

# Devenish Parish News Bulletin

## Sacred Heart Church



## St Molaise Church, Whitehill



Sunday 2<sup>nd</sup> March 2025  
Eighth Sunday in Ordinary Time.  
Day of Prayer for Temperance.

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## Weekly Masses – March 2025

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| <b>Saturday 1<sup>st</sup> March</b>                    | <b>6pm</b>    | Patrick McGowan (1 <sup>st</sup> Anniversary).   |
| <b>Sunday 2<sup>nd</sup> March</b>                      | <b>11am</b>   | Eileen Kearney.  |
| <b>Monday 3<sup>rd</sup> March</b>                      | <b>10am</b>   | Mass - Sacred Heart Church.  |
| <b>Tuesday 4<sup>th</sup> March</b>                     | <b>10am</b>   | Mass - Sacred Heart Church.  |
| <b>Wednesday 5<sup>th</sup> March<br/>Ash Wednesday</b> | <b>7.15am</b> | Mass - Sacred Heart Church.  |
|   | <b>10am</b>   | Mass - Sacred Heart Church.  |
|   | <b>7pm</b>    | Mass – St Molaise Church, Whitehill  |
| <b>Thursday 6<sup>th</sup> March</b>                    | <b>7.15am</b> | Mass - Sacred Heart Church.  |
|   | <b>10am</b>   | Mass - Sacred Heart Church.  |
| <b>Friday 7<sup>th</sup> March</b>                      | <b>10am</b>   | Morning Prayer.  |
|   | <b>7pm</b>    | Stations of the Cross – Sacred Heart Church.   |
| <b>Saturday 8<sup>th</sup> March</b>                    | <b>6pm</b>    | Frank & Agnes McCrory & daughter Vivien Connor. Carmel Keenan. Francis & Bridget Gormley. Patrick & Maureen Gallagher. |
| <b>Sunday 9<sup>th</sup> March</b>                      | <b>11am</b>   | Moirá & Tommy Leonard. Carmel Maguire. Malachy Mahon. Frank & Kathleen McCann. Lisa Nangle.                            |

**Confessions:** Confessions will be held every Saturday evening in the Sacred Heart Church from 5pm – 5.30pm.

**Adoration:** Adoration of the Blessed Sacrament will take place every Wednesday from 10.30am to 7.30pm in Committee Room at the Sacred Heart Church.

**Baptism Dates:** Baptisms will take place on the first Sunday of every month at 12 Noon and the third Saturday of every month at 4pm. **Dates Scheduled:** March – Sat 15<sup>th</sup> & April – Sun 6<sup>th</sup> & Sat 19<sup>th</sup>. Contact the Parish Office to book or for further details.



## Ministers Rota – March:

Please see details of the Ministers required to serve at the Masses below:  
If you are unable to attend on the day scheduled, please contact the Parish Office.

### Readers:

Wednesday 5<sup>th</sup> March – 7pm – St Molaise Church:  
Pauline Thompson.  
Saturday 8<sup>th</sup> March – 6pm – Sacred Heart Church:  
Rosemary McQuaid.  
Sunday 9<sup>th</sup> March – 11am – Sacred Heart Church:  
Gay Mahon.

### Eucharistic Ministers:

Wednesday 5<sup>th</sup> March – 7pm – St Molaise Church:  
Justine Magee.  
Saturday 8<sup>th</sup> March – 6pm – Sacred Heart Church:  
Brian McCaffrey & Margaret McQuaid.  
Sunday 9<sup>th</sup> March – 11am – Sacred Heart Church:  
Justine Magee & Bridie McKervey.  
**Week beginning 10<sup>th</sup> March:** Mary Doris.

**Prayers for the Deceased:** Your prayers are requested for the repose of the souls of Paddy Hannigan, Scallon Road, Peggy Deazley, Brownhill Fold and Ryan McManus, Enniskillen. May they Rest in Peace.



**Lent:** Wednesday 5th March is Ash Wednesday. It is the beginning of the season of Lent. Ash Wednesday is a kind of spiritual new year, a time to make resolutions, to wipe the old slate clean and begin again. A time to make a connection with God. Lent can be a challenge to us but it is also a time to look forward. Throughout Lent there will be an additional Mass on Tuesday and Thursday mornings at 7.15am in the Sacred Heart Church. Mass will continue be celebrated at 7pm on Wednesday evening in St. Molaise Church, Whitehill.

**Ash Wednesday – Mass Times:** Mass will take place at 7.15am and 10am in the Sacred Heart Church and 7pm in St Molaise Church, Whitehill. A Day of Fasting & Abstinence. There will be the distribution of Ashes at all masses.



**Pledge for Lent:** Pope Francis has invited us this Lent to “journey in hope together.” A short-term pledge is available via [www.pioneerassociation.org](http://www.pioneerassociation.org) for parishioners who wish to become a “pilgrim of hope” for people who are living under the shadow of addiction. Please see also details on poster at church doors.

**Vocations Retreat:** Our world needs hope and healing - *could God be calling you to be a man of hope?* Consider your call on a Priesthood Retreat at Drumalis, Larne from 7th to 9th March. For more information, contact: Fr Raymond via email: [fraymondodonnely@clogherparishes.ie](mailto:fraymondodonnely@clogherparishes.ie)

**World Day of Prayer:** The 2025 World Day of Prayer Service is being held in the Methodist Church on Friday 7th March at 7:30pm. The theme this year is, “I Made You Wonderful”. The service this year has been prepared by an ecumenical group of Christian women from New Zealand. Tea will be served in the Methodist Hall. Everyone welcome. In preparation for the event, there will also be a choir practice on Sunday 23rd February at 3pm in the Methodist Church.

**St Joseph’s Young Priests Society:** The next meeting will take place on Monday 3<sup>rd</sup> March at 7pm in the committee room at the Sacred Heart Church.

**‘Sing for Joy!’ - A Day of Music and Ministry:** *Are you involved, or keen to become involved in Church Music in your Parish, School, University etc.?* We invite you to join us for ‘Sing for Joy!’ - A Day of Music and Ministry. Saturday 26th April 2025 at Lough Derg, Pettigo, Co. Donegal. Boat departs at 9:30am. This day is open to young people aged 18-35 and is free to attend. Registration is essential via <https://bit.ly/SingforJoy>. For further information please contact / +447759496677 or email us at: [info@knightsofstcolumbanusomagh.co.uk](mailto:info@knightsofstcolumbanusomagh.co.uk)

**St Molaise GFC:** Lotto Results for Monday 24<sup>th</sup> February 2025 were 4, 5, 15 & 20. No Jackpot Winner. £25 Cotion Prize winners were Kevin Maguire & Nathan McCaffrey. Next week’s Jackpot - £10,000.

### Parish Collections:

**Sunday 23<sup>rd</sup> February 2025:**  
Weekly Collection: £1312.  
Thank you for your continued generosity & support.

### Devenish Parish Donations:

Donating is now even easier with our QR Code. Scan the QR code & select the amount to donate.



### St Vincent DePaul:

Donations received – £44.  
Thank You.  
**SVP Helpline No:**  
**07738838205**