

**Parishes of Greencastle and Badoney Lower (Diocese of Derry)**

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Third Sunday of Christmas [Psalter Week III, Year C] (12<sup>th</sup> January, 2025)

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<b>FRI 10 JAN</b>	Our Lady of Wayside	<b>7.30pm</b> Mass <i>Michael Quinn (Month's Mind)</i>
<b>SAT 11 JAN</b>	St. Patrick's, Greencastle	<b>6.00pm</b> Vigil Mass <i>John and Bridie Tuohey (A)</i>
<b>SUN 12 JAN</b>	Our Lady of Wayside	<b>11.30am</b> Mass
	St. Patrick's, Greencastle	<b>2.00pm</b> Requiem Mass for Tony Coyle
<b>MON 13 JAN</b>	St. Patrick's, Greencastle	<b>7.30pm</b> Mass
		<b>8.00pm to 9.00pm</b> Adoration and Confessions
<b>TUE 14 JAN</b>	St. Patrick's, Greencastle	<b>10.00am</b> Mass
<b>THU 16 JAN</b>	St. Patrick's, Greencastle	<b>6.00pm to 9.00pm</b> Adoration
<b>FRI 17 JAN</b>	St. Patrick's, Greencastle	<b>7.30pm</b> Mass <i>Packie Glass (A)</i>
<b>SAT 18 JAN</b>	St. Patrick's, Greencastle	<b>6.00pm</b> Vigil Mass <i>Annie O'Neill (A)</i>
<b>SUN 19 JAN</b>	Our Lady of Wayside	<b>11.30am</b> Mass

<b>SAT 11 JAN</b>	St. Patrick's, Gortin	<b>7.30pm</b> Mass
<b>SUN 12 JAN</b>	St. Mary's, Rouskey	<b>10.00am</b> Mass <i>Frankie Bradley (A)</i>
<b>TUE 14 JAN</b>	St. Mary's, Rouskey	<b>12.30pm</b> Mass <i>Adoration until 5.00pm</i>
<b>WED 15 JAN</b>	St. Mary's, Rouskey	<b>7.30pm</b> Mass <i>Adoration and Confessions to 9.00pm</i>
<b>SAT 18 JAN</b>	St. Patrick's, Gortin	<b>7.30pm</b> Mass
<b>SUN 19 JAN</b>	St. Mary's, Rouskey	<b>10.00am</b> Mass

**Praying for Our Dead (Badoney Lower) May They Rest in Peace**  
Frankie Bradley | Martin Keenan

**Cappagh / Badoney CCE – Upcoming Events:**

**Music Classes:** Monday 13<sup>th</sup> January at usual times in St. Peter's PS, Plumbridge  
Friday 17<sup>th</sup> January at 8.30pm in Knockmoyle Community Centre  
**Monthly Seisiun:** All singers, musicians and storytellers welcome  
Admission free | Light supper served

**Catholic Schools Week – Catholic Schools: Alive in Christ:**

Sunday 19<sup>th</sup> to Saturday 25<sup>th</sup> January. During Catholic Schools Week families, parishes and schools are invited to participate in a week of celebration of Catholic schools, reflecting on their contribution to the common good of society. To launch the week in our diocese, the Eucharist will be celebrated by Bishop McKeown in St. Eugene's Cathedral, Derry on Thursday 16<sup>th</sup> January at 10.00am – all are invited. The national resource pack with ideas to help schools and parishes celebrate this week is available online at <https://tinyurl.com/5fd2xw67>

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

**Weekly Collection Totals** Greencastle: £840 Badoney Lower: £1,183.05

**Praying for Our Dead (Greencastle) May They Rest in Peace**

John and Bridie Tuohey | Michael Quinn | Packie Glass | Tony Coyle  
John Glass | Brian McCullagh | Annie O'Neill | Mary Hollywood | Josie Keenan

**Invitation to 33 Days of Family Prayer:** Bishop McKeown will lead the diocese in 33 days of Family Prayer towards Consecration to Jesus Christ through Mary, as part of a diocesan programme for the Jubilee Year of 2025, *Pilgrims of Hope*. It will be delivered online on the Diocese of Derry Facebook, each evening at **7.00pm**, starting on **Thursday 9<sup>th</sup> January** and concluding on the Feast of Our Lady of Lourdes, **Tuesday 11<sup>th</sup> February**. Bishop McKeown explains, "It is a journey I set out to make to entrust myself and my priesthood to Christ through the Mother of God. I extend an invitation to you and your families from the parishes of the diocese to join me". Details and times of the prayer programme with a video message from Bishop McKeown can be viewed at [derrydiocese.org/consecration](http://derrydiocese.org/consecration)

**An Caisleán Glas agus Sperrin Óg – Club Membership Registration for 2025:**

Can be paid via the Foireann app. Committee, players and coaches must be registered.  
If there are any issues call Rosie Morris on 07788 827 028

**Deaths** | *May they rest in peace and rise in glory* | We extend sympathy and prayerful support to the family and friends

**Brian McCullagh (Chorley, formerly Curraghinalt, Attagh)** who died Friday 20<sup>th</sup> December – *Funeral details to be confirmed at a later date*

**John Glass (Brackagh)** who died Wednesday 1<sup>st</sup> January | **Tony Coyle (Aughascribba)** who died Thursday 9<sup>th</sup> January

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