



Saint Nicholas'

Parish of Carrickfergus & Whitehead



Our Lady of Lourdes

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9th November 2025 Dedication of the Lateran Basilica Cycle C Week 4

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Preparation for the Feast of Christ the King

The Liturgy Group has organised an opportunity for us to gather and deepen our faith and understanding of the Feast of Christ the King (which will be on Sunday 23rd November).

World history gives us various ideas of what a king is like: -

- Living a life removed from their people?
- Concerned only with military victories?
- Ruling for personal gain?
- Having little care for their people?

Jesus Christ is a strong, kind and fair King whom we can gladly follow. Our gathering to prepare for this great Feast will take place on

Monday 17th November at 7.00 p.m. in the Committee Room at the back of St. Nicholas' Church. Everyone is welcome.

The annual Masses for the Deceased Teachers of Down and Connor

will be celebrated on:

Tuesday 11th November 2025 at 7.30pm in Good Shepherd Church, Ormeau Road, Belfast AND
Thursday 13th November 2025 at 7.30pm in All Saints' Church, Broughshane Road, Ballymena.
Tele: 028 9049 1886 or Email: dctrusteeservice@downandconnor.org

Catholic Mothers of Ireland - CATHOLIC MOTHERS IRELAND RETREAT DAY:

Join us for a day of Spiritual Restoration, The Parish Hall @ St Joseph's, Antrim on SATURDAY 29TH NOVEMBER 2025. This all day Retreat will run from 10am – 6pm. Email catholicmothers@outlook.ie for more information or to book your place.

Christ Our Anchor: Writings by James O'Kane, Priest and Theologian, ed. Fiona Lynch, with a Foreword by Bishop Alan McGuckian (Shanway Press, 2025). To order please go to: www.shanway.com Tel: 028 9022 2070 Email: info@shanway.com. RRP: £12.99

QUIZ NIGHT

The Parish Events Team, in conjunction with Carrick Golf Club for their preferred charity, are hosting a great night of fun and fund raising!

FRIDAY 14TH NOVEMBER - 8PM
CARRICKFERGUS GOLF CLUB
£5 ENTRY - PAY AT THE DOOR

All proceeds will be divided between
• Cancer Lifeline and the Parish.

YOUTH CORNER

YOUNG ADULT BIBLE STUDY

Wednesday 7pm – 9pm At Greencastle Parish Office. Please join the NET Team for a 6-week, young adult (18 – 30) Bible study. This is a time for growing in Faith, building fellowship and having fun. Please RSVP the NET team at 07823368504.

EUCCHARISTIC ADORATION & PRAISE AND WORSHIP

Every Thursday, 7 - 8pm in St James' Church, Whiteabbey. All welcome!

YOUTH 2000 PRAYER GROUP

On Fridays at 7pm, starting on 7th November, we are hosting a Youth 2000 prayer group. Please join us at St Mary's Greencastle for adoration, bible study, and praise/worship music!

Parish Shop

Gifts and cards for Advent and Christmas now available.



Advent Calendars 2026 Diary Calendars 2026

Open each Sunday.
See parish website for more information

www.carrickparish.org/shop



The Whitehead Cell will meet on Tuesday 11th November at 11 am at 4 Marine Parade. All welcome, for more information Tel. Ruth on 0787 6420867

Foodbank



This Coming Week 10th Nov - 16th Nov

Mon

St. Leo the Great

Tues

St. Martin of Tours

Wed

St. Josaphat

Fri

St. Dyfrig
St. Lawrence O'Toole

Sat

St. Albert the Great

Sun

33rd Sunday of the Year

Readings for Sun 16th Nov

Malachi 3: 19-20
2 Thessalonians 3: 7-12
Luke 21: 5-19

Contact details for the 'Stella Maris' Family of Parishes

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