-St Patrick's Gortin,** Sunday 3.30 – 5.30pm every Sunday during September.

**Cappagh / Badoney CCE – Upcoming Events:** To enquire / book call Bridget on 07710 990 616

**Concert:** Friday 16<sup>th</sup> Sept in Plumbridge Parochial Hall. Tickets are £20 each (limited availability)

**Music Workshops:** Saturday 17<sup>th</sup> September in St. Peter's PS, Plumbridge from 11.00am to 1.00pm. Improvers and advanced abilities welcome Whistle (PJ McDonald) • Accordion (Annette Owens) • Fiddle (Stephen Hayden) • Banjo (Maurice Hayden)

**La Spraoi:** Glenelly Clubrooms from 11.00am to 1.00pm *Various activities*

**Music classes:** Face-to-face return to St. Peter's PS on Monday 3<sup>rd</sup> October for fiddle, banjo, guitar, mandolin, whistle and accordion All abilities are catered for.

**Patients of Sperrin Family Practice, Plumbridge and Gortin Reminder:**

The electricity supply being off all day on Tuesday, 13<sup>th</sup> September 2022, the Practice will be operating an emergency service only on that day. Patients should therefore avoid contacting the Surgery. Normal service resumes on Wednesday, 14<sup>th</sup> September. Thank you for your cooperation.

**Derry Diocesan Pilgrimage to Knock Shrine:** Saturday 24<sup>th</sup> September 2022, led by Bishop Donal McKeown. Stations of the Cross at 2:00pm followed by Mass at 3:00pm, with Sacrament of the Sick. Buses will travel from a variety of pick-up points. Contact Fr Patrick Lagan at St Eugene's Cathedral on 028 7126 2894 or email the parish office at [cathedral@derrydiocese.org](mailto:cathedral@derrydiocese.org)

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ROUSKEY CDA NOTES

**Rouskey CDA AGM is on Wednesday 14 September at 8pm.** We welcome new members onto our management committee. We will have guest speakers.

Drama with Vanessa is back on Thursday 15<sup>th</sup> September at 630pm. 10 children needed to run the class from P2 upwards.

Healthy and Nutrient Winter Food - Kate will cook healthy winter meals over 4 weeks for people over 60 starting Tuesday 20<sup>th</sup> September. We have been funded by community foundation. Donations are welcome. For further information contact Bridie 07591047556.