

Parish of Greencastle, Co. Tyrone (Diocese of Derry)

St. Patrick's, Greencastle Our Lady of the Wayside, Broughderg

Eleventh Sunday in Ordinary Time [Year C] (16th June, 2013)

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Liturgy Schedule for the Eleventh Week in Ordinary Time [Year C] (17th June, 2013 – 23rd June, 2013)

Saturday Evening (15th June) Vigil Mass for Sunday	St. Patrick's	5.30pm Confessions 6:00pm Mass: Do This In Memory (week 9)
Sunday 16th June Eleventh Sunday in Ordinary Time [Year C]	St. Patrick's Our Lady of the Wayside St. Columb's, Chapel Road, Waterside, Derry	9.00am Mass (Missa Pro Populo) 10.30am Confessions 11.00am Mass 3.00pm Ordination to Priesthood of Rev. Michael McGavigan
Monday 17th June Eleventh Week in Ordinary Time	St. Patrick's	10.00am Mass
Tuesday 18th June Eleventh Week in Ordinary Time	Our Lady of Lourdes PS	10.00am Mass in thanksgiving for blessings received throughout the year
Wednesday 19th June Eleventh Week in Ordinary Time	St. Patrick's	10.00am Mass
Thursday 20th June The Irish Martyrs	St. Patrick's	10.00am Mass
Friday 21st June St. Aloysius Gonzaga (religious)	St. Patrick's	8.00pm Mass
Saturday Morning (22nd June) Eleventh Week in Ordinary Time	St. Patrick's	10.00am Mass
Saturday Evening (22nd June) Vigil Mass for Sunday	St. Patrick's	5.30pm Confessions 6:00pm Mass
Sunday 23rd June Twelfth Sunday in Ordinary Time [Year C]	St. Patrick's Our Lady of the Wayside	9.00am Mass (Missa Pro Populo) 10.30am Confessions 11.00am Mass

Weekly Offerings: Thank you for your generosity to last week's collection which amounted to **£845**.

Remembering Our Dead: We pray for **May McDermott**, whose Requiem took place on Tuesday. We also pray for **Barney O'Neill**, whose anniversary occurs at this time.

Omagh Forum – Insulation Scheme Promotion: FREE Insulation (loft and/or cavity wall) to those people living in rural areas. First there, first served! The scheme is currently open.

Have you or anyone you know been bereaved by suicide? Do you want to be part of a group that CAN make your voice heard by relevant agencies? The voices of persons bereaved by suicide are crucial to increasing understanding. Thursday 20th June, 10.45am-1:00pm, followed by light lunch. familiesvoicesforum@gmail.com
 Belfast Central Missions Centre Grosvenor House, 5 Glengall Street, Belfast, BT12 5AD

Annual Ceremony of Public Prayers For the Faithful Departed in our Cemeteries: These will take place on the evening of Saturday 6th July directly after the Vigil Mass in the cemetery at St. Patrick's Church and at Our Lady of the Wayside Church, and the former St. Mary's Church, Broughderg after 11:00am Mass on Sunday 7th July. *Bring holy water with you*
 Our Parish cemeteries are special places providing a focus for our prayerful remembrance of the dead. Please cooperate in their maintenance and care with respect, dignity and honour. Remove flowers and wreaths that have withered. Ask Monumental Sculptors who have completed their work to take rubble away and not dispose of it at the side of the cemetery.

The Plum School Reunion: Tickets are available this Wednesday in Eddies Bar between 7.00pm and 8.00pm. Tickets are £25 and maximum of 2 per person. *More information at theplumreunion.com or on our Facebook Page*

St. Vincent de Paul Society – Clothing Bank: We do not have anyone involved with the St. Vincent de Paul locally in the parish of Greencastle but neighbouring groups have asked for our support with a 'Clothing Bank' near to St. Patrick's Church.

Institute of Irish Leadership, Pomeroy – Upcoming Events: Contact (028) 8775 7800 // kathleenburnsiii@gmail.com

4th Annual Gaeltacht Thír Eoghain Monday 1st – Friday 5th July
 Enrol now. £60 to include light refreshments daily
Walking Group Every Thursday at 7.30pm
 Meet in the forest car park.

Next Sundays Readings: Zechariah 12: 10-11, 13-1; Psalm 62; Galatians 3: 26-29; Luke 9: 18-24; Lectionary I, page 870
Sunday scripture readings cycle [Year C] Weekday scripture readings cycle [Year 1]

Lotto Results: C – F – U – Y – Z (1 people with 3 letters – £50) **Next Jackpot:** £3,900

6.00pm Saturday Vigil Saturday 15 th June * The family of Molly Clarke	Offertory Gifts Rota Eleventh Sunday in Ordinary Time [Year C]	9.00am Sunday Morning Sunday 16 th June The family of Sean and Tara Conneely
Saturday 22 nd June The family of Ryan Coyle	Twelfth Sunday in Ordinary Time [Year C]	Sunday 23 rd June The family of Matthew Conway
Saturday 29 th June The family of Cayla Donnelly	Thirteenth Sunday in Ordinary Time [Year C]	Sunday 30 th June The family of Eoin McCullagh
Saturday 6 th July The family of Cathal Keenan	Fourteenth Sunday in Ordinary Time [Year C]	Sunday 7 th July The family of Shea McElhatton
As the wider parish community we thank these young people and their families for this important		*DTIM (Week 9)

Summer Scheme: Registration will take place in hall on Monday 17th June at 6 15pm for P4 to P7.

Precious Life Organisation – Coach to Rally for Life: Book your seat NOW on the coach to the massive pro-life rally in Dublin city centre on Saturday 6th July. Various pick-up points in your area. It is vital we all make a stand for life in Ireland this year.
Tel: (028) 9027 8484 **Email:** info@preciouslife.com

Pioneer Outing to Donegal: Saturday 29th June. £30 including meal. *Call Maria on (028) 8164 8357 or any committee member*

Cursillo One-Day Retreat – Year of Faith, Day of Reflection: In Termonbacca Saturday 22nd June. Registration at 8.30am. Cost £20 with all meals provided.
If interested contact derrycursillo@gmail.com or call 07841 100 174

Derry Diocesan Pilgrimage to Lourdes (Monday 1st – Saturday 6th July): The cost is £575. If anyone has not yet submitted their applications, please do so as soon as possible as there are only a few places left. *Call (028) 7126 0293 for information*

National Grandparents' Annual Pilgrimage to Knock: Sunday 8th September. Chief Celebrant: Fr Fintan Monahan. Guest Speaker: Sr Briege McKenna OSC. Guest Singer: Dana. Anointing of the Sick and Rosary at 2.00pm. Mass at 3.00pm.
Email: catholicgrandparents@gmail.com **Tel:** 00353 982 4877 **Website:** catholicgrandparentsassociation.org/

Lough Derg Traditional Three Day Pilgrimage: €70, inc. boat, accommodation, services and Lough Derg meals
 31st May to 15th August with boats between 11.00am and 3.00pm daily until 13th August.

Derry Diocesan One-Day Pilgrimage to Lough Derg: As part of its Year of Faith initiatives, the Derry Diocese will lead a One Day Pilgrimage to Lough Derg on Tuesday 20th August, 9.15am - 4.30pm. It is hoped that as many people as possible will participate in the pilgrimage. Price: €40 (£36) includes boat fare, refreshments, services & lunch.
Contact Lough Derg on: 00353 71986 1518 or email info@loughderg.org -- Places are limited to 150, so book in advance

Pilgrimage to Medjugorje with Monsignor Danny Monaghan (Wednesday 4th – Wednesday 11th September):
 Price including half board, all taxes and insurance: £499. *For further details please contact Maria on (028) 8164 8357*

Our Lady's Shrine, Knock. Co. Mayo Pilgrimage Season: From the last Sunday in April to the second Sunday in October. Please consider making a pilgrimage either personal or with your family this year. A poster in the church porches gives details of the times and dates for the ceremonies or you can check out these contacts.
Tel: 00-353-94-9388100 **Fax:** 00-353-94-9388295 **Email:** info@knock-sh.rine.ie **Website:** knockshrine.ie

The following priests in our diocese have or will be celebrating special jubilees
Please pray for them and make direct contact with them if you wish

60 years	Fr. Colm Morris	6 th June, 1953	Retired
55 years	Fr. Brian O'Donnell	22 nd June, 1958	CC Maghera
50 years	Fr. Joseph O'Connor Fr. James McGonagle	23 rd June, 1963 23 rd June, 1963	Retired PP VF Culdaff, Co. Donegal
45 years	Fr. Patrick Crilly	15 th June, 1968	Retired
40 years	Fr. Declan Boland Fr. Con McLaughlin Fr. Francis O'Hagan Fr. Patrick O'Kane Fr. John R. Walsh	10 th June, 1973 10 th June, 1973 9 th June, 1973 10 th June, 1973 17 th June, 1973	PP Camus (Strabane) PP Donagh (Camdonagh) PP Magilligan PP Ballymagroarty PP Bunrana
35 years	Fr. John Cargan	11 th June, 1978	PP Steelstown
30 years	Fr. Peter Devlin Fr. Brian Donnelly Fr. Peter Madden	12 th June, 1983 19 th June, 1983 3 rd July, 1983	PP Malin PP Badoney Upper (Plumbridge) PP Desertmartin
20 years	Fr. Roland Colhoun Fr. Gerard Sweeney	13 th June, 1993 12 th July, 1993	CC Glendermott CC Fahan
10 years	Fr. Gerard Mongan Fr. John McDewitt	6 th July, 2003 6 th July, 2003	CC Templemore (Derry City) CC Drumragh (Omagh)

Pope Francis' Intentions for June (please remember these in your personal prayer)
General – A Culture of Mutual Respect: That a culture of dialogue, listening and mutual respect may prevail among the nations.
Missionary – New Evangelisation: That where secularisation is strongest, Christian communities may learn to effectively promote a new evangelisation.

Seeing your life through the lens of the gospels – Luke 7:36-50: *John Byrne OSA (john@orlagh.ie)*

- The Reign of God which Jesus came to proclaim is marked by an inclusive love, a love which reaches beyond traditional bigotry and prejudice. When have you seen that kind of inclusive love in another? When have you been able to reach beyond your own instinctive prejudices? What was it like for you to be able to do this?
- Perhaps you have had the contrasting experiences of being excluded because of prejudice and of being accepted despite perceived difference. What were the effects on you in each case? What does this teach you about life-giving behaviour?
- Jesus gave the woman an experience of being accepted as she was, despite her sinfulness. When have you had the experience of being accepted by another, warts and all? When have you been able to give that experience to another?
- Forgiveness is one of the characteristics of the Reign of God announced by Jesus. When have you experienced the life-giving effects of forgiveness given or received?

Looking for a book for your parish study group? Consider *The Mystery of Work*: This is a book that teaches how to turn ordinary acts into acts of prayer, a collection of insights by saints, popes and mystics about how work itself can be prayer. Recommended for spiritual development by Fr. Raphael Simon, OCSO, Trappist monk and Retreat Master. Excerpt: "I believe quite simply that it is Jesus Himself, hidden deep in my poor little heart, who works within me in a mysterious manner and inspires all my daily actions." (St. Therese of Lisieux) Free Study Guide downloadable from our website. Purchase indiv. copies at Amazon.

Prayer for the Diocese of Derry at this time
 God our Father, we your people of the diocese of Derry, turn to you in prayer, as our ancestors have done, In good times and bad, since the days of Saint Columba and Saint Eugene, Saint Lurach and Saint Mura. Although aware that we are unworthy of your grace, with confidence in your love we ask your help. Support and care for our bishops in their retirement, give courage and vision to those who are called on to administer the diocese at this time. Grant your wisdom and discernment to those charged with the task of choosing your next bishop. We ask you this in the name of Jesus, your Son, our Lord.
Mary Mother of the Church, pray for us, Saint Columba, pray for us, Saint Eugene, pray for us, Saint Lurach pray for us, Saint Mura pray for us, all you saints of the diocese pray for us.
Fr. Kieran Devlin P. Em (Badoney Lower, 2012)

The Deep End – Who's Feet will you Wash? *Triona Doherty, Athlone, Co. Roscommon (trionad@gmail.com)*
 It is hard to read a Gospel story about the woman who washes and kisses the feet of Jesus without thinking of another foot-washing story – when Jesus washes the feet of the disciples at the Last Supper. The woman in this story has a jar of ointment, and that seems to be all. She uses her tears to wash the feet of Jesus, and her hair to wipe them away. She gives everything she has, and throws herself totally at the mercy of Jesus, who sees the openness and humility of the gesture and responds with love. This story also brings to mind an image which captured the public imagination earlier this year, when Pope Francis washed and kissed the feet of 12 inmates at a juvenile prison in Rome on Holy Thursday, in a powerful sign of the emphasis he wished to place on service. 'Among us the one who is highest up must be at the service of others. This is a symbol, it is a sign – washing your feet means I am at your service. And we are too, among each other,' he told them. Saint Basil once posed the question: 'If you live alone, whose feet will you wash?' We are called to live in relationship with others and to be at the service of others. The woman in the story has been shown such forgiveness and love, and is overwhelmed at her encounter with Jesus. Because he shows her such love, she is able to respond with love. We too are loved, and we have love to share. How can we show that love in the service of others?

Parish Liturgy for June, 2013	St. Patrick's (6.00pm Vigil Mass)	St. Patrick's (9.00am Mass)	Our Lady of the Wayside (11.00am Mass)
Readers	Martin McCullagh	Emmett Bradley	Barry Maguire
Eucharistic Ministry	Kathleen Bradley	Louise Coyle	Peter Noel McAleer
Prayers of Intercession	Aidan Clarke		
Collectors	John Bradley Colum Devlin	Dominic Warnock Leo Donnelly	Tony Donnelly Brendan Daly
Altar Society	Anne Tuohey, Anne Donnelly and Alice Keenan		Anne McDermott Martina McBride

New choir members will always be welcome, contact Sinead
Altar Servers: Please notice the important role of altar servers in the prayer life of our faithful community, we currently need new volunteers to strengthen the teams already serving so if you will commit, please do so soon.

Guidelines on Use of Modern Technology when Working with Children: - Use of photography and video
 The use of photography and video is an issue of great concern among those working with children. The Diocese recognises that every parish has their own arrangements in relation to its use in schools, youth groups and for the sacraments however the guidelines have been devised below to aid parishes and diocesan groups:

- It is always good practice to seek *written* permission from a parent or guardian before taking any photographs or video footage of children. This written permission must be sought from the parent/guardian or the person who owns the photograph before it can be displayed on promotional materials or websites. This can be incorporated in the registration form when a child joins a group (template permission Resource 10);
- Neither names nor any personal information should be displayed alongside any photographs;
- Special consideration should be given where taking photographs or video footage might be misinterpreted, or the images could be seen as provocative (e.g. beach trip or gymnastics display etc.). It is not to say, however, that with the right planning, these events cannot be recorded and enjoyed.
- Photography and video recording are important methods of recording social activity and providing an historic record – illustrating and validating important moments in people's lives. This process is a powerful and personal one, and therefore we must respect the rights of everyone to make the choice whether or not to be photographed.
The notice comes from the Safeguarding Policy and Procedures and is published on behalf of the Diocesan Safeguarding Committee

This Week's Calendar of Feasts and Saints:
Thursday 21st June – *The Irish Martyrs* Dozens of people who have been sanctified in varying degrees for dying for their Roman Catholic faith between 1537 and 1714 in Ireland.
Friday 21st June – *St. Aloysius Gonzaga (religious)* Joined the Jesuits. As a model novice he worked in the plague hospital and caught the fever, dying in 1691 at the age of 23. Patron of Youth.

Questions people ask: *Fr. Silvester O'Flynn OFM Cap (silvesteroflynn@gmail.com)*
 Q. I've often seen a horseshoe over the door in stables. Where did this custom start?
 A. One version is that the devil came to St Dunstan, a noted blacksmith, to have his hoof shod. Dunstan, being a man of prayer, recognised his customer, so he chained him and caused such searing pain in putting on the horseshoe that the devil cried for mercy. Dunstan released him on condition that he would never enter a place where a horseshoe was displayed.

IMPORTANT DATES FOR THE DIARY IN 2013
Solemn Annual Exposition of the Blessed Sacrament

Sunday 25th August	Our Lady of the Wayside
Derry Diocesan Society Masses in our Parish	
Thursday 11th July Friday 30th August Saturday 19th October	St. Patrick's
Sunday 7th April	Our Lady of the Wayside
Public Prayers for our Deceased (Cemetery Sunday) (6th and 7th July)	
Saturday 6th July	St. Patrick's Directly after 6.00pm Vigil Mass
Sunday 7th July	Our Lady of the Wayside Directly after 11.00am Mass
Saturday 2nd November	St. Patrick's 6.00pm Commemoration of All Souls (remembering all who died during the year)

Celebrations to mark the Tercentenary of the death of Dean Bryan Maguire

To mark the occasion a number of events are being organised which hopefully will bring home to all of us the immense contribution Dean Maguire made to the life of the Catholic Church in Ireland during the worst ravages of the Penal Times in the 17th and 18th centuries. He was born in the parish of Termonmagurk, probably in 1635. According to a local tradition Aghnacreggan was the townland of his birthplace. He received a thorough education in Ireland where many of the old Gaelic families cultivated a high standard of learning and in 1660 he was ordained priest. In the early years of his priesthood he ministered as parish priest of Termonmagurk, Errigal Ciaran and Aghaloo. Ten years after Dean Maguire's ordination, St Oliver Plunkett arrived in Armagh as Archbishop in 1670 and within two years he appointed Bryan Maguire Vicar General of the Archdiocese of Armagh. Two years later St Oliver Plunkett appointed Dean Maguire, whom he described as a 'learned and exemplary man', Vicar General of the Diocese of Raphoe and within a few years in 1679 he was appointed Vicar General of Derry. On the 13th February, 1713 Dean Bryan Maguire died in Armagh Gaol.

*There's a story of a martyr At the church they built a monument
Back in the Penal times To that great man and his work
Who gave his life for his belief And every Christian passing by
Like many of his kind Remembers Dean Maguire*

July Tour of local sights associated with Dean Bryan Maguire
August Festival of celebration involving clubs and societies

Pilgrimage to Rome and San Giovanni Rotondo, Italy (Monday 26th August – Monday 2nd September):

With Father Francis Bradley. Staying four nights at the Irish College, Rome taking in the sights of the Eternal City and an Audience with the Holy Father, and three nights at the Shrine of Padre Pio, taking in the shrine of Manoppello and the Abbey of Montecassino. Price £850, including all coach transfers to/from Dublin and whilst in Italy, flights with Aer Lingus, accommodation on a half board basis in Rome and full board in San Giovanni, and the assistance of a Travel Representative throughout (single supplement at £20 per night).

For more info call Fr. Bradley on (028) 7136 2475 [W] / (028) 7135 1718 [H] or email fbradley@derrydiocese.org

Ards Friary Retreat & Conference Centre, Creeslough, Co. Donegal – Retreats in 2013:

Tel: 00353 7491 38909 **Email:** info@ardsfriary.ie **Website:** ardsfriary.ie

Ards Friary is open throughout the year for individuals and groups whether lay, religious, clerical, ecumenical or anyone who wishes to have some quiet time, rest and prayer in beautiful relaxed surroundings. The following retreats are available for 2013:

Saturday 8th and Sunday 9th June	Cursillo Renewal Weekend (directed by Fr. Silvester O'Flynn, OFM Capuchin) <i>Christ is counting on You</i>
Monday 10th – Friday 14th June	Transformation Retreat (directed by Fr. Donal Dorr and Dr. Noel Bradley D.Theol)
Friday 21st – Thursday 27th June	Open Retreat (directed by Fr. Francis Maple, OFM Capuchin) <i>Living with Christ through the main events of his life</i>
Monday 1st – Saturday 6th July	Friends of Francis Hogan Reunion
Friday 12th – Saturday 13th July	One Day Silent and Guided Retreat for Women guided by Benedictine Monks of the Abbey of Saint Joseph, France. This retreat reflects Ignatian Spirituality by centering on Jesus with conferences, spiritual guidance and confessions.
Saturday 14th – Friday 19th July	Five Day Silent and Guided Retreat for Men guided by the Benedictine Monks of the Abbey of Saint Joseph. These five-day retreats are a shortened form of the full Spiritual Exercises of Saint Ignatius of Loyola. The Exercises are a synthetic and practical presentation of the central truths of the Catholic faith.
Saturday 20th – Wednesday 7th August	Christendom College, USA
Friday 9th – Sunday 11th August	John Pridmore <i>Healing the Wounds of your past</i>
Sunday 11th – Sunday 18th August	Association of Iconographers – Learning to Write an Icon
Monday 19th – Thursday 22nd August	Course for priests in the Latin Mass
Monday 26th August – Thursday 1st September	The Foyer of Charity – Five Day Silent Retreat (directed by Fr. Kilian Byrne) <i>If you but knew the gift of God</i>
Thursday 3rd – Sunday 8th October	CURSILLO (men)
Thursday 10th – Sunday 13th October	CURSILLO (women)
Saturday 30th November – Sunday 1st December	Advent Retreat (directed by Fr. Kieran Shorten, OFM Capuchin)