

Parish of Greencastle, Co. Tyrone (Diocese of Derry)
St. Patrick's, Greencastle **Our Lady of the Wayside, Broughderg**
Eighth Sunday in Ordinary Time [Year A] (26th February, 2017)
 Parochial House, 164, Greencastle Road, Sheskinshule, Omagh, BT79 7RU
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Thought for the Week: "We urge all voters to take seriously the responsibility of voting in the forthcoming Assembly Election. As Catholics we have a duty to be hopeful and, despite the challenges, to work towards creating a society that values all of its people. Pope Francis reminds us that engaging with the democratic process is primarily about participation in a process that can lead to a more just society: "None of us can say, 'I have nothing to do with this, they govern...' No, I am responsible for their governance, and I have to do the best so that they govern well, and I have to do my best by participating in politics according to my ability. Politics, according to the Social Doctrine of the Church, is one of the highest forms of charity, because it serves the common good. I cannot wash my hands"
Pope Francis on Vatican Radio (September 2013)
Northern Bishops Statement in advance of 2nd March's Assembly Election
The full statement can be accessed on our parish website

Liturgy Schedule for the Eighth Week in Ordinary Time [Year A] (26th February – 5th March)

Saturday 25th February	St. Patrick's	6.00pm Vigil Mass: Bernard McLaughlin (Month's Mind)
Sunday 26th February Eighth Sunday in Ordinary Time	St. Patrick's Our Lady of the Wayside	9.00am Mass (Missa Pro Populo) 11.00am Mass
Monday 27th February Eighth Week in Ordinary Time	St. Patrick's	10.00am Mass
Tuesday 28th February Eighth Week in Ordinary Time	St. Patrick's	9.00am Mass
Wednesday 1st March <i>*Distribution of Ashes to mark Ash Wednesday</i>	St. Patrick's Our Lady of Lourdes PS Our Lady of the Wayside	6.45am and 10.00am Mass* 9.00am Ceremony for schoolchildren* 8.00pm Mass*
Thursday 2nd March Eighth Week in Ordinary Time	St. Patrick's	10.00am Mass followed by the Adoration of the Blessed Sacrament and Confessions until 11.00am
Friday 3rd March Eighth Week in Ordinary Time	St. Patrick's	10.00am Mass followed by Stations of the Cross 7.30pm Mass: Jim and Rose Kirk (Anniversary)
Saturday 4th March St. Casimir	St. Patrick's	10.00am Mass followed by the Adoration of the Blessed Sacrament and Confessions until 11.00am 6.00pm Vigil Mass: Rose Morris (Anniversary) 9.00am Mass (Missa Pro Populo)
Sunday 5th March First Sunday of Lent	St. Patrick's Our Lady of the Wayside	11.00am Mass

Lenten Programme: In addition to the usual Mass schedule there will be 6.45am Mass on each of the Mondays of Lent, along with Stations of the Cross after 10.00am Mass each Friday of Lent. *Mass at 7.30pm on the Fridays of Lent* • *All in St Patrick's*

Weekly Collection: £1,100 • **Lourdes Hospitalite:** £470

Baptism Congratulations: We welcome into God's family Baby **Annie Kate Brogan** who received the Sacrament of Baptism on Friday 17th February in St. Patrick's Church.

Remembering our Dead: We pray for the happy repose of the soul of **Bernard McLaughlin** whose Month's Mind occurs at this time. We also pray for the repose of the souls of **Maggie Bradley, Rose Morris, Jim and Rose Kirk** and **Michael Keenan** whose anniversaries occur at this time.

Sick and Housebound: Fr. Gallagher will visit on Ash Wednesday 1st March at 11.30am and 2.30pm as indicated last month.

Visit of Statue of Our Lady of Fatima to St. Eugene's Cathedral: On Wednesday 11th January Pope Francis blessed six statues of Our Lady of Fatima to be brought to each continent to appeal for prayer and reparation for world peace and to promote the sanctity of family life in our world. One of the statues blessed on that day will be brought to St. Eugene's Cathedral, Derry on Tuesday 7th March by representatives of the Alliance of the 2 Hearts.

Reception of the statue at St. Eugene's Cathedral at 12.30pm followed by Mass at 1.00pm
 Eucharistic Adoration will continue throughout the afternoon until 7.30pm – Everyone is welcome to attend
 Concluding with Mass at 7.30pm: those present at the 7.30pm Mass may be consecrated to the Sacred Heart of Jesus and the Immaculate Heart of Mary

Next Week's Readings: Genesis 2:7-9 • Psalm 50:3-6, 12-14, 17, R/ cf v 3 • Romans 5:12-19
 Matthew 4:1-11 • Lectionary 1:201 **Sunday [Year A] • Weekday [Year 1]**

Parish Liturgy for March, 2017	St. Patrick's (6.00pm Vigil Mass)	St. Patrick's (9.00am Mass)	Our Lady of the Wayside (11.00am Mass)
Readers	Francis McDermott	Nuala Glass	Brendan / Helen McKenna
Eucharistic Ministry	Mary Tracey	Maria Bradley	Mary McCrory
Prayers of Intercession	Erin Hood	Aileen Tracey	Grace Conneely
Collectors	Margaret Morris Michael McNamee	Frank Keenan Patrick Tuohey	Tony Donnelly Brian Gillen
Altar Society	Mary McNamee, Patta McDermott and Mary McCrory		Anne McDermott Josephine Clarke

6.00pm Saturday Vigil Saturday 25 th February The family of Shane Molloy	Offertory Gift Rota Eighth Sunday in Ordinary Time	9.00am Sunday Morning Sunday 26 th February The family of Cody McAleer
Saturday 4 th March The family of Mary-Jo Morris	First Sunday of Lent	Sunday 5 th March The family of Mollie McCullagh
If you cannot attend please ensure that you have arranged with another family for the gifts to be presented We need new volunteers in every aspect of life		

Pioneer Lenten Challenge: Many people abstain from alcohol and take the Short-Term Pledge for the duration of Lent. You can make your Lenten pledge by visiting www.pioneerassociation.ie and joining online or by contacting local parish Pioneer representatives. Take this opportunity to help someone you know/love with an alcohol or drug problem by offering up your Lenten sacrifice as a prayer for their freedom and well-being. Go for it and make a difference to someone's life!

10th Annual Award Ceremony for The Pope John Paul II Award Celebrations:
Knock Shrine: Wednesday 5th April from 11.00am to 4.00pm (Mass at 3.00pm)
Rome Pilgrimage: [Group 1] Sunday 29th October to Thursday 2nd November
 [Group 2] Monday 30th October to Friday 3rd November (including an audience with Holy Father, Pope Francis)
 All Pope John Paul II Award participants, past and present are invited to take part in these very special celebrations along with their parish leaders and Award leaders. Please note that you must be over 18 to take part.
To find out more visit thepopejohnpauliiaward.com or call Sean at the Diocesan Catechetical Centre on (028) 7126 4087

Medjugorje Irish Centre Pilgrimages: Airport Transport and 7 nights B&B €279 – Call for flight info.
Tel: 01 443 4510 • **Email:** reservations@med-irishcentre.com

Pilgrimage to Medugorje: Wednesday 6th to Wednesday 13th September
 Direct flights from Belfast, half board in the Leone Hotel and all tax and insurance £579
 Contact Maria on (028) 8164 8357 or 07768 395 038 for more details

ST Joseph's Church Kileenan – Special Evening of Gospel and Folk Music: Sunday 5th March at 7.00pm.
 Guests include Malachi Cush, Andrea Begley, Justin McGurk, Gerry Loughran with guest speaker Mickey Harte
Proceeds in aid of Church Building Fund and Kildress Health Matters
Tickets: £20 available from Justin McGurk (07747 692 749) • Des Keenan (07768 535 626) • Seamus McNally (07775 617 630)

Owenkillew Play Actors – The Crow's Foot (John McDermott) and Peg Monaghan's Mistake (Seamus Burke):
 Saturday 25th and Sunday 26th February at 8.00pm in the Broughderg Centre
Admission £7.00 • **Light Refreshments Served** • **Tickets Available for Both Nights**

Red Cross: Can you spare 1 hour a week? Would you like to help the Red Cross care for people in your local community? We are looking for volunteers for our wheelchair service and volunteer drivers to help with deliveries and collections. No experience necessary. Full training provided and volunteer expenses reimbursed. *Call Julie White on (028) 7186 3764 / (078) 0302 4011*

Marriage Renewal Weekend: Friday 3rd to Sunday 5th March at The Creggan Court Hotel, Athlone. Gift yourselves a special weekend break together to boost and refresh your relationship. Weekends are presented by Catholic Marriage Encounter in Ireland. *For more information and to book visit marriageencounter.ie or call (087) 784 0408*

South West College – Open Day Experience: Tuesday 28th February from 12.00pm to 8.00pm in the Enniskillen Main Campus and the Technology and Skills Campus. **Tel:** 0845 603 1881 • **Online:** swc.ac.uk/opendays

Whist Drive: Friday 3rd March at 8.00pm in Aghabrack Hall in aid of the Building Fund. **Admission £10** (includes supper)

Annual Divine Mercy Conference: Saturday 25th (doors open at 9.00am) and Sunday 26th February at the RDS. It will be streamed live again this year to the Plaza, Buncrana. As in previous years confessions on Saturday 2.45pm and Mass on Saturday and Sunday on site. Light refreshments. *Visit websiteforspeakersandtimetable.com for more info call 087 291 3187 / 07493 624 44*

Pope Francis' Intention for March (please remember this in your personal prayers)
Support for Persecuted Christians
 That persecuted Christians may be supported by the prayers and material help of the whole Church

St. Vincent de Paul Helpline: For those in need of assistance please call 07738 837 992

Cursillo – 3-Day Residential Weekend for Women at the Carmelite Retreat Centre in Termonbacca, Derry:
Thursday 9th to Sunday 12th March. *For more information call 07708 066 939 or 07841 100 174*

Child Safeguarding: If you or anyone you know has a concern or wishes to report an allegation directly to the statutory authorities, please contact the PSNI / local Health and Social Care Trust. If you are contacting the latter, ask to speak to the Duty Social Worker. Alternatively, if you have a child safeguarding concern in relation to any member of Church personnel and wish to report it to Church authorities, please contact one of the diocesan designated persons, who will in turn report your concern to the relevant statutory authorities.

See poster at entrances

Kindercare Fostering NI: Could you help a child in need? Northern Ireland is currently experiencing a severe shortage of foster carers and particularly carers from the Catholic Community. We are a not-for-profit organisation which works to find safe, secure and loving homes for children and young people in need in Northern Ireland. If you are interested in finding out more:

Tel: (028) 90941690 • **Email:** gillian.devlin@kindercare.co.uk • **Website:** kindercareni.co.uk

MARA (Maximising Access in Rural Areas): Find out if you're missing out on benefits, services or grants by booking your FREE home visit. Referrals can be made for benefits checks, home safety visits, occupational therapy assessments as well as others. You'll also receive a FREE bag containing £25 worth of items to help keep you warm this winter.

Call Carol on (028) 8225 1559 to book

Irish Episcopal Council for Emigrants – Emigrant Information Pack: Contains practical information for intending Irish emigrants, such as visa requirements, advice on health insurance, gaining employment, accommodation and other information pertaining to each of the main receiving countries. It also provides information for Irish emigrants planning to return to Ireland after a period living abroad as well as other articles and information on the theme of emigration.

If interested in receiving a free copy(s) of this booklet please contact Teresa at the Derry Diocesan Office

Email: t.mcmenamain@derrydiocese.org • **Tel:** (028) 7126 2302 • **Website:** catholicbishops.ie/tag/emigrants

ACCORD – Relationship Counseling: A service which facilitates couples and individuals to explore, reflect upon and resolve difficulties in their marriages and relationships in a confidential, sensitive, respectful and non-judgmental setting.

An appointment can be arranged by calling the Omagh Centre on (028) 8224 2439 or emailing omagh@accordni.com

Volunteer at White Oaks Acorn Organic Farm: If you have an interest in organic growing and have a few hours to spare, why not spend them with us? Contact us using the details below.

Address: IOSAS Centre and Celtic Prayer Garden, Lenamore Road, Derryvane, Muff, Co. Donegal

Tel: (00353) (0) 74 9384866 • **Website:** celticprayergarden.com • **Facebook:** IOSASCentre • **Twitter:** IOSASCentre

Family Care Society: We are presently seeking to recruit adoptive families for babies and young children.

For more information contact us via the following details (offices open weekdays from 9.00am to 1.00pm)

Tel: (028) 9069 1133 or (028) 7136 8592 • **Email:** email@familycaresociety.org • **Website:** familycaresociety.co.uk

St. Michael's Apostolate of Prayer for Priests: The co-ordinators in the Derry Diocese wish to raise awareness of the Apostolate of Prayer for Priests and to invite people from across the diocese to join in this prayer initiative. The Apostolate prayer card offers us a special opportunity to spend ten minutes each day in pray for a priest.

The co-ordinators for the diocese and their contact details are: *prayerforpriests.com*

Rosemary Johnson 07810 387 825 - brendan_rosemary@yahoo.co.uk • **Ethna Hill** 07528 249 838 - ethna776@yahoo.com
Siobhan Sweeney 07880 588 041 - siobhanswen1@yahoo.co.uk • **Eamon Cassidy** 077435 02165 - e_cassidy@hotmail.com

Sacrament of Reconciliation / Confession: The Sacrament of Reconciliation better known as Confession is very important and vital part of our lives as Catholics. The times for Confession will be as follows.

St. Patrick's: Eve of First Friday from after 10.00am Mass until 11.00am when mass is celebrated with

Adoration of the Blessed Sacrament during that time except when there is a funeral or no mass

First Saturday of each month from after mass until 11.00am with Adoration unless there is a 12noon wedding

Each Saturday Evening 5.30pm-5.45pm and after Vigil Mass on request after Mass

Our Lady of the Wayside: Each Sunday 10.30am to 10.45am and after 11.00am Mass on request after Mass

Children in Crossfire – Camino De Santiago Walking Challenge:

Thursday 30th March to Tuesday 4th April. Walk the way of St. James. *Limited places*

Website: childrenincrossfire.org • **Email:** events@childrenincrossfire.org • **Tel:** (028) 7126 9898

Annual Diocesan Mass for those with special needs and their families and friends:

Saturday 6th May at 2.00pm in St. Joseph's Church, Galliagh, Derry – Bishop McKeown will celebrate the Mass

If you have a child who wishes to receive the Sacrament of Confirmation or

First Communion at this Mass please call the Catechetical Centre on (028) 7126 4087

Vocations Information Day: Sat. 18th March, 11.00am to 4.00pm in Ardstraw House, 21a Buncrana Road, Derry.

To find out more call Fr. Paul Farren on (028) 7126 4087 or email ddcc@derrydiocese.org

Family Care Society – Interested in Adoption? We specialise in finding forever families for children aged 3 years old and upwards and for brothers and sisters. This year we have successfully placed more brothers and sisters together and half of them were over the age of 3. Many more children need forever families. Could you be their new family? We are also seeking families who would be interested in becoming concurrent carers for babies under 2 years old. If you want to talk to one of our specialist adoption practitioners contact.

Rachael (Belfast Office): (028) 9069 1133 • **Julie or Brian (Derry Office):** (028) 7136 8592

Email: email@familycaresociety.org • **Website:** familycaresociety.co.uk

Guidelines on Use of Modern Technology when Working with Children – Use of Photography and Video:

The use of photography and video is an issue of great concern among those working with children. The Diocese recognises that every parish has their own arrangements in relation to its use in schools, youth groups and for the sacraments however the guidelines have been devised below to aid parishes and diocesan groups:

- It is always good practice to seek *written* permission from a parent or guardian before taking any photographs or video footage of children. This written permission must be sought from the parent/guardian or the person who owns the photograph before it can be displayed on promotional materials or websites. This can be incorporated in the registration form when a child joins a group (template permission Resource 10);
- Neither names nor any personal information should be displayed alongside any photographs;
- Special consideration should be given where taking photographs or video footage might be misinterpreted, or the images could be seen as provocative (e.g. beach trip or gymnastics display etc.). It is not to say, however, that with the right planning, these events cannot be recorded and enjoyed.

Photography and video recording are important methods of recording social activity and providing an historic record – illustrating and validating important moments in people's lives. This process is a powerful and personal one, and therefore we must respect the rights of all to make the choice whether or not to be photographed.

From Safeguarding Policy and Procedures, published on behalf of the Diocesan Safeguarding Committee

Foyle Hospice – Become a Compassionate Neighbour: Do you have 1-2 hours free once a week to support Foyle Hospice's Compassionate Communities 'Reach Out' voluntary befriending service. It might be as simple as calling in for a cup of tea and a chat, or taking someone out to do a bit of shopping. A volunteer's visit is invaluable to someone who is feeling lonely and isolated due to an illness. Full training and ongoing support with additional training opportunities are offered to all volunteers.

Call Tracy Gray, Volunteer Coordinator on 07841 101 932 or email tracy@compassionatecommunitiesnw.com

The Net – February Edition: Now on sale, with coverage including:

- Carnhill choir help Little Orchids • Coleraine scout group appeal • Ballinascreen choir to host charity concert
- Culdaff parishioner volunteers for Malawi project • Drung fund raises thousands for Aleppo
- Strabane family's decade of dancing for charity • Ardmore prayer service marks US Naval Base anniversary
- Dungiven Bible Study leaves faithful hungry for more • Ballinascreen priest celebrates Diamond Jubilee
- Holy Family farewell to Sean Mulrine • Carnhill celebrates 40 years of worship in St Brigid's Church
- Ballinascreen delight at honour for Sr. Rose • Fr. George Doherty laid to rest in beloved Desertegney
- Holy Family faith story • 'I Am' concerts continue to draw crowds • Diocesan preparation for WMOF2018
- First Friday-Saturday devotions in Ballykelly Oratory • Diocesan Vocations Day
- New Cursillo chaplain as Fr. Doherty • Maghera, steps down after 20 years,
- Growing up under spire of St Eugene's • Children's Catechism Club • Diocesan Diary • Parish Post-its

For coverage of your parish or school faith activities just send an email to editorthenet15@gmail.com or call/text 07809 292 852

Seeing your life through the lens of the gospel – Matthew 6:24-34: John Byrne OSA (jbyrneosa@gmail.com)

1. This passage has many beautiful images and encouraging words. Read it slowly and let the words and images speak to you.
2. We all worry, and possibly spend a lot of energy on needless worry. Often the things we worry about never happen. Behind much worry lies a lack of trust in ourselves, in others, and in God. What has helped you to develop the kind of trust that helps you to avoid excessive worrying?
3. One of the situations that can cause anxiety is when we have divided loyalties. 'No one can be the slave of two masters'. A clear set of priorities can help us avoid this dilemma. What has helped you be clear in your own mind on where your priorities lie?
4. 'Set your hearts on God's kingdom first'. Has your faith in God helped you in times of anxiety? Your faith will not take away the problems, but knowing that God is with you, no matter what, can make a difference. What is your experience of this?

Musings: Fr. John Cullen (Kiltoom, Athlone, Co. Roscommon)

All of us, ordinary and flawed, have at heart a seemingly boundless longing for fulfilment. On this Day of Prayer for Temperance, we consider Matt Talbot, who had only seven people at his funeral in 1925, but whom hundreds of thousands came to see as a beacon of hope that reflects the struggles addiction can impose on someone's life. He relied on a higher power that affirmed and accepted him, without preconditions. He made an extraordinary journey from the darkness of excessive addiction to wholeness and the light of holiness. Amidst the anxieties and personal anguishes of his own pain-filled days and nights, he shows us the answer to one of the seven questions that Jesus asks in the Gospel today: 'Can any of you, for all his worrying, add one single cubit to his span of life?' Matt Talbot could identify with the words of today's Psalm: 'In God is my safety and glory, trust him at all times, pour out your hearts before him'. He imbibed the refreshing waters of grace and renewed his life as a heroic witness of the power and presence of God at work within him.

The Deep End – Don't Worry, Be Happy: Jane Mellet (mellet@gmail.com)

We all have moments of worry and anxiety. Many people are anxious about the future, planning their lives and stretching forward months and sometimes years. We can worry about finance, about relationships, about the world, our communities. In today's Gospel, Jesus urges us not to worry about material things. We should not be enslaved by possessions. We are asked 'what really rules our lives?' If it is money and objects then that leads nowhere; they do not lead to fulfilment. Worry is unproductive. We all know this but that's not very helpful when we are actually anxious about something. Jesus is urging us in today's Gospel to free ourselves of worry. Worry is a symptom of a lack of faith. Jesus is not calling us to apathy or a life of carelessness but to realise that nothing was ever achieved by worrying.

How do we respond to worry or anxiety? Do we pray? Do we talk to God and hand these things over to God? Our thoughts can bring us to imagining endless outcomes of a situation, but none of those thoughts are real. Jesus is calling us today to a deeper awareness, to a letting go, to being more present to this moment, to 'today'.

'Consider the lilies in the field, how they grow...' These words of Jesus about the providence of God are powerful and encourage us to put trust in God at the centre of our lives. God knows our deep desires and needs. The challenge of the Christian life is to place our trust in God, not material things, to stay focused on what God is doing in our lives right at this moment.

2016 Parish Statistics		
Baptisms (18) 7 Boys 11 Girls	First Holy Communions / Reconciliations (16) 10 Boys 6 Girls	Confirmations (21) 10 Boys 11 Girls
Marriages (16) 7 within parish 9 outside parish	Funerals (10) 8 within parish 2 outside parish	Station Masses in October 8
Events The death of retired Bishop of Derry Most Rev. Dr. Edward Daly is announced on Monday 8 th August Mass with Padre Pio Relic Celebrated in St Patrick's Church on Wednesday 5 th October		

Drink Wise Age Well: Are you over 50? Are you worried about your own or someone else's alcohol use?
For confidential information, advice and support call (028) 8283 9240

Towards Peace: A spiritual support service designed for those who have experienced sexual, physical, emotional or spiritual abuse by Catholic Church personnel in Ireland. Support is also available for family members of abuse survivors. The vision of Towards Peace is to provide a safe supportive space, where people who have been affected by abuse in a Church context can be accompanied as they seek their own experience of spiritual peace, one step at a time. Towards Peace provides spiritual support through one-to-one spiritual direction sessions, with a qualified spiritual companion. Up to 9 sessions are offered and they are free.

Website: towardspeace.ie • **Tel:** 01 505 3028 • **Email:** towardspeace@iecon.ie

This Week's Calendar of Feasts and Saints:

Saturday 4th March – St. Casimir [1458-1484] Strove to promote peace and the unity of Western Europe. Though a young prince he chose a life of prayer and penance. Patron Saint of Poland.

Sunday 5th March – St. Kieran (bishop) Kieran of Saigir was born in Cape Clear, Co. Cork. He is numbered among the pre-Patrician saints of Ireland. He went to the Continent, where he was baptised and later ordained priest and bishop. He returned to his father's territory, Ossory where he lived as a hermit. Disciples soon joined him and Saigir became a well-known monastery.
[NOT CELEBRATED THIS YEAR]

JMC Counselling and Training – Level 2 Award – Communicating with Children and Young People
Begins Thursday 2nd March from 3.30pm to 6.30pm in the Loreto Grammar School, James Street, Omagh BT78 1DL

This course explores development across childhood and adolescence
Participants will also understand the specialist nature of working with children and young people

Duration: 8 Weeks • **Entry Requirements:** None

Suitable for the following individuals: Teachers, Youth Workers, Social Workers, Community Workers, Child Minders or anyone who comes into contact, or works with children

To find out more call (028) 8774 6582 or visit jmccounsellingandtraining.co.uk

50th Mid-Ulster Festival of Amateur Drama: Launches Sunday 5th March at 3.00pm in The Patrician, Carrickmore. All of our patrons, players, producers, playwrights and providers of sponsorship who have supported us over the years are cordially invited.
Some entertainment, some eats and some excitement on the day!

Thornhill Ministries – Lenten Programme: Thornhill House, 121 Culmore Road, Derry

Lent from the Inside Thursdays 10.30am to 2.30pm from 9th March
Five thought-provoking retreat days to help sense where I am on life's journey

Into the Twilight Mondays 6.00pm to 7.00pm from 6th March
An oasis for silent meditation – beyond words ... beyond ...

Opening to the Word Tuesdays 10.30am to 11.45am from 7th March
Allowing the Lenten Word of God to find a place in your heart

Tel: (028) 7135 1233 • **E-mail:** thornhillministries@derrydiocese.org • **Online:** thornministries.co.uk / find us on Facebook

DATES FOR THE DIARY IN 2017

Thursday 2nd February at 7.30pm Service of Light (Primary 7 Children and Families)	Wednesday 1st March Ash Wednesday	Friday 17th March St. Patrick's Day
Thursday 30th March at 7.30pm First Confession (Primary 4 Children and Families)	Sunday 9th April Palm Sunday	Friday 14th April Good Friday
Sunday 16th April Easter Sunday	Saturday 6th May at 11.00am Confirmation	Saturday 3rd June at 12.00noon First Holy Communion
Saturday 1st July at 6.00pm in St. Patrick's Cemetery Annual Service of Intercession for the Dead	Sunday 2nd July at 11.00am in Broughderg Cemeteries Annual Service of Intercession for the Dead	