

St. Peter's Parish, Shankill

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BULLETIN

14th MAY 2023 – SIXTH SUNDAY OF EASTER



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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
7th May - £3586.07
Donations – 1 X £50 & £10 loose
Car Park - £392.30
Thank you for your continued support.

SHRINES
Can we please ask that you refrain from putting Euro or foreign coins into the shrines. The banks do not take these coins, so they are therefore of no value to us.


We welcome the following children into the Christian Community through the Sacrament of Baptism
Rossa McKerr, Cherrywood
Leo Brian Lyons, Woodville Gate
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

DROMORE DIOCESAN PILGRIMAGE TO KNOCK
Saturday 3 June
led by Archbishop Éamon Martin.
in conjunction with Archdiocese of Armagh and All-Ireland Rosary Rally.
Bus leaving Lurgan at 8:00am.
Bring packed lunch, drinks and snacks.
Evening meal in Sligo on return journey. Cost £40 per person.
Please book through your local parish office.
"Lady of Knock, my Queen of Peace!"
Alternatively, bus leaving from Newry at 7:00 in conjunction with the Knights of St Columbanus (£20, no evening Meal). Booking forms available through Newry Parish Office.


PRAYER AT A CHILD'S FIRST HOLY COMMUNION
Lord Jesus Christ, bless the children coming forward to receive Holy Communion for the first time.
May this day be a step toward a lifelong love of the Eucharist.
Give them a hunger for this sacred food so that they turn to you for comfort, guidance, and wisdom as they grow into full discipleship.
Thank you for their innocence and goodness.
May their hands, extended in anticipation of your Body and blood, inspire all of us to cherish his sacred Sacrament.
Amen

YOUTH COLLECTION
The Annual Collection for the programmes and activities (Pope John Paul II Award, Summer Camps, Knock Volunteering programme, GIFT – growing in faith together, Faith Friends, Youth ALPHA/NUA, Social action initiatives, School RETREATS, Pilgrimages and much more) will be taken up on the weekend of the 20th and 21st May.
There is a BLUE envelope in your box of envelopes marked Youth Ministry dated 21st May. If you don't have envelopes, please donate by using a regular envelope and mark 'Youth Ministry Collection'.
Please donate generously to the initiatives offered by your Parish and the Diocesan Youth Com. For more information email our Diocesan Youth Director Frances McNally at youthdirector@dromorediocese.org

PRAYER TO OUR LADY OF LOURDES
O ever Immaculate Virgin, Mother of Mercy, health of the sick, refuge of sinners, comforter of the afflicted, you know my wants, my troubles, my suffering; look with mercy on me. By appearing in the Grotto of Lourdes you were pleased to make it a privileged sanctuary, whence you dispense your favours; and already many sufferers have obtained the cure of their infirmities, both spiritual and corporal. I come, therefore with complete confidence to implore your maternal intercession. O loving Mother grant my request. Through gratitude for your favours, I will endeavour to imitate your virtues, that I may one day share your glory. Amen
Anyone wishing to send petitions to Lourdes need to do so by Tuesday evening. There is a basket for the petitions at Our Lady's Altar.



DROMORE DIOCESAN HISTORICAL SOCIETY
Monday May 22nd @ 7:30pm sharp.
The Society will host a tour of Dromantine, home of the Society of African Missions since 1926.
This tour will be conducted by the SMA fathers. All welcome.


All monies have now been counted. A total of **£8156.00** was collected and a cheque will be forwarded on to Trocaire.
Thank you to all our parishioners for their generosity.

Seán Treacy's Hurling Club are celebrating 50 years of hurling. As part of our celebrations, we are holding a Down Memory Lane event. Come and share memories, stories & photos of days gone by. All past and present members welcome on Sunday 4th June at 4pm upstairs in Clann Éireann Youth Club.

AIFREANN NA FLEIDHE / FLEADH MASS
As Lurgan is hosting the Armagh County Fleadh from 26–28 May, St Paul's is proud to host and welcome all parishioners and Fleadh-goers to bilingual Sunday Mass in St Paul's Church at 1:30pm on Sunday 28 May.
Beidh fáilte roimh cách. Molaimís Spiorad an Tiarna!

Armagh Fleadh in Lurgan
May 26th -28th
Hosted by Clanbrassil Comhaltas. Opening concert Friday 26th St Ronan's, Edward Street site. Competitions Sat 27th St Ronan's, Edward Street site. Details can be found online by scanning QR code. the QR code brings you to the Co Armagh Comhaltas webpage where you will find a poster of events and map detailing all the Fleadh venues and session trail.



Armagh Fleadh Ticket Information
Monday 22 May, 'Culture Night' in St Peter's GAC – free event but ticket required.
Friday 26 May, main Fleadh Concert @ St Ronan's £10. Tickets are required for above concerts and are available at Dannan Crafts & Icons Café or by contacting Henry 078 0327 2076.
Fleadh Competitions
Entry to the Fleadh competitions on Saturday 27 May in St Ronan's College 1 £3 each or (£10 per family)


EXAMINATIONS PRAYER
Dear Lord, help me to approach my exams with a clear head and calm mind. Give me your strength and your peace and let me do justice to all that I have learned. Thank you, Lord, for all my gifts and talents. Amen

DUBLIN HISTORY DAY TOUR
Friday 21 July
Kilmainham Gaol, Arbor Hill & some free time to spend in Dublin. A great historical day in Dublin. £32
Fleadh Cheoil na Éireann
Day trip to immerse yourself in great Irish music & craic.
Mullingar, Friday 11 August.
Leaving St Peter's Church at 1.30pm and leaving Mullingar at 11pm.
Come along and enjoy a great day out. £25
To book any of the above Contact Gerard 3832 4741 or Noel 079 5547 5650



LOUGH DERG
2023 Pilgrimage Season
Three-day Pilgrimages
Thursday 1 June – Monday 15 August
(Last day to begin Sun 13th)
Admission €80
Booking advised / concessions available for students, seniors & groups.
One Day Retreats
May 1, 7, 9, 14, 20 27 & 29 August 19, 22, & 27 September 2, 6, 9, 12, 16, 17, 23, & 24
Admission €45
Booking essential / Concessions available for groups
Residential Retreat
Sun 11 – Thurs 15 June & Sun 6 – Thurs 10 August
€400 per person single room €325 per person sharing.
Full Board / Booking essential.

Lakeshore Pilgrimage
Along the Pilgrimage Path
Sunday 21 May & Saturday 30 September
Admission €25 booking essential
Quiet Day
Friday 12 May & Friday 15 September
Admission €35 / Booking essential.


RECENTLY DECEASED
Sheila Shanks, Oakfield Terrace
Caoimhin Mallon, Downshire Avenue
Marinus Toman, Maple Court
Maureen Quinn, Linen Mews
Rose Toman, Annaloiste Road
Cornelius (Neilly) McCabe, Edward Street

MONTH'S MIND
Thursday 18th May
Angela Catney, Wellington Street
ANNIVERSARIES
Sunday 14th May
Maureen Scullion, Rectory Park
Patrick Mulholland, Mary Street
Monday 15th May
Annie Maginn, Shore Road
Matthew Shanks, Kilwilke Road
Michael McDowell, Bells Row
Mary Haughian, Charlestown Road
John Joseph Gallery, Beaumont Square
Tuesday 16th May
Kieran Fitzpatrick, Deeny Drive
Brian McNally, Headington Avenue
Dominic Fox, Portadown
Wednesday 17th May
Edward McGeown, Ulster Street
Patrick Crewe, Glenholme Avenue
Bernadette McKinstry, Kilwilke Road
Henry McGuinness, Shankill Street

Thursday 18th May
Bridget (Bridie) Brady, Shore Road
Gary O'Connor, Belvedere Manor
Antoinette McCorry nee O'Dowd, Derryadd
Friday 19th May
Billy McAlinden, Drumlin Drive
Ena & Felix Donnelly, Drumlin Drive
Frank Leonard, New York
Saturday 20th May
William Camblin, Cornakinnegar Road
Alice McCann, Beech Court
Kevin Halferty, Manor 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.
Please use anniversary envelopes at the back of the Church.

PARISH OF AGHAGALLON & BALLINDERRY
Cemetery Sunday, today 14th May.
11am Mass will be offered for all our beloved dead followed by Blessing of the Graves and Rosary in the Graveyards. Families are welcome to attend the Mass prior to gathering in the graveyards. There will be a collection for the upkeep of Graveyards.
St Patrick's – 11am, Maghernagaw – 2.30pm
Old Aghagallon – 3.30pm

MOYRAVERTY 50+ TEA DANCE
St Anthony's Parish Centre
Thursday 18 May @ 8pm
Music by Mon Wheeler, raffle & prizes, adm £4 inc light supper. *Old and new member's welcome*