

SAT 5 AUG	St. Patrick's, Greencastle	6.00pm	Vigil Mass <i>Gérard Coyle RIP (Anniv.)</i>
SUN 6 AUG	Our Lady of Wayside, Broughderg	11.30am	Mass
TUE 8 AUG	St. Patrick's, Greencastle	12.15pm	Rosary
		12.30pm	Mass with Adoration until 5.00pm
SAT 12 AUG	St. Patrick's, Greencastle	6.00pm	Vigil Mass
SUN 13 AUG	Our Lady of Wayside, Broughderg	11.30am	Mass

SUN 6 AUG "His sovereignty is an eternal sovereignty which shall never pass away, nor will his empire ever be destroyed" (Daniel 7:14)

TUE 8 AUG St. Dominic (1170-1221) Founder of the Order of Preachers, the Dominicans

WED 9 AUG St. Feilim (6th Century) Patron Saint of the Diocese of Kilmore

THU 10 AUG St. Lawrence (258 AD) Martyred in Rome

FRI 11 AUG St. Clare (1193-1253) Founder of the order of the Poor Clares

SAT 12 AUG St. Muiredach, Patron Saint of Diocese of Killala

ROSARY ON THE COAST: Sunday 6th August at 3.00pm on Lisfannon Strand, Bunrana. *All invited*

LIGHT THE FIRE: Sunday 6th August – Archbishop Eamon Martin will relight the fire on the hill of Slane that was lit by St. Patrick in 433AD. He will be joined by Sr. Briege McKenna, Dana and Fr. Pablo. There will be Mass, Rosary and a Eucharistic Healing Service on the day. A unique and monumental event and an opportunity for each of us to shine our light and witness to our faith in a joyful and spiritually uplifting celebration. For details of a bus from your area email hillofslaneaugust6@gmail.com

LEGION OF MARY YOUNG ADULT CATHOLIC CONFERENCE: Saturday 19th and Sunday 20th August.

Two-day ticket (Saturday and Sunday) – €60 | Day rates (Saturday) – €40 / (Sunday) – €30

STUDENTS get a 10% discount (email deusetpatria@gmail.com for discount code).

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NATIONAL NOVENA AT KNOCK SHRINE: Monday 14th to Tuesday 22nd August.

Over the course of the nine-day Novena, we will hear from guest Homilists and Speakers during daily ceremonies at 3.00pm and 8.00pm at Knock Basilica. The theme this year is 'Caring for Creation'.

Family Day will take place on Sunday 20th August from 11am to 3.00pm and all are welcome.

GATHERING OF GATHERINGS: Our gatherings will resume in September with further training in lay ministry. We are encouraged to pray the Office of the Liturgy of Hours, the Prayer of the Church, (Morning and Evening prayer).
These are available online at universalis.com

POPE FRANCIS' INTENTION FOR AUGUST (REMEMBER THIS IN YOUR PERSONAL PRAYERS)

For World Youth Day: We pray the World Youth Day in Lisbon will help young people to live and witness the Gospel in their own lives.

SAT 5 AUG	St. Patrick's, Gortin	7.30pm	Vigil Mass <i>Michael Crumlish RIP (Anniv.)</i>
SUN 6 AUG	St. Mary's, Rouskey	10.00am	Mass
TUE 8 AUG	Cormac House	7.30pm	Evening Prayer of the Church (Vespers)
SAT 12 AUG	St. Patrick's, Gortin	7.30pm	Vigil Mass
SUN 13 AUG	St. Mary's, Rouskey	10.00am	Mass <i>Bernie McGillion RIP (Anniv.)</i>

COLLECTIONS | WEEKLY (G): £940 | WEEKLY (BL): 1,150.30

VISITING THE SICK (FR. DONNELLY): Tuesday 15th August (Feast Day of the Assumption of Blessed Virgin Mary) – Gortin in the morning and Rouskey in the afternoon.

LEADING GOD'S PEOPLE IN PRAYER (BADONEY LOWER): You are invited to join us on Tuesday 8th August as our parish community of faith continue to explore new ways of public prayer and worship in our parish. Evening Prayer of the Church (Vespers), 7.30pm in Oratory (Cormac House) followed by tea and discussion in meeting room. *Everyone welcome*

YOUTH CHOIR (BADONEY LOWER): Calling young people aged between 8 and 18. The choir will be returning at the end of September, alternating between Gortin and Rouskey. If your child is interested in joining the choir contact Michaela Bradley via WhatsApp on 07713 640 026 (include the name and age of the child). "To sing is to pray twice" *St. Augustine*

ST. COLUMBA'S, LONG TOWER AND ÁRAS CHOLMCILLE
 NEW RELIGIOUS AND CULTURAL TOURISM EXPERIENCE:

Now open six days a week, reflect on Colmcille's remarkable legacy and get an insight into monastic life through interactive displays, exquisite artefacts and stories that stir the soul. Entrance fee is £4pp ('bringer' is free!). Also seeking volunteers to staff reception for 3 hours a week. *Text Darinagh Boyle at 07789 850 793 or email darinaghboyle15@gmail.com for more info*

RECEPTION OF HOLY COMMUNION (ROUSKEY): To assist the free-flowing movement of the congregation, those in the galleries who wish to receive Holy Communion are requested to come forward first to the altar. Afterwards, those on the lower floor are invited to come forward.

THOUGHT FOR THE DAY – *TRANSFIGURATION OF THE LORD*: *Michael Moore OMI*

We may never experience anything as powerful as the Transfiguration. But every day in countless and seemingly small ways God does break into our world and our daily lives.

Every time we experience a moment of peace, joy, reconciliation or forgiveness, God is with us. Every time that we reach out to help another person is a moment of transfiguration both for ourselves and for those we help. Each time somebody

shows care and concern for us is a moment when God is reaching out to us. This week, let us open our hearts so that we may hear Jesus speaking to us. May we slow down and look for moments of small but important times of transfiguration in our own ordinary daily lives.

For those called to proclaim the Transfigured Christ, the Beloved Son of God, that they will "Listen to Him" as He speaks to their hearts, calling them to serve as priests of the diocese of Derry.

Canon Liam Dodds, recently ordained to the priesthood, grandson of Patsy and Kathleen McCrory (Rouskey) will celebrate Mass in Belfast on Sunday 6th August at 11.00am. The Mass, in Latin, will be in the Church of the Immaculate Conception, 577 Antrim Rd, Belfast. *Everyone welcome*