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The Baptism of the Lord



The Baptism of Christ

John said to the crowd: 'He will baptise you with the Holy Spirit and with fire'. This week, as we celebrate the Baptism of Christ in the Jordan, we also remember and renew our own baptism into Christ in the Church. And the baptism that we have been promised is a baptism with the Holy Spirit and with fire. The Holy Spirit brings peace, joy, love etc. Is that how we live our faith or is it more with anxiety, fear, duty etc? Fire brings warmth, light, enthusiasm, hope. Is this how we present Christ to the world or is it more with coldness, lifelessness, joylessness? The challenge of this time is to change our ways and to let the world we live in know the power of Christ's presence among us by the enthusiasm of our lives of faith. This must always begin in our homes and families and the community of faith we belong to.

Fr. Johnny Doherty, C.Ss.R.

The Baptism of the Lord

Greenlough Parish Mass Schedule 10th - 16th January 2022

Monday - Wednesday: 9.00am

Thursday: 9.00am - **Adoration** to 6.00pm

Friday: 7.30pm; Saturday: 10.00am

Vigil Mass: 7.30pm; Sunday: 9am & 11am

Anniversary Masses this Week Sunday 9th January at 11.00am Willie Anthony McPeake, RIP

Monday 10th January at 9.00am

Philomena Mullholland, RIP

Friday 14th January at 7.30pm

John Henry, RIP and Willie & Rose Henry, RIP

Sunday 16th January at 11.00am

Thomas Edward McCloskey, RIP; Barry McCloskey, RIP and also for Felix Rankin, RIP

CHRISTMAS COLLECTION

Fr. Harkin & Fr. Graham would like to thank you all for their very generous Christmas Collection taken up at the Masses on Christmas Eve & Christmas Day.

It is very much appreciated.

thank you

Greenlough Baptism Times 2022
All Baptisms will be held at 12.00 noon on Sundays. Please contact the parish office to book: Telephone 028 2582 1190;

Email: greenlough@gmail.com



Week of Prayer for Christian Unity 18th January to 25th January Theme:



week of Prayer

We Saw His Star in the East. (MT 2:2) For Christian Unity



Lavey Parish Mass Schedule 10th - 16th January 2022

N.B. There will be No Morning Masses this week.

Adoration from 9.30am until 5.00pm on Friday.

Saturday: Vigil 7.00pm; Sunday: 9.00am & 11.00am



THANK YOU - The St Vincent de Paul Society

thank you for your generous donations to their 2021 Christmas Appeal.



Greenlough Parish Collections

26/12/21: Weekly/Mthly/Cash: £802.00; B/Fund: £243.00.

2/01/22: Weekly/Mthly/Cash: £1096.30; B/Fund: £208.00. Thank you for your generosity.



Children in Crossfire thank all those who donated to their advent campaign so far. They would be grateful if you could return as soon as possible your donation envelopes for their 2021 advent appeal. Envelopes can be put in the parish envelope collection box in the Church.

NEW ENVELOPES 2022 - We are ordering New Envelopes Please check the list below and let us know if any apply to you.

- 1. Change of details: name/address.
- 2. Not receiving envelopes and would like a box.
- 3. You wish to share a box, e.g. A Family Box
- 4. Standing Order would you prefer to pay directly from your bank into the Parish Account?
- 5. New to the Parish contact us for a Census Form and envelopes if you would like a box.
- **6. Gift Aid Scheme -** Would be prepared to sign up
- 7. No longer wish to receive a box of envelopes

Please contact Paddi in the Parish Office as soon as possible. Tel: 028 2582 1190; Email: greenloughparish@gmail.com



MASS TIMES SUNDAYS:

Website:

*Vigil: 7.30*pm Morning: 9am & 11am WEEKDAYS: Mon - Thurs:

9.00am

Friday: 7.30pm Saturday: 10am

First Fridays: 7.30pm

CONFESSIONS As Announced

BAPTISMS Sunday 12.00 Noon

Telephone No's Fr. Graham 028 7964 2458

Fr. Harkin 028 2582 1190

Parish Office 028 2582 1190

St. Mary's PS 028 2582 1066

St. Conor's College 028 2582 1370

Neighbouring Parishes Bellaghy Mgr. Dolan 028 7938 6259

Are you getting Married in Greenlough this Year.

Please contact Paddi in the Parish Office to confirm the date of your wedding and to arrange the completion of your Church Papers.

Telephone: 028 2582 1190 or email: greenloughparish@gmail.com

This also applies to anyone getting married in another parish but who currently lives in Greenlough Parish.

UNLOCKING THE MYSTERIES OF THE BIBLE with

Jeff Cavins is an eight-week programme being offered by the Living Church Office (Down & Connor Diocese). It is offered as a good opportunity for those interested in deepening their knowledge of their faith, understanding the bible and its timeline, and learning how to approach reading

Three separate times are being offered:

Wednesday Morning, 11.00am, starting 12th January. Wednesday Evening, 7.00pm, starting 12th January. Monday Evening, 7.00pm, starting Monday 17th January.



To register for any one of these, please complete an online form: https://forms.office.com/r/g3FWFK5x8w or if you have any queries e-mail a.steen@downandconnor.org

Course participants will receive a resource pack and connect online for a time of teaching, discussion and prayerful reflection.

Parish Newsletter - Please have all Anniversary names and News Items in by

1.00pm on Wednesday this week.

Thank You. Email: greenloughparish@gmail.com