

St. Peter's Parish, Shankill

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BULLETIN

13th AUGUST 2023 – NINETEENTH 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

OFERTORY COLLECTION
6th August - £3147.17
Donations - £15 loose
Car Park - £0.00
Thank you for your continued support and generosity.


We welcome the following children into the Christian Community through the Sacrament of Baptism
Faye Marie McCourt, Kiln Avenue
Leo Sarach, Hillcrest
Caiden James Kerr, Bowens Meadow
Faolán Martin & Féinics Salvador Goncalves, Kilwilke Road
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

CEMETERY SUNDAY – Today, 13th August
Rosary and Prayers for the Faithful Departed
The Dougher 3pm – St Colman's 5pm

The Ceremony will include Scripture Readings, Prayers and Blessing of the Graves.
The Knights of Columbanus will distribute Blessed Holy water at each of the Masses this weekend and parishioners are asked to bring this holy water to the grave and individual family members will be invited to sprinkle the Holy Water on the family plot after the Prayer of Blessing.
Relatives and visitors are asked to help maintain the sacred character of the Cemetery by ensuring all waste is put into the skip or taken away for disposal. To help with maintenance costs of the cemetery, collection baskets will be available at the exit gates to enable anyone who wishes to contribute to do so.

Tuesday 15th August
FEAST OF THE ASSUMPTION OF THE BLESSED VIRGIN MARY
Mass times for Holy Day of Obligation
St Peter's - 8am & 7.00pm
St Paul's - Monday 14th Vigil - 7.00pm & 10am Tuesday


THE LIFE OF MARY
When the angel came, he did not shock her. It was as if a ray of sun or moon had come into the room. She did not even blink. But when his youthful face bent near hers, they looked into one another's eyes. A look so powerful that the outside world suddenly emptied and the visions of the crowds, their deeds and struggles, all went away, leaving just the two of them. A girl and an angel in a little place, astonishing them both before the angel sang his song.
Rainer Maria Rilke

MISSIONARY SISTERS OF THE HOLY ROSARY
The Congregation of the Missionary Sisters of the Holy Rosary (The Killeshandra Nuns) was founded in 1924 by Bishop Joseph Shanahan CSSP to bring the Gospel message to the women of Southern Nigeria. Sisters are presently on mission in Brazil, Cameroon, Ethiopia, Ghana, Kenya, Liberia, Nigeria, South Africa, Sierra Leone, the USA and Zambia.
Sr. Mary Gallagher will speak at the Masses next weekend 19/20th August to promote Mission Awareness.
What we do
HEALTH CARE: healing the sick, building healthy communities
EDUCATION: key to human development at all levels
PASTORAL CARE: The Word of God alive in people's lives
SOCIAL DEVELOPMENT: in cities, villages and rural communities
JUSTICE AND PEACE
CARE FOR THE EARTH: loving the planet
REFUGEES: reaching out to street children, fighting against human trafficking
REBUILDING shattered lives after devastation of war and disease
PRAYER is central to our lives. It is God's work we are doing, not our own.

MACMILLAN CANCER SUPPORT NIGHT
organised by Pat O'Hagan.
A Night with the Stars on Friday 18th August at 8pm at the Goodyear Sports & Social Club. Tickets £12 available from both Colleen's Kitchen and the Goodyear Club.
Thank you for your support."

ADORATION CHAPEL, EDWARD STREET
Adoration 9am-9pm
Our Lady of Fatima prayers and Rosary
Sunday 13 August
7.00 - 8.00 p.m.

HOLIDAY TIME
Have a holy, happy, and safe holiday and welcome to friends and family who are home for the holidays.

Going on holiday? Please don't forget me. Call at my House and say a prayer!!
Find a Mass at your destination at www.masstimes.org


LONDON CALLING PART II
Return flights Belfast – London 15th September, Friday - Monday All coach transfers from airport to St Giles Hotel, just off Oxford Street. Ideal location for shopping/sightseeing. 3 nights B&B price £389 Deposit to secure place £50 non-refundable Easy payment plan available.
GLENEAGLES
Monday 20th November 2023
4 nights Dinner, B&B Entertainment daily. £389 contact
For further information on both the above call Gerard 3832 4741, Noel 079 5547 5650

National Novena at Knock Shrine
14- 22 August. Daily Ceremonies 3pm & 8pm (Anointing of the Sick at 2.30pm)
The National Novena to Our Lady of Knock offers you the opportunity to step away from everyday life and immerse yourself in prayer in the beautiful, peaceful grounds of Knock Shrine.
Over the course of the nine-day Novena, we will hear from guest speakers each day who will offer insights on a variety of topics, from personal faith stories, to how we are responding to a changing world. You are invited to take this time to reflect and explore within yourself on how to embrace the challenges we face in our faith. Our theme for this year is 'Caring for Creation'. Workshops will take place at 12 noon and daily walking tours (organised by Knock Museum) will take place at 10.30am throughout the Novena. The Family Day will take place on Sun 20 August from 11am – 3pm. See the full programme at www.knockshrine.ie

Enrolment for **Irish language classes** will take place on Monday 21st August from 7-8.30pm at Gaelic League premises, North Street.
go raibh maith agat.

Seeing your Life through the Lens of the Gospel Matthew 14:22-33
1. The Story illustrates the power of faith. Have you noticed that when you believe in someone or something, you can do things that would not be possible when you are full of doubts? Recall moments when your faith gave you strength and courage. Name for yourself the different kinds of faith that had this effect: belief in yourself, trust in another, faith in God.
2. When Jesus got into the boat the winds ceased. Who has been a Jesus person for you and helped to calm a storm that frightened you or made you anxious?
3. The experience of Peter gives encouragement to us when we waver in our trust and belief in God. Who has reached out a helping hand to you when you felt you were sinking?

GUIDED TOURS OF NEWRY CATHEDRAL
Wednesday 16th August 2pm
Wednesday 30th August 7pm
Each tour will take approximately 90 minutes. Please meet at the main door of the Cathedral. You will hear the story of the building of the Cathedral, 1825-1829, and of the later extensions. The history of its stained glass, marble altars, sculptures and magnificent mosaics will also be explained.
There is no charge for these tours.


RECENTLY DECEASED
Patricia (Patsy) McEvoy, Allenhill Park
John McSherry, Sperrin Drive
Marissa McCready, Silverwood Leaves
ANNIVERSARIES
Sunday 13th August
Rita Hamill, Ennis Green
John & May Murray, Ulster Street
Fiona Breen, Victoria Gardens
Sarah McClean, Killough Gardens
Siobhan McGibbon, Castor Bay
Veronica McClymont, Scotland/Austria
Monday 14th August
Brenda McKavanagh, Victoria Street
Jim McCaughley, Turmoyra Lane
Gerald Toman, Church Walk
Una Crossey, Oakridge
Sarah & Tony Colgan, Ballyhannon Rd, Portadown
Tuesday 15th August
Isobel Gallery, Killough Gardens
Tony Mallon, Ashford Grange
Kathleen O'Neill, Killaghy Road
Nan Findon, Edward Street
Gerry Goodman, Stevenson Park
Wednesday 16th August
Eamon Derby, Clara Street
Fergus Magee, Lake Street
Eileen Bunting, Waring Street
Elsie Cusack, Portadown
Nora Patterson, North Circular Road
Maud McAteer, Lurgan/Manchester
Raymond Heaney, Taghnevan
Thursday 17th August
Sheila Gaskin, Kilwilke Road
Pauline Rogers, Edward Street
Teresa Devlin, Drumgor Heights
Friday 18th August
Kevin McSherry, Portland Manor
Joe Moore, Clare, Gilford
Kevin Magill, Grattan Street
Rosemarie Smyth, Oakleigh Grove
Jane & Patrick Greene, Bleary
William Kearney, Kilwarlin
Saturday 19th August
Daniel Kevin McConville, Lake Street
Mona Heaney, Oakridge
Pat Magee, Levin Road
Desmond O'Neill, Glenholme Park
Peter McKeown, Allenhill Park
Eternal rest grant onto them O Lord.
Requests for Anniversaries, Month's Mind and all 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 up until the end of the year.
Please use the anniversary envelopes at the back of the Church