



Parish of Greencastle, Co. Tyrone (Diocese of Derry)
St. Patrick's, Greencastle **Our Lady of the Wayside, Broughderg**
Third Sunday of Easter [Year B] (18th April, 2021)
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Thought on the Week: "Knowing Jesus is a relationship so intimate that he carries his followers' burdens. He brings them joy. He walks beside them. In short, Jesus befriends those who follow him. And friendship with Jesus builds Christian community across cultural, social, and ethnic divisions." *Professor Dana L. Robert*

Saturday 17th April	St. Patrick's / YouTube	6.00pm Vigil Mass
Sunday 18th April Third Sunday of Easter	St. Patrick's / YouTube	11.00am Mass: P4 Do This in Memory
Monday 19th April	Gortin / YouTube Greencastle (FB)	10.00am Mass 8.00pm Night Prayer and Rosary
Tuesday 20th April	St. Patrick's / YouTube Badoney Lower (FB)	10.00am Mass 8.00pm Night Prayer and Rosary
Wednesday 21st April	St. Patrick's St. Patrick's / YouTube	2.00pm to 4.00pm Adoration 7.30pm Mass: John Anthony McCullagh (15 th Anniv.)
Thursday 22nd April	St. Patrick's / YouTube Greencastle (FB)	10.00am Mass 8.00pm Night Prayer and Rosary
Friday 23rd April	St. Patrick's / YouTube Badoney Lower (FB)	7.30pm Mass: Mary Ellen Daly (25 th Anniv.) 8.00pm Night Prayer and Rosary
Saturday 24th April	St. Patrick's / YouTube	6.00pm Vigil Mass
Sunday 25th April Fourth Sunday of Easter	Our Lady of the Wayside St. Patrick's / YouTube	9.00am Mass: Mary Ellen Daly (25 th Anniv.) 11.00am Mass

Remembering Our Dead: We pray for the happy repose of the soul of **Jane Bradley (née McCullagh)** who was buried this week and the souls of **Rosaleen Clarke (30th)**, **Frank Conway (30th)**, **Mary McCullagh (3rd)**, **John Anthony McCullagh (15th)**, **Mary Ellen Daly (25th)**, **Fr. John McCullagh (33rd)** and **Barney McCullagh (21st)** whose anniversaries occur at this time and for all those who have died due to Covid-19.

COLLECTIONS **Weekly:** £1,210 **Clerical Education:** £430 *Thank you for your generosity*

Centenary Celebrations for the Legion of Mary: As part of the centenary celebrations for the Legion of Mary, there will be a special Mass for the Legionaries of the diocese, live-streamed from St. Theresa's Church, Sion Mills, on Wednesday 28th April at 7.00pm, Feast of Louis Marie de Montfort, the saint who had such a major influence on Frank Duff that gave him the inspiration to set up the Legion of Mary for the first time on 9th September 1921. Unfortunately, due to Covid-19 restrictions, only a small number of representatives of the parish Legions in Co. Tyrone will be able to attend. You are invited to participate in this Mass via the parish webcam at melmoutparish.com/sionwebcam.html. The Rosary along with the Legion of Mary Prayers will then be recited.

Trócaire Box Return: As Lent draws to a close you are encouraged to make your returns to Trócaire. You can also contribute via online banking (directly to Trócaire).

Bank details for Trócaire in NI are: Sorting Code: 93.80.92, Account No: 8822 7020
 Send a cheque by post to Trócaire at 50-52 King Street, Belfast, BT1 6AD. There is a freephone number, 0800 912 1200 (NI) through which payments can be made. Donate online on the Trócaire website at trocaire.org. For those who are returning their Trócaire box to the church, you are asked to include notes or cheques only, in so far as possible, for ease of counting in general and in particular, to reduce the level of risk for the counters.

Please note that cheques should be made payable to Trócaire and not the parish

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

Next Week's Readings: Acts 4:8-12 • Psalm 117: 8-9, 21-23, 26, 28-29, R/ v 22 • 1 John 3:1-2
 John 10:11-18 • Lectionary 1:490 **Sunday [Year B] • Weekday [Year 1]**

Derry Diocesan Vocations Week: The annual celebration of Derry Diocesan Vocations Week begins Saturday 17th April and ends Good Shepherd Sunday 25th April. The theme for this year's Vocations Week is based on "Patris Corde" ("With a Father's Heart"), Pope Francis' recent publication for the year of St. Joseph. Parishioners are encouraged to participate in the schedule of daily prayer and Mass, as well as devotional reflections based on the Angelus, Daily Examen and the Mysteries of the Rosary. *Resources available at derrydiocese.org/derryvocations.org*
 On the evenings of Monday 19th April - Friday, 23rd April Bishop Donal will host a series of interviews with guests from throughout the diocese discussing how they have answered God's call to vocation. These twenty-minute interviews will be broadcast live online at 7.00pm, followed by a broadcast of the celebration of the Daily Examen. At 8.00pm, after 7.30pm Mass each evening, Bishop Donal will lead the Rosary before concluding with night prayer.
Live broadcasts can be viewed at derrydiocese.org/derryvocations.org

Keeping Up the Conversations with The Youth of Derry Diocese – Webinar Programme:
Wed. 21st April, 7.00pm Theme of Compassion. Guest speakers are Fr. John Farren (Parish of Iskaheen and Upper Moville) and representatives from the Clarendon Night Shelter, Derry.
Wed. 28th April, 7.00pm Theme 'You are the now of God'. Guest speakers are Elma Walsh, Donal Walsh (#LiveLife Foundation) and Bishop Donal McKeown (Bishop of Derry).

April Townland Mass Rota

Saturday 17th April	St. Patrick's	6.00pm	Muminamale, Alworries, Aughascribba Road
Sunday 18th April	St. Patrick's	11.00am	P4 Do This in Memory
Saturday 24th April	St. Patrick's	6.00pm	Binnefreaghan, Crockanboy
Sunday 25th April	Our Lady of the Wayside St. Patrick's	9.00am 11.00am	Broughderg, Crock Cashel, Leaghan, Brackagh South

The Net – April Edition: Sharing the fruits of the faith in the Derry Diocese. With Covid-19 restrictions still in place, the April edition of 'The Net' will only be available on the Diocesan website. However, the publication will be available again in parishes when the restrictions are lifted. For inclusion of your faith news in future editions email editorthenet15@gmail.com
 Coverage in this month's edition includes
 'The Net' youth writers report on interview with Sr. Nathalie Becquart, the Trócaire Lenten Talk, World Water Day, and Pope Francis' historic visit to Iraq • Peter Grant writes about inspiring Iskaheen and Upper Moville youth Moving youth Passion performance in St. Eugene's • April webinars with Derry Youth by Niamh McLaughlin Cappagh youths on live RTÉ Lough Derg Mass by Davog McCaffrey
 Aghyaran native Máire McAteer shares joy of serving God through Youth 2000

Life in the Spirit – Seminar (7 weeks): Starting Thursday 22nd April in conjunction with 7.30pm Holy Mass in the Sacred Heart Church, Omagh. *Join via the parish webcam at drumraghparish.com/webcam.html*
22nd April God's Love – Fr. Damian Bresnahan SMA • **29th April** Salvation – Fr. Joe Gormley
6th May The New Life - Bishop Donal McKeown • **13th May** Receiving God's Gift – Fr. Christopher McDermott
20th May Baptism in the Spirit – Fr. Eddie Magee • **27th May** Growth – Fr. Colum Curry
3rd June Transformation – Fr/ Kevin McElhennon
 "Let him who is thirsty come; Let him who desires, Take the water of life without price." Rev. 22:17
Please pray for an outpouring of the Holy Spirit on all people

Radio Maria Ireland: An Irish-run Catholic Talk-Radio Station with commercial-free broadcasting of Prayer, Catechesis, Music, Talks, Interviews and Testimonies based at St. Anthony's Business Park, Ballymount Road, Dublin 22. If you are not already a follower of the station Radio Maria Ireland encourage you to join their growing faith family! Prayer and song requests welcome. "A Catholic voice in your home". Fr Eamonn McCarthy is Director.
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 Phone – get live radio feed by calling 003531 437 3277 (no extra charges apply).