

# BULLETIN

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Fr Joseph Wozniak  
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18<sup>TH</sup> SEPTEMBER – 25th SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME  
Jubilee Year of Mercy



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### MASS SCHEDULE

6pm (Vigil Saturday)  
Sunday 8am, 10am, 11am  
(po polsku) & 12.15pm

Monday, Wednesday & Thursday  
8am & 10.30am  
Tuesday & Friday 8am & 7pm  
Saturday 10am

### SACRAMENT OF RECONCILIATION Saturday

9.15am – 9.50am & 5.15pm – 5.50pm

### OFFERTORY COLLECTION

Sunday 11<sup>th</sup> September – £4120  
Donations – £80 loose

£430 in lieu of flowers in memory of the late Josephine Lavery RIP  
*Thank you for your continued support.*



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

**Darragh Patrick Curran,  
Woodville Elms**

*Our best wishes are extended to his family*

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. Parents/Godparents will have an opportunity to meet some members of the Baptism Team prior to the day of Baptism.

**Baptisms take place each Sunday**

### PARISH OFFICE HOURS

Monday 10am – 4pm  
Tuesday-Thursday – 9am – 4pm  
Friday 9am – 2.30pm  
Closed each day for lunch  
1pm – 1.30pm

### WANTED

The Knights of St Columbanus would appreciate donations of unwanted mobile phones, old Irish and Foreign coins and notes to help with their charity projects. These items may be left in the Parish Office

### Fr Conor McConville

Bishop McAreevey has, in recent days, appointed Fr McConville to take charge of the Parishes of Dromore and Magheralin. Fr Conor will be leaving St Peter's and St Paul's Parishes soon, to take up his new duties and will move to live in Kilwarlin.

### Society of African Missions (SMA) NATIONAL NOVENA

In honour of St Therese of the Child Jesus In Dromantine  
Mass and Novena daily from Friday 23<sup>rd</sup> Sept- Saturday 1<sup>st</sup> Oct @ 10am & 7.30pm

*'How can I fear a God who is nothing but Mercy and Love?'*  
(St Therese of Lisieux)

### THE IRISH PILGRIMAGE TRUST

Taking young people with a physical or learning disability to Lourdes at Easter

Closing date for applications 31<sup>st</sup> October.

For an application form or further information please contact:  
Tel: 00353 9179 6622

[www.irishpilgrimagetrust.com](http://www.irishpilgrimagetrust.com)

### ST VINCENT DE PAUL

Ozanam Centre, 3832 5725  
OPENING HOURS  
Monday – Friday  
9am 1pm & 2pm – 4pm  
Closed 1pm – 2pm for lunch  
Saturday 10am – 12 noon

### COURSES IN DRUMALIS 2016/18

Enrolment for 2016-2018 is currently taking place. Two courses being offered:  
**Pathways** – offers space for reflection and study. It offers participants spiritual and theological formation, in order to explore their faith with greater confidence. (No qualifications necessary.) This two-year programme runs from October to June each year and will be held on 9 Saturdays from 10 am-4:30 pm at Drumalis. Further details available on Drumalis website – <http://www.drumalis.co.uk>  
The cost for **Pathways** Course is £160 per year, which includes lunch and tea breaks

**The Certificate in Christian Thought** offers a space where adults can explore, reflect upon, discuss and study faith and how it relates to life in today's world. This course is open to those who have completed the Pathways course or its equivalent. It is possible to do the course for validation by St Mary's University College or for personal development only. This two-year programme runs from October to June each year and will be held on 7 Saturdays from 10 am - 4:30 pm at Drumalis. Further details available on Drumalis website – <http://www.drumalis.co.uk>  
The cost for the **Certificate in Christian Thought** if done for validation by St. Mary's is £260, or, if doing it for personal development only is £210

Enquiries and bookings: phone Drumalis – 028 2827 2196/2827 6455 (during office hours, Mon-Fri, 9 am – 5 pm) or email [maura@drumalis.co.uk](mailto:maura@drumalis.co.uk)

### LURGAN LOURDES ANNUAL TOWN COLLECTION

Will take place Saturday 24<sup>th</sup> Sept  
If anyone could spare an hour or two to help collect please contact  
**Gerard Mitchell 075 4754 1173**

### NOTICE FROM BISHOP JOHN MCAREAVEY

Across the diocese of Dromore, people will be aware of a reduction in the number of priests available to serve in the parishes of the diocese. In 2005 there were 41 priests serving in parishes; today there are 23 diocesan priests, supported by 3 Polish priests and 3 Permanent Deacons. It is now essential to review the allocation of priests in the parishes of the diocese. Beginning in September, a process of consultation will be carried out, involving clergy and parishioners. You will be kept informed about this

*John McAreevey*

*In connection with the above process, Bishop McAreevey has asked every parish in the diocese to take a count of the congregations attending each Mass this weekend, 17/18<sup>th</sup> September.*

### NEIGHBOURS:

On Wednesday 21st September the Jethro Centre is having a 'drop-in Coffee Bar' to celebrate the diversity in our Lurgan Community. This is a get-together with the many cultures and 'new' citizens in our town. Please join us for free food, and to share music and good conversation between 6:30 pm and 9 pm on 21st at the Jethro Centre on Flush Place.

We want to get to know our neighbours who are from many countries and who now call Lurgan home. If you know anyone who lives near you or works with you and who is from another nation please invite them to come along to the event.

### WONDERS OF ROME & SAN GIOVANNI

25<sup>th</sup> September 2017  
£589 for 6 day tour to include Return flights to Rome, 3 nights in central Rome – Hotel Cecil, offering rooftop terrace views of the city, 2 nights in San Giovanna- Gran Paradiso. Visit Lanciano & Pompeii (TBC). Optional visits to the Vatican & Colosseum. Call Noel 079 5547 5650 or Gerard 38324741

### COFFEE MORNING

Daly Park & Company Ltd is holding another Coffee Morning in support of MacMillan Cancer Support on **Friday 30 September from 10.30 am to 2.00pm**. Thanks to your support last year we managed to raise £2,040 towards this great cause.

### LURGAN JUNIOR GATEWAY CLUB

Adult volunteers required to help children with special needs. Must be able to commit to 1½ hours per week on a Wednesday evening from 6 – 7.30pm.  
Contact Dominic 077 8636 1550 for more information

### St Peter's AC Lurgan 10k&5k race

Sun 25th Sept@11am  
Entry £10 U-16s £5  
Fee includes -Finishers medal for all runners -Goodie bag-Chip timing by Elite -Post race refreshments-Prizes in each section Race route will take in the scenic pathways of the beautiful Lurgan Park **Contact:** [lurganrace@dwveroconnor.com](mailto:lurganrace@dwveroconnor.com) - [www.saintpetersac.com](http://www.saintpetersac.com)

### YOGA FOR YOU

Mount Zion House, Edward Street  
Every Thursday 9.30-11am  
Contact Grainne 078 9685 7768 or Kate 3832 4680  
£4 per class  
(Crèche services available)

### PARISH BINGO

Each Sunday night @ 8.30pm in Parish Hall  
*Everyone welcome*

### Grimes & McKee ST MONGO'S

*How the worst team in history got to the All-Ireland Final*  
St Anthony's Hall, Craigavon  
Sunday 9<sup>th</sup> October @ 7.30pm  
Tickets £15 available from Eire Og Social Club, St Anthony's or call Ian 075 2579 3553  
*All proceeds to Moyraverty Lourdes Committee and Newry Hospice*

### MATURE PERSON REQUIRED

For occasional babysitting  
Call 078 7042 3716

### LURGAN LIBRARY RELAXATION WORKSHOP

5th and 12th Oct  
10.30am 11.30am.  
*Free but booking advisable*

### MUSICAL EVENING WITH TREBLE CLEF

Wednesday 12th October @ 7pm  
*Donations to Southern Area Hospice*

### Cedars Seniors Project Jethro Centre

Dolly Mixtures (Ladies group 50 +)  
*Every Tuesday 10.30 – 12.30*  
Walking Football for Men(50+)  
*Tuesday 11.30 – 12.30*  
Seniors Tea Dance  
*Tuesday 27<sup>th</sup> September 2-4pm*  
*For further information contact Carmel on 3832 5673*

### Learn I.T Level 1 & 2 Computer Class for Beginners

North Lurgan Community Centre  
Commencing 30th September 2016 for 17 weeks each Friday 9.30am-1pm  
Course is FREE  
Register at North Lurgan Community Centre on Friday 23rd September 2016 at 10am – 11am  
Enrolment is essential to secure a place & places are limited!  
Contact Karen/ Danielle on 3831 6394 or Jim Cunningham on 077 1198 1732 for more information

### Alzheimer's Society/ Fight against Dementia

'SINGING FOR THE BRAIN'  
Join us at one of our fun, stimulating sessions.  
For people with early to moderate stages of dementia and their carers  
The Jethro Centre, Lurgan.  
Every Thursday 1.30-3.30pm  
More info 028 3025 6057

### Adult STEP DANCE Classes

Old Style Step Dance of Ireland  
New term, new routines from Sept 21  
Beginners: 7-8pm, Improvers: 8-9pm  
Lurgan Town Hall  
For details call: 38345522  
[www.annettecollins.com](http://www.annettecollins.com)  
or Facebook: stepwithannette



### RECENTLY DECEASED

Rebecca Haughey, Clanbrassil Grove  
Gerard Cafferkey, Formerly of Wellington St  
Ann O'Hanlon, George Street  
Thomas Simmons, Drumlin Drive

### ANNIVERSARIES

#### Sunday 18<sup>th</sup> September

Rose Headley, Craigavon  
Teresa McAvoy, Grattan Street  
Margaret McDowell, Bells Row  
Mary Carbery, Kilwilke Road  
Gary Gordon, Ashgrove Avenue  
Joseph McAleenan, Leitrim, Castlewella  
Paul Corbett, Villiers Avenue  
Joseph McAleron, Tullydagan  
Sarah Jane (Ciss) Cafolla, Francis Street  
Daniel O'Neill, Grattan Street

#### Monday 19<sup>th</sup> September

Ann O'Neill, Ashwood  
Nora Haughian, Kilwilke Road  
Bridget McKavanagh, Leansmount Road  
Thomas Heaney, Kilwilke Road  
Mary Larkin, Belfast  
Anne Rafferty, Dungannon  
Molly McAlinden, Kilwilke Gardens  
Samuel Menary, Wesley Place

#### Tuesday 20<sup>th</sup> September

John Mulholland, Derrymore  
Lily Hughes, Lake Street  
Gerard Hughes, Kilwilke Road  
Walter Haughey, Gosselin Drive  
Mary McSherry, Drumnamoe Avenue  
Joe McKavanagh, Aghagallon/USA

#### Wednesday 21<sup>st</sup> September

James Mulholland, Kilmore Hill Road

#### Thursday 22<sup>nd</sup> September

Patrick Murray, Victoria Street  
James Murphy, North Street  
Veronica Moore  
Kevin Martin Cassidy, Garland Drive  
Edward Kearney, Lisburn  
Joey Valentino Cafolla, Parkview Street  
Mary Henderson, Tannaghmore North  
David Flanagan, Levin Road  
Billy McSherry, Drumnamoe Avenue

#### Friday 23<sup>rd</sup> September

Hugh O'Hare, Shore Road  
Annie McVeigh, Tannaghmore North Road  
Stevie & Angela Doyle, Caroline Avenue  
Jim McCann, Portland Manor  
Elsie Palmer, Peterborough  
Joseph Heaney, Bangor

#### Saturday 24<sup>th</sup> September

Liam Robinson, Brown Street  
Edward Furphy, Tannaghmore North  
Gabriel McGlinchey, Ashgrove Drive  
Elizabeth Toal, Old Portadown Road  
Irene Withers, Lurgan/Leeds  
Thomas Doran, Brownlow Terrace  
Irene Elliott, Sloan Street  
Leonard Fox, Taghnevan

### PLEASE NOTE

*Anniversaries and Month's Mind notices should be left into the Parish Office on or before the Wednesday of the week before if they are to be included in the Bulletin. As we have a booking system anniversaries can be booked in advance*