St. Peter's Parish, Shankill

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BULLETIN

12th MAY 2024 - THE ASCENSION OF THE LORD

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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: 10.00am Saturday: 10.30 am & 7pm (Vigil)

SACRAMENT OF RECONCILIATION

With Fr Jozef Friday's, 6.00pm - 6.45pm

OFFERTORY COLLECTION

5th May - £4430.54 Donations - £15 & 1X£150 Car Park - £428.80 plus, donation of £1500 from G.D Henderson Construction Ltd Thank you for your continued support and generosity.



We welcome the following children into the Christian Community through the Sacrament of Baptism

Tighearnán Kane-Cavanagh, Church Walk Croía Abigail McConville, North Circular Rd

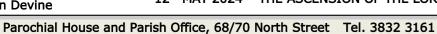
Cody James McDowell, Belvedere Manor

Aoife Mead, Belvedere Manor

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



Safeguarding Children and Adults who require protection.

or email safeguardingdirector@dromorediocese.org

Bethany Bereavement Team: 075 4899 1681

MAY DEVOTIONS - FR KINGSLEY **Every Sunday in May**

General Theme: A journey with the Blessed Virgin Mary. **PROGRAM**

6pm Exposition of the Blessed Sacrament and Rosary

- Talk on the Theme for the week.
- Benediction & Final Blessing.

Weekly Theme

Sunday 12th May - Mary: The First Tabernacle.

Sunday 19th May - Mary: Our Model in

Ordinary Life. Sunday 26th May - The Virtues of Mary Wednesday 29th May - The 7 Sorrows

of Mary. ROSARY PROCESSION - Wed 29th May.

There will be a Rosary procession in the grounds of the church if the weather permits otherwise the Rosarv will be said inside the Church and conclude with Holy Mass. N.B During the month of May, if possible, the candles in our Lady's Altar should be lit at least during weekend Mass and parishioners



should be encouraged to pray the Holy

Rosary before or after Mass.

Community Outreach Group: Two Traditions, One Lord

The Community Outreach Group has helped many in Lurgan to understand how much the Catholic and Protestant traditions hold in common. On Wednesday, 15th May at 8pm in the Jethro Centre Pearse Thornbury and Harold Miller will share the values and challenges of their own church traditions and look at how the Church as a whole may live faithfully in a new world of challenges and opportunities. Evervone is welcome.



LOURDES CHURCH GATE COLLECTION

will take place this weekend, the 11th/12th May, after all the Masses.

Anyone wishing to send petitions to Lourdes can leave them in the basket at Our Lady's Altar

PRAYER OF ST BRENDAN THE VOYAGER - 16 May

Help me to journey beyond the familiar and into the unknown. Give me the faith to leave the old ways and break fresh ground with you. Christ of the mysteries, I trust you, be stronger than each storm within me. I will trust in the darkness and know that my times, even now, are in your hands. Turn

my spirit to the music of heaven, and somehow, make my obedience count for you. Amen.

Pilgrimage for young adults/young parents and others 18 - 35 years.

August 25th Day trip to Lough Derg. Onward journey to Knock Shrine overnight stay in Knock. Day 2 - take time to enjoy all that Knock Shrine offers or Climb Croagh Patrick. Home late evening. Transport and accommodation provided. To obtain more information and register your place. Email Frances on

youthdirector@dromorediocese.org or phone 028 3083 3898.

DROMORE DIOCESAN HISTORICAL SOCIETY

Monday 20th May 2024: @7:30pm in **Newry Parish Centre** The Society is delighted to welcome

Hugh McShane, well-known local teacher, historian and author of several studies on Newry, to present an illustrated talk on

> Newry in the 1900s. All welcome

SKELTON TRAVEL

presents

TOMMY FLEMING

Live in Concert in St Peter's Church

Sunday 1 December Tickets £30 on sale now from Skelton Travel 3832 4741 or online

https://tommyfleming.com/concer t-tickets-uk/

Pilgrimage to Shrines of Italy

8 Days, inc. San Giovanni, Shrine of St. Michael the Archangel, Lanciano, Assisi (inc. Tomb of Blessed Carlo Acutis), Loreto, St.Rita of Cascia, Our Lady of Revelations etc. Depart 28th August 2024 Ex Dublin - STG £1090. Limited places. For further details contact:

KNOCK SHRINE. Saturday 1st June

Anita 077 6974 4836

All Ireland Rosary Rally. To book for coach call Catherina 07899 810181 or Gabrielle 07933 521105

ALL IRELAND ROSARY RALLY Knock 2024/Sat 1st June.

Return bus leaving St Paul's Car Park @ 5.45am sharp. Leaving Knock approx. 5.00pm. Names and £10 deposit to be left into The Divine Mercy, William Street. Call Mary 077 1853 1096 for further information

Southern Area Hospice Services

are delighted to launch their 2024 Camino walking trips and are looking for participants to join them on the French Way in September.

Participants will take on the challenge of walking 113km which begins in Sarria ending in the beautiful city that is Santiago de Compostela to help raise funds for Hospice services.

The trip will take place from 2nd – 9th September 2024.

With a fundraising target of over £3.6million, Southern Area Hospice Services rely heavily on the local community to help them reach their target so they can continue to provide the highest standard of specialist palliative care.

To register your interest please contact Brian on (028) 3026 7711 or email

hylandb@southernareahospiceser vices.org

PRAYER FOR WORLD **COMMUNICATION DAY** 12 May

O God, whose word is truth and, in whose light, we see light, guide those who tell the story of our times through word and image.

Make them seekers after truth and advocates of human dignity. Grant discernment to all who rely on their labours, and, as we comfort the pain and promise of this world, awaken in us a sense of wonder at your presence and of longing for your peace. We ask this through our Lord Jesus Christ, your Son who lives and reigns with you in unity of the Holy Spirit, God forever and ever. Amen

Tannaghmore P.S.

Applications are now open for Tannaghmore After School Club September 2024. If you would like to apply, please contact tannaghmore.afterschool@gmail .com or phone 028 3832 1472 for an Expression of Interest Form.

Adoration Chapel

Monday 13th May Fatima Family Rosary 7-8 pm Everyone welcome

Kildare & Wicklow

Get out and about Tour. Departing Monday 17 June One night Dinner B&B & entertainment Westgrove Hotel. £109 Local tours and excursions for info/booking Noel 079 5547 5650 Gerard 383 24741

Couch to Ceili!"

St Peter's Parish Hall North St, Lurgan No partner/experience necessary 11am-12.30 each Thursday Info: 07788 730 429 www.annettecollins.com

CEMETERY SUNDAY AGHAGALLON Today 12th May

St Patrick's - 11am

Maghernagaw – 2.30pm Old Aghagallon - 3.30pm

The main liturgy for Cemetery Sunday ythis year will be included within the 1.00am Mass directly folwed by Blessing of the Graves & rosary in St Patrick's.

RECENTLY DECEASED

Mary McCluskey, Downshire Avenue Norah Johnston nee Fox, Wellington Street Ben McGrann, Richmount Gardens Peggy McCaughley, nee Doran, Manor Park Alison Hoy nee Campbell, Kilvoragh Park

MONTH'S MIND

Sunday 12th May Rita Furphy, Dingwell Park

Tuesday 14th May

Adrian McShane, Shore Road/Banbridge Rowena Moore nee McCarron, Donnelly Gardens

Wednesday 15th May

Ann Miles, Richmount Gardens

Friday 17th May

Albert Hannon, Ferngrove Avenue

ANNIVERSARIES Sunday 12th May

Mary Kelly, Victoria Street Place Lily McCready, Cornakinnegar Road Joseph Crossey, Grattan Street/USA Mary Dennison, Clara Street

Monday 13th May

Seamus Downing, Derryhirk Joe McCann, Beech Court

Tuesday 14th May

Maureen Scullion, Rectory Park Seamus & Hugh Murray, Derrytrasna

Wednesday 15th May

Annie Maginn, Shore Road Matthew Shanks, Kilwilke Road Mary Haughian, Charlestown Road John Joe Gallery, Beaumount Square

Thursday 16th May

Kieran Fitzpatrick, Deeny Drive Dominic Fox, Portadown Geraldine Creaney, Aghagallon

Friday 17th May

Edward McGeown, Ulster Street Patrick Crewe, Glenholme Avenue Bernadette McKinstry, Kilwilke Road Pauline McCrory, Kilwilke Road

Saturday 18th May

Gary O'Connor, Belvedere Manor Bridget (Bridie) Brady, Shore Road Antoinette McCorry nee O'Dowd, Derryadd

Eternal rest grant on to them O Lord

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.

Please use the anniversary envelopes at the back of the Church