

Parishes of Greencastle and Badoney Lower (Diocese of Derry) Fr. Brian Donnelly (Parish Priest and Administrator) (028) 8164 8283 Fr. James Devine CC (028) 8230 2012 greencastleparish1@gmail.com		PLEASE SEND NOTICES FOR BULLETIN BEFORE 1.00PM WEDNESDAY	Eighth Sunday in Ordinary Time [Psalter Week IV, Year C] (2 nd March, 2025) Fr. Roland Colhoun CC (028) 8166 1445 ardstraweast@derrydiocese.org Parochial House, 164 Greencastle Road, Sheskinshule, BT79 7RU
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FRI 28 FEB	St. Patrick's, G'castle	7.30pm	Mass	Oliver McCullagh (Ann.) Sarah Ann McCullagh (Ann.)
SAT 1 MAR	St. Patrick's, G'castle	6.00pm	Vigil Mass	Jim and Rose Kirk (Ann.)
SUN 2 MAR	Our Lady of Wayside	11.30am	Mass	
MON 3 MAR	St. Patrick's, G'castle	No Mass		
		8.00pm to 9.00pm	Adoration	
TUE 4 MAR	St. Patrick's, G'castle	No Mass		
WED 5 MAR	St. Patrick's, G'castle	6.45am	Mass	
Ash Wednesday	Our Lady of Wayside	6.00pm	Mass	
	St. Patrick's, G'castle	7.30pm	Mass	
THU 6 MAR	St. Patrick's, G'castle	6.00pm to 9.00pm	Adoration	
FRI 7 MAR	St. Patrick's, G'castle	6.45am	Mass	
			No Evening Mass	
SAT 8 MAR	St. Patrick's, G'castle	6.00pm	Vigil Mass	
SUN 9 MAR	Our Lady of Wayside	11.30am	Mass	Kathleen and Paddy McGuigan (Ann..)

Parish Youth Choir: Calling all children currently enrolled in Primary 4-Year 10 who are interested in singing and would like to join a youth choir for Greencastle Parish.
Can all parents / carers please call Grainne Bradley on 07813 465 503 for more details

Junior Camino (Greencastle): For four Saturday mornings in Lent, we are inviting young people in the parish from P4 and older to come together to walk and pray. Our Camino walks will allow us to explore trails around different parts of the parish with a special surprise planned for our final walk on the fourth weekend. Like the great Camino de Santiago, the combination of walking, talking and praying is so good for the body, mind and soul, so come and join us at 10.00am at the hall on Saturday 8th March for our first adventure!

Consoling the Heart of Jesus Holy Hours:
 Starting in the second week of Lent we will have a time of prayer preparing us for Holy Week. In Eucharistic Adoration, with beautiful music, it will be a time to reflect on the depths of the sacrifice of Jesus for us, while consoling his heart who asked in the garden, "Can you watch one hour with me?" And as a parish we will. More details will follow.

An Caisleán Glas agus Sperrin Óg:
Mothers, Others and Kids Fitness: Spaces still available. Call Ciara on 07523 818 261 to reserve your place! All funds raised will go towards equipment for our G4M&O's and All-Stars teams.
Annual Club Lotto: Due for renewal shortly. *Collectors will be out in the next few weeks*

SAT 1 MAR	St. Patrick's, G'tin	7.30pm	Vigil Mass	Peggy McSwiggan (Month's Mind)
SUN 2 MAR	St. Mary's, R'skey	10.00am	Mass	Peter McSwiggan (Ann.)
TUE 4 MAR	St. Patrick's, G'tin	12.30pm	Mass	Adoration to 5.00pm
WED 5 MAR	St. Patrick's, G'tin	12.30pm	Mass	
Ash Wednesday	St. Mary's, R'skey	7.30pm	Mass	
FRI 7 MAR	St. Mary's, R'skey	7.30pm	Mass	Angela McConnell (Month's Mind)
SAT 8 MAR	St. Patrick's, G'tin	7.30pm	Vigil Mass	
SUN 9 MAR	St. Mary's, R'skey	10.00am	Mass	

Weekly Collection Totals	Greencastle: £1,270	Badoney Lower: £1,237.30
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Praying for Our Dead <i>May They Rest in Peace</i>	Greencastle	Oliver McCullagh Sarah Ann McCullagh Jim and Rose Kirk Kathleen and Paddy McGuigan
	Badoney Lower	Peggy McSwiggan Peter McSwiggan William Mitchell Eileen Bradley Angela McConnell

Mary's Meals – Emergency in Southern Africa: Southern Africa is experiencing its worst drought in 100 years, with an estimated 21 million children in the region suffering from malnutrition. Mary's Meals works in four of the worst effected countries (Malawi, Mozambique, Zambia and Zimbabwe) providing vital daily school meals to 1.5 million hungry children. To help Mary's Meals keep providing these life-changing meals and reach more children in need keep our work in your prayers and consider donating to this appeal. 10p provides a school meal.
Find out more by visiting marysmeals.org.uk or calling 0800 698 1212

Altar Servers: If any P5 - P7 child from would like to become an altar server let Fr. James know and collect a form in the sacristy to be completed and signed by a parent or guardian.

Vocation Retreat: Friday 7th to Sunday 9th March in Drumalis Retreat Centre, Larne.
For more info email Fr. Pat O'Hagan at pgoh2111@gmail.com

Child Safeguarding Spring 2025 Training Schedule

Refresher	THU 20 MAR	Green Room, Sion Mills 7.00pm to 8.30pm
	WED 2 APR	Pastoral Centre, 164 Bishop Street, Derry 7.00pm to 8.30pm

Pilgrimages in 2025 <i>Gift Vouchers available</i>	Rome to Mark Jubilee 2025 Monday 29 th September to Tuesday 4 th October	
	Shrines of France Tuesday 3 rd to Tuesday 10 th June	
	Camino Monday 18 th to Monday 25 th August	
	Medjugorje Friday 5 th to Friday 12 th September	
	<i>A deposit of £350 secures your seat on any of the Pilgrimages</i> <i>Contact Maria on (028) 8164 8357 or WhatsApp on 07768 395 038 for info</i>	

Sick and Housebound Visits | Greencastle (Fr. Devine) Tuesday 4th March, 11.00am | Rouskey (Fr. Devine) Wednesday 5th March, 11.00am