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Transport to Saul
From 8:00 am private buses will leave from the Mall for the communion service and pilgrimage.

+ The last bus for the communion service leaves at 8:45 am.

+ The last bus for the pilgrimage leaves at 9:45 am.

+ The last bus from Saul to the Cathedral leaves at 10:40 am.



"This year I want to specially invite families to join our annual St Patrick's Day celebrations at Down Cathedral. There'll be something for everyone and we'll learn more about Patrick and how he grew in faith. I hope to see you there!"

+Harold
Rt Revd Harold Miller
Bishop of Down & Dromore

9:15am
Holy Communion at Saul
Preacher: Revd Dr Laurence Graham
(Methodist President)

10:15am
Pilgrimage from Saul to Downpatrick

11:45am
Family friendly Festival Service in Down Cathedral
With our guest speaker, Nick Harding, Irish dancers and traditional music beforehand.
(Quiet space for young children during the service).

A wreath is laid at St Patrick's Grave after the service

1:15pm
Free Irish stew lunch in the marquee



Nick Harding

Nick Harding is the speaker at our Festival Service. He's a lively and fun communicator and has visited us on several occasions. Nick is the Children's Ministry Advisor for the Diocese of Southwell and Nottingham and the author of several practical books on children's work and all-age worship.

FAMILY FUN AT DOWN CATHEDRAL FROM 10.30 - 11.45 AM



St Patrick's Trail
Discover St Patrick's life story, with clues hidden in and around Down Cathedral. Prizes to be won!



St Patrick Selfie booth
Have fun with our St Patrick's Day costumes and hashtag your selfie.



Goody Bag
St Patrick's Day goodies for every child.



Free Lunch
Join us in the marquee after the service.