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BULLETIN

10th October 2021 – Twenty-Eighth Sunday in Ordinary Time





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MASS SCHEDULE
Saturday 9.30am, 6pm (Vigil)
Sunday 8am, 10am, (po polsku) & 12.00 noon
Monday, Wednesday & Thursday 8am
Tuesday & Friday 8am & 7pm
ST PAUL'S CHURCH
Sunday: 9am & 10.30am,
Monday-Friday: 10am
Saturday: 10.30 am & 7pm (Vigil)

SACRAMENT OF RECONCILIATION
With Fr Jozef
Friday 6.00pm - 6.45pm

OFFERTORY COLLECTION
3RD October - £2708.51
Donation Box & Mite Box – £75
Car Park - £510.60
Our sincerest thanks to all our parishioners who have forwarded their offertory promise envelopes every week during this pandemic

 **Baptism**
We welcome the following children into the Christian Community through the Sacrament of Baptism
Mollie Margaret McGivern, Levin Road
Brody Quinn, Carrigart Manor
Willow May McAnallen, Woodville Elms
Feina Georgia Ebony Burke, Blyth
Our prayers and good wishes are extended to their families
All parents wishing to have a child baptised in St Peter's Parish, must notify the Parish Office in person. One month's notice is required.
Baptisms take place on the first, third and fifth Sundays of the month @ 1.30pm
Face masks must be worn & sanitisers are provided. Please us them at all times.


NOVENA TO OUR LADY OF TO OUR LADY OF PERPETUAL HELP
The Novena will continue on Tuesday's. Novena prayers will be recited at the 8am & 7pm Masses. Unfortunately, this year, due to the current restrictions on numbers in the Church the Novena will be celebrated virtually at the 7pm Mass and available on the parish website and parish radio. We are sorry to have to close the Church to all parishioners for the 7pm Novena Mass. There is no way we are able to restrict numbers whilst ensuring social distancing.
Thank you for your co-operation
ST PAUL'S CHURCH
The Novena will continue on Monday's. Prayers will be recited at the 10am Mass & 7.00pm Holy Hour. The 7.00pm Holy Hour will be virtual and available on the parish website & parish radio

TRIDUUM OF PRAYER TO ST JOSEPH
To mark the 150th Anniversary of the declaration of St Joseph as Patron of the Universal Church, Pope Francis has proclaimed this year 'The Year of St Joseph.' Churches throughout the Diocese have been asked by Archbishop Eamon Martin to celebrate a Triduum of Pray to St Joseph from Tuesday 12 to Thursday 14 October.
A Holy Hour will be celebrated in **St Paul's** on Wednesday night 13th October at 7.00pm. All welcome to attend.
The Prayers to St Joseph will be said after 10am Mass in St Paul's on Tuesday 12th, Wednesday 13th and Thursday 14th October.
The Rosary will follow after the prayers.
A PRAYER TO ST JOSEPH
Hail, Guardian of the Redeemer, Spouse of the Blessed Virgin Mary. To you God entrusted His only son; in you Mary placed her trust; with you Christ became man. Blessed Joseph, to us too, show yourself a father and guide us in the path of life. Obtain for us grace, Mercy and courage, and defend us from every evil.
Amen

DROMORE REDRESS SCHEME
The Diocese of Dromore has opened a Redress Scheme for survivors and victims of sexual abuse perpetrated by members of the clergy and others acting under the authority of the Diocese.
Details of the Scheme can be found on the following website:
www.dromoredress.org

POPE FRANCIS' PRAYER FOR VICTIMS AND SURVIVORS OF ABUSE
Lord, forgive us our many sins. We grieve and repent with all our hearts for having offended you, for our great failings and neglect of the young and vulnerable. We place all of those who have been hurt by the Church in any way into your loving hands and under the protection of Our Blessed Mother. Lord, bring peace to their broken lives and show us all the way out of darkness and into the light of your Word. May we as the people of God be more fully human, more fully Christ-like and more fully your people, that we may see the errors of the past and go forward with renewed hope and faith in Christ and in our Church.

UPDATE ON THE WEARING OF FACE MASKS IN CHURCH
On 26th July, the NI Executive decided to remove the legal requirement to wear a face covering within a place of worship, (It, however, remained a legal requirement to wear a face covering on the way into a place of worship and on the way out.) Despite this change to the legal position, I ask that, for the time being, we continue to strongly recommend and encourage the use of face coverings at all services of worship. I shall let you know if, and when, we decide to recommend a change in this practice. Kindest regards,
*Most Rev Eamon Martin
Apostolic Administrator*

ADORATION CHAPEL
Edward Street. Private Prayer Only. Adoration 9am – 7pm
Rosary on the Coast for Life and Faith
at the Grotto,
Convent of Mercy, Edward St
This Sunday, 10 Oct @ 2.30pm.
All are welcome.

DROMORE DIOCESAN HISTORICAL SOCIETY: ANNUAL GENERAL MEETING
The Society will hold its Annual General Meeting on **MONDAY 11TH OCTOBER @ 7:30pm.** using the Zoom video-conferencing facility.
After the formal business of Reports and election of officers, there will be a Talk at 8:00 by Martin Goss entitled "An Irish Airman and the Llandow Air Disaster, March 1950":
Any member wishing to participate in this AGM is invited to e-mail the Hon Sec: goss.ijm@gmail.com requesting the link to the meeting.
Non-members are most welcome to the talk and will be admitted after the AGM.

PUBLIC LECTURE BY DR FRANCIS MCCORRY
Lurgan's pre-eminent historian Dr Francis X. McCorry will be providing a local history talk entitled:
Shankill Parish (Lurgan) Church of Ireland Vestry, 1672-1782: District Administration and Community Building
In this lecture, organised by the Lurgan Townscape Heritage scheme, Dr McCorry will provide an overview of the early history and work of the Shankill Parish Church Vestry between the years 1672 and 1782. The lecture will be held on Saturday 16th October in the Jethro Centre (Flush Place, Lurgan).
Lecture start time: 7.30pm
Everyone Welcome

ST TERESA'S PRIMARY SCHOOL
welcomes you to our 60th Anniversary Celebrations.
Wed 20th Oct –
Mr Frank McCorry talk on 'Stories relating to three most important fortuitous historical finds' in the school at 7pm (with light refreshments).
Thurs 21st Oct - 10:30am - Mass in St Peter's Church
with refreshments in school afterwards -11:30-1.00pm.
Please contact
Imccartan450@c2kni.net or phone 02838 323425, if wanting to attend (in line with COVID 19 restrictions)

GCSE English Language Tuition
available - small group classes or one to one session
Thursdays @ The Jethro Centre,
For further information contact Olivia on 078 8908 3993

Seeing your Life through the Lens of the Gospel
Mark 10:17-30
1. We often get satisfaction from the things we own, clothes, cars homes, gadgets or money. There would be something unnatural if we did not. But what happens to us when our possessions begin to 'own us', when they take a hold on us, when we become obsessed with them? Jesus seeks followers who have the freedom to let go of possessions in order to be a servant of others. In whom have you seen this freedom? When have you experienced it yourself?
2. Growth implies change. That change sometimes means letting go of something we have at this moment; job, status, home, security, or something else we value. There can be an apparent loss in letting go. Yet have you ever found that you gained by having the freedom to let go of something to which you had previously clung?


RECENTLY DECEASED
Stephen McCann, Annesborough Park
Gertie McAlinden, Albert Terrace
Neillie McStravick, Tarry Drive
MONTH'S MIND
Wednesday 13th October
Hugh Haughian, Lurgantarry
Saturday 16th October
Ken McAlernon, Rectory Park

ANNIVERSARIES
Sunday 10th October
Anne Haughey, Boconnell Lane
Canice Nugent, Woodville Avenue
Bernard McGibbon, Castor Bay Road
Sr Colette Douglas, Port Elizabeth/Aghagallon
Michael John Breen, Victoria Gardens
Bertie McIntyre, Lower North Street
Monday 11th October
Kay Williamson, Drumbeg North
Lorraine McEnoy, Soye Gardens
Annie McCorry, Glenavy
Gerard Ranaghan, Killough, Co Down
James Brown, Shore Road
Dan McNally, Kinnego
Nuala Henderson, Castor Bay Road
George Hatchell, Newry
Tuesday 12th October
Veronica Moore, The Clare
Joseph McAlernon, Tullydagan
Peter McConville, Lurgantarry
Wednesday 13th October
Doreen Toman, Antrim Road
Winifred McStravick, Filbin Crescent
Billy McQuillan, Oakleigh Fold
Joseph McCaughley, Silverwood Drive
Bridie Clarke, Beech Court
Mark Toland, Parknasilla Way
Martin Doran, Campbell Walk
Sarah Elizabeth Scullion, Island View, Kinnego
Michael Breen, Pier Rampart, Derryadd
Thursday 14th October
Teresa Heaney, Milltown
Sean Murray, Sperrin Drive
Roisin Ginesi, Ardowen
Rita Thompson, Grattan Street
Eileen Gordon, Kilwilke Gardens
John & Catherine Gregory, Lissummon
Friday 15th October
James Breen, Ulster Street
Marty Magill, Antrim Road
Pat McStay, Chicago
Oliver McKeag, Hawthorn Avenue
Dermot Lavery, Derrymore, Gawley's Gate

Saturday 16th October
Edward (Eddie) Heaney, Oakleigh Fold
Kieran Shanks, Dingwell, Park
Requests for Anniversaries and Month's Mind notices should be left into the Parish Office on or before 12 noon on the Wednesday of the week before if they are to be included in the Bulletin.
The minimum diocesan stipend is £10.
As we have a booking system, anniversaries can be booked in advance until the **end of the year only.**
Please use the anniversary envelopes at the back of the Church