

PARISHES OF GREENCASTLE AND BADONEY LOWER

Parish Office Contact Times: Monday to Friday (except Wednesday) 10.00am - 2.00pm
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SAT 8 APR	St. Patrick's, Greencastle	8.00pm Holy Saturday Vigil Mass <i>Packie and Mary McCullagh RIP (Ann.) Anne Brennan RIP (Ann.) James Clarke Snr. RIP (Ann.) and James Clarke Jnr. RIP (Ann.)</i>
EASTER SUN 9 APR	Our Lady of Wayside, Broughderg	11.30am Easter Sunday Mass <i>Jim McCrory RIP (Anniversary)</i>
EASTER TUE 11 APR	St. Patrick's, Greencastle	12.45pm Rosary 1.00pm Mass with Adoration until 5.00pm
EASTER SAT 15 APR	St. Patrick's, Greencastle	6.00pm Vigil Mass <i>John Warnock RIP (1st Anniversary)</i>
SUN 16 APR	Our Lady of Wayside, Broughderg	11.30am Mass

COLLECTIONS (GREENCASTLE) WEEKLY: £870 CLERICAL EDUCATION: £30

BUS TO KNOCK FOR ANNUAL EUCHARISTIC ADORATION PILGRIMAGE:

Sunday 23rd April. Bus pick-up at Loughmacrory park with ride at approximately 8.00am.
Call Una on 07743 575 969 or Mona on (028) 8673 7954 | Early booking advisable

PARISH GATHERING (GREENCASTLE):

WEDNESDAY 12TH APRIL 8.00PM | THE BLUE ROOM, GREENCASTLE COMMUNITY CENTRE
To facilitate those who were unable to attend the previous one. We would love to hear your views and ideas as our Parish moves forward from "Maintenance to Mission" in accordance with the Diocesan Plan.
All parishioners are welcome (inc. those who attended in Broughderg) | Bring a friend and enjoy a cuppa!

PARISH ENVELOPES AND GIFT AID (GREENCASTLE):

The majority of Parish envelopes have now been distributed / collected.
If you have been a regular contributor to our Parish collection and have not received your envelopes, please call Anne on 07585 077 461 or Maria at (028) 8164 8357 or WhatsApp 07768 395 038.
We can now offer you the option of paying by Standing Order. If you prefer to contribute in this way, the forms are available at the back of both St. Patrick's and Our Lady of The Wayside Churches.
If you are a taxpayer, please consider gift aiding your contribution. This will not cost you anything, but it means that 25p for every £1 contribution can be reclaimed by the Parish from HMRC.
Thank you to those who distributed the envelopes and to all parishioners for your ongoing support

ST. VINCENT DE PAUL HELPLINE: For those in need of assistance please call 07738 837 992

GAMBLERS ANONYMOUS: Is Gambling affecting your life? Perhaps we can help. (028) 7135 1329

BAPTISMAL OR MARRIAGE CERTIFICATE REQUESTS: Call Fr. Donnelly on (028) 8164 8283 or the Parish Office on (028) 8164 8203

DIOCESE OF DERRY – SAFEGUARDING: If you have any concerns with regards to safeguarding children or adults in need of protection within the Church call Marie Gormley, the Diocesan Designated Liaison Person (DLP) on 07596 500 793 or emailing mariegormley@derrydiocese.org (for more info visit derrydiocese.org/safeguarding)

GIFT AID: If you wish to Gift Aid your donations to the Parish, forms are available at back of the churches, if you prefer to make your donation by Standing Order a Mandate form is available at back of church.

SYMPATHY: We extend our sympathy and prayerful support to Anne Warnock and family on the recent death of her Mum, Agnes Conway (Ballinascreen) *May she Rest in Eternal Peace*

PRAYING FOR GREENCASTLE: Mary McCullagh Packie McCullagh Anne Brennan Jamie McCullagh James Clarke Snr. James Clarke Jnr. John Warnock Jim McCrory Rosaleen Clarke
OUR DEAD BADONEY LOWER: Eamon Devine Seamus Brogan

Easter Sunday [Year A] Resurrection of the Lord (Sunday 9th April, 2023)

Notices for the bulletin must be sent no later than Wednesdays at 8.00pm

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SAT 8 APR	St. Patrick's, Gortin	9.00pm Holy Saturday Easter Vigil Mass
EASTER SUN 9 APR	St. Mary's, Rouskey	10.00am Easter Sunday Mass
EASTER FRI 14 APR	St. Mary's, Rouskey	7.30pm Mass <i>Seamus Brogan RIP (1st Anniversary)</i>
EASTER SAT 15 APR	St. Patrick's, Gortin	7.30pm Vigil Mass
SUN 16 APR	St. Mary's, Rouskey	10.00am Mass

WEEKLY COLLECTION (BADONEY LOWER): £1,335

Weekly collection boxes are available at the back of St. Patrick's, Gortin. Alternatively, you can make a weekly or monthly contribution towards the running costs of our parish by completing a Standing Order mandate form also available at the doors or contact the parish secretary. *If you're new to the parish or aren't yet registered to receive envelopes contact the parish secretary and a box can be provided for you. Complete and return a Gift Aid form which will greatly help the parish*

TRÓCAIRE BOXES CAN NOW BE RETURNED (BADONEY LOWER AND GREENCASTLE):
If possible, please change coins to notes and leave at Masses next Sunday or parochial house.

SERVING OUR PARISH (BADONEY LOWER): Over the past few years the number of people who faithfully offer their time to serve others in our parish has reduced for a variety of reasons.

We would ask you all over the next few weeks to consider what role you can play in parish life and ask you to pray for guidance and discernment so that like our Blessed Mother Mary who said Yes to the will of God you may also say yes to the call of ministry in our parish. "God would not be so unjust as to forget all you have done, the love that you have for his name or the services you have done, and are still doing, for the holy people of God." *Hebrews (6:10)*
If you would like to offer your help to the parish in any way, please complete a volunteer form available at doors to the chapels or complete the online survey on our Facebook page

OPENING OF NEW MEMORIAL GARDEN AT ST COLUMB'S COLLEGE, DERRY – INVITATION:

On Wednesday 26th April at 4.00pm Bishop McKeown will bless and dedicate a new Memorial Garden at St. Columb's College, Buncrana Road, Derry which has been created in memory of all deceased members of the College Community.
As well as honouring all of the deceased colleagues, pupils, parents and friends, two young men, Reuven Simon and Joseph Sebastian, who tragically lost their lives on Monday 29th August 2022, will be particularly remembered.

If you'd like to attend email rsvp@stcolumbscollege.org by Wednesday 19th April at 3.30pm