

St. Peter's Parish, Shankill

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BULLETIN

19th AUGUST – 20th SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME



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MASS SCHEDULE

Saturday 9.30am, 6pm (Vigil)

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

Monday & Wednesday

8am & 10.30am

Thursday 8am

Tuesday & Friday 8am & 7pm

ST PAUL'S CHURCH

Monday - Friday: 10am

Saturday: 10.30 am & 7pm (Vigil)

Sunday: 9am, 10.30am, 12 noon

SACRAMENT OF RECONCILIATION

Friday 6.15pm - 6.50pm

Saturday 5.15pm - 5.50pm

baptism



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 on the first, third and fifth Sundays of the month at 1.00pm

GOOD BEGINNINGS

Your baby's baptism is a time for celebration and joy. Naturally you want the best for your baby, and we want to help you to plan and prepare for your child's baptism in the best possible way.

Your most important preparation is to look at your own faith. The very fact that you have asked for your child to be baptised shows that you recognised the importance of God in your life.

As your child gets older he/she will grow up with the faith you have taught by example.

As you help your baby grow up in the love of God, you too will experience growth in your own faith life. Your baby's baptism is only the beginning of a new life through which you will grow closer to one another as a family and closer to God

MUSIC MINISTRY IN ST PETER'S CHURCH

'Those who sing, pray twice', - St Augustine

ST PETER'S CHOIRS

The choirs of St Peter's will return to Mass on the following dates:
St Peter's Junior Choir – Saturday 1st September 6.00pm Mass
St Peter's Male Voice Choir – Sunday 2nd September 10.00am Mass
St Peter's Ladies Choir – Sunday 2nd September 12.15pm Mass

If you like to sing and feel you can dedicate some time to the church choirs, you are invited to join, use your talent and continue the wonderful choral tradition in St Peter's Church.

Please join with the choirs as they prepare for Christmas, Easter and weekly liturgies.

You are invited to attend rehearsals listed below.

St Peter's Senior Choirs (Age 20+) Tues 4th Sept 7.30-9.00pm in the Gallery

St Peter's Junior Choir (aged 8 +) with special training for solo performance Wed 5th Sept 5.00-6.00pm at the main altar

MAGHERALIN PARISH

Due to the Papal Mass on Sunday 26th August the 11.00am Mass in Magheralin Parish will now be held at the earlier time of 9.00am. (This is just a one-off change)

Friends of Southern Area Hospice

COFFEE MORNING

Jewellery + bag sale

Sunday 2nd September

St Peter's Parish Hall

10am - 1pm

EVERYONE WELCOME

USEFUL TELEPHONE NUMBERS

St Vincent de Paul - 3832 5725

Samaritans - 3833 3555

LIFE - 3026 7085

Alcoholics Anon - 9043 4848

AL-ANON - 9068 2368

Gamblers Anon - 9024 9185

PIPS (Suicide awareness) - 3831 0151

ACCORD (marriage preparation & counselling) - 3833 4781

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NO 12 NOON MASS ON PAPAL VISIT

On account of many of our parishioners and priests attending the Mass with Pope Francis for the World Meeting of Families, there will be **no** 12 noon Mass in St Paul's on Sunday 26 August. Mass in St Peter's at 12:15 will be available on that day; there are no other changes to the parish Mass schedule. Our apologies for any inconvenience caused.

PARISH WEBCAM REMINDER

A webcam runs continuously in St Peter's, livestreaming all events that take place in the church, including weddings and funerals. Only the 12:15 Mass on Sundays is recorded and may be viewed online at www.churchservices.tv or the parish website lurganparish.com for 30 days following the ceremony. After that time recordings will be destroyed, however exceptions may apply and recordings may last longer if the parish requires it.

PARISH OFFICE

Will re-open tomorrow, Monday 20th @ 11.00am

ANNUAL GLENEAGLES TOUR

Monday 12th – Fri 16th November
With one night's wonderful Christmas Banquet meal, all tours and great entertainment as well. Price £265 with easy payment plan available
To book call Gerard 3832 4741
Or Noel 079 5547 5650

GOD'S HOLIDAY

God decided to take a holiday and sought advice as to where he could get away from the demands of the people. One angel suggested he go to the top of the highest mountain on earth but the other angel thought this a bad idea since people climb the mountain regularly these days.

Another suggested the depths of the sea but again that was rejected because people could find him there.

Another suggestion was to hide on the far side of the moon but human beings are now even going to the moon.

Then a wise and trusted angel said quietly: 'Go and hide in the human heart, people will never dream of searching for you there'. We travel long distances to find God unaware that God is with and within us.

(Antony de Mello)

ADORATION CHAPEL, EDWARD STREET

Adoration 9am-9pm

'Come to adoration, leave everything at His feet, He will intercede for you and all your needs he will meet'

PARISH BINGO

Takes place each Sunday in the Parish Hall at 8.30pm.
Everyone welcome

2018 GUIDED TOURS OF NEWRY CATHEDRAL

Following the interest shown in the guided tours of the Cathedral over the past five years there will be a further series of guided tours of the Cathedral on the following dates.

Wednesday - 29th August 2018 - 7.00pm

The 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 this tour.

AFRICA APPEAL

Hi all, I have decided to go back to Africa again with members of my family to help build schools in the townships around Cape Town. We cannot do this work without the help and support of local people. I know many of you have sponsored us in the past and can fully understand if you are unable to help us this time around. We really do need your support to raise the funds to go and help children get an education that will help them get out of the conditions they now live in. Please help us to help others. If you would like to donate I have a Justgiving page. Type in my name and click on donate. Thank you for your continued support. **Malachy Toman.**

ENGAGED COUPLES: REMINDER

If you live in this parish and are planning to get married in a church elsewhere, or to have a mixed marriage (i.e. to a non-Catholic spouse) it is still necessary to complete your Church papers with one of our priests. Please contact the parish office for any guidance you may need.

St Peter's GAA Club

The Club's Golf Classic is on Friday, 24th August at Lurgan Golf Club. With support from its principal sponsor, LA Drinks and over £10,000 worth of prizes, the event is proving to be very popular. There are a few slots remaining. To book a 4 ball or to advertise please contact either Laurence - 07775 883676 or Jimmy - 07905 456632.

LURGAN LIBRARY

Relaxation Workshop

Monday 10th September 10.30am
Booking essential

MACMILLAN COFFEE MORNING

Friday 28th September
10am - 12.30pm
Everyone welcome

Kids Kick About Sports Sessions

ABC Council Sports Development Coaches

Allenhill Park/Lord Lurgan
Every Wednesday and Friday in August 1.30-3.30
Boys and Girls Aged 6-12years

WANTED

The Knights of St Columbanus would appreciate donations of old Irish, English and Foreign coins and notes to help with their on-going charity projects. These items maybe left in the Parish Office or Sacristy



ANNIVERSARIES

Sunday 19th August

Mona Heaney, Oakridge

Brian McCann, Tarry Lane

Pat Magee, Levin Road

Desmond O'Neill, Glenholme Park

Rosena & Patsy Clarke, Sloan Street

Peter McKeown, Allenhill Park

Baby Daniel McConville, Lake Street

Monday 20th August

Thomas Creaney, Grattan Street

Rose McConaghy, Hill Street

Leo McAlinden, Ennis Close

William Geary, Clara Street

Charles Agnew, Tannaghmore North Road

Tuesday 21st August

Patsy McQuillan, Sperrin Drive

Patrick McAreavey, Antrim Road

Catherine Knox, Lurgantarry

Fergus McDowell, Bells Row/Toronto

Wednesday 22nd August

Kathleen Mallon, Elmwood Terrace

John Eddie McDowell, Mary Street

Eileen Haddock, Brownlow Terrace

Thursday 23rd August

Rose-Anna Bradford, Wellington Street

Stephen Duff, Carrigart Manor

Rose McCorry, Tannaghmore North

Friday 24th August

Philomena McIlkenny, Waring Street

Sean Blaney, Sloan Street

Edward (Eddie) Shanks, Francis Street

James & Sally Fox, Wesley Place/ Sheffield

Saturday 25th August

Marie Seeley nee Shine, Desmond Avenue

PLEASE NOTE

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 £7.50. As we have a booking system anniversaries can be booked in advance.

Please use the anniversary envelopes at the back of the Church

*If you knew where I am standing, if you could see the sights I see
If you could hear the angels singing, the songs they sing eternally
If you knew the One I'm holding, could see the smile He smiles at me
If you knew where I am resting, you would not cry for me*