

# BULLETIN

Canon Liam Stevenson  
Fr Joseph Wozniak  
Fr Brian Fitzpatrick  
Fr Colum Wright  
Deacon Kevin Devine

1<sup>st</sup> July 2018 – 13<sup>th</sup> SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME



**LOUGH DERG**  
Monday, 27th August, £49.  
For details and booking contact  
St Paul's Parish Office  
3832 1289  
*Weekly payments now available*

**RALLY FOR LIFE**  
The 12th All Ireland Rally for Life will be held in Belfast on Saturday 7th July at 2pm. It is vitally important that we all stand together for life and show the world that the pro-life movement in Ireland - North and South - remains strong and undefeated and that we are still pro-life and proud. Holy Mass will be celebrated in St Patrick's Church, Belfast before the Rally at 12:00pm. A bus will leave St Paul's Church @ 12.30. To book or more information contact Angela 075 4984 9671

**PRAYER FOR A STILL BORN BABY**  
*Lord God, ever caring and gentle, we commit to your love this little one, quickened to life for so short a time. Enfold him/her in eternal life. We pray for his/her parents who are saddened by the loss of their baby. Give them courage and help them in their pain and grief. May they all meet one day in the joy and peace of your kingdom. Through Christ our Lord. Amen.*

**LIFE PREGNANCY MATTERS**  
Provides a counselling service for people dealing with an unplanned pregnancy, miscarriage or abortion. Contact 9043 4848

**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.

Tuesday 10<sup>th</sup> July 2018 - 2.00pm  
Wednesday 25<sup>th</sup> July 2018 - 7pm  
Wednesday 8<sup>th</sup> August 2018 - 7.00pm  
*Please note, the tour on the 8<sup>th</sup> August will focus only on the images in the stained glass windows of the Cathedral.*  
Wednesday - 29<sup>th</sup> August 2018 - 7.00pm

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.**

**KNOCK SHRINE**  
Sr Breige McKenna Monday 6th August & Grandparents Sunday 9th September. Coach organised, for information and booking: Gabrielle 079 3352 1105 /028 8778 4964  
Catherina 078 9981 0181

**ACCORD MARRIAGE PREPARATION COURSE**  
Planning to get married in 2019/2020?  
Book your Marriage course with ACCORD, Newry Parish Centre, The Mall, Newry BT34 1AN  
028 3026 3577  
[newry@accordni.com](mailto:newry@accordni.com)

**MARRIAGE AND RELATIONSHIP COUNSELLING**  
ACCORD offers a safe, professional and confidential process facilitating couples and individuals to explore, reflect upon and resolve difficulties in their marriage and relationship.

**ADORATION CHAPEL**  
Edward Street  
Adoration 9am – 9pm  
*'The presence of Jesus in the Blessed Sacrament must be a kind of magnetic pole attracting and ever greater number of souls enamoured of him, ready to wait patiently to hear his voice and, as it were, to sense the beating of his heart'*

**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*

**HEALTHY KIDZ SUMMER CAMP**  
2nd-6th July at St Peters  
10am-1pm, ages 4-11, £40pp but 3rd child goes free. There's also a £40 free Sketchers voucher. To book visit [www.healthy-kidz.com](http://www.healthy-kidz.com)  
*For any queries contact Catherine on 075 4796 2266*

**GIVE BLOOD Save Lives**  
**NI BLOOD TRANSFUSION SERVICE**  
The next blood donation session will be held in High Street Methodist Church, High Street, Lurgan  
Tuesday 3<sup>rd</sup> July & Wednesday 4<sup>th</sup> July 1.30 – 4pm & 5.15 – 8pm

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



**MONTH'S MIND**  
**Sunday 1<sup>st</sup> July**  
Francis Quinn, Old Kilmore Road  
**Tuesday 3<sup>rd</sup> July**  
Bernard O'Hare, Gilford

**ANNIVERSARIES**  
**Sunday 1<sup>st</sup> July**  
Roisin Richards, North Circular Road  
Joseph Gallery, Beaumont Square/London  
John McConville, Sloan Street  
Ann Gallery, Antrim Road  
Agnes Muldoon, Moortown  
Mark Findon, Cherrytree Walk  
Jane Magee, Wellington Street  
Mary (May) McAreavey, Manor Park  
Ellen Jane Mulholland, Mary Street  
Seamus McCaughey, Ennis Close  
Joseph Menary, Kilwilke Road  
Joyce Roland, Filbin Crescent  
Jean Harbinson, Lurgantarry

**Monday 2<sup>nd</sup> July**  
Una McCusker, Victoria Street  
Michael Carville, Liscorran Road  
Carrie O'Hanlon, Elmwood Terrace  
Jacqueline McPartlan, Derrylodge Manor  
Catherine McPartlan, Ballinamoney  
Joseph McAvoy, Deeny Drive  
Kathleen Coleman, Princes Close  
Bridie Toman, Grattan Street

**Tuesday 3<sup>rd</sup> July**  
Arthur McQuade, Allenhill Park  
Charles Duffy, Kilwilke Road  
Hannah Campbell, Kilvoragh Park

**Wednesday 4<sup>th</sup> July**  
John McPartlan, Ballinamoney  
Jack McLearnon, North Street  
Stevie Oliver, Tarry Drive  
Jim Grimley, Tarry Drive  
Dwyer O'Hagan, Blair Park

**Thursday 5<sup>th</sup> July**  
Paul McCorry, Levin Road  
Owen Creaney, Victoria Street Place  
Hannah McKavanagh, Castor Bay Road  
Pat Fox, Portadown

**Friday 6<sup>th</sup> July**  
Margaret Teresa Begley, Oakleigh Fold/Donegal  
Patsy Magennis, Manor Drive  
Molly Murray, Killaughy

**Saturday 7<sup>th</sup> July**  
Sheila McKavanagh, Killough Gardens

**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*

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Safeguarding Children: Designated person for Dromore Diocese – Mrs Patricia Carville 077 899 177 41

St Vincent De Paul, Ozanam Centre 3832 5725 Bethany Bereavement Team: 07548 991681

**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

**OFFERTORY COLLECTION**

Sunday 24<sup>th</sup> June - £4090.10  
Donations – £155 loose  
*Thank you for your generosity & continued support*



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 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*

**WORLD MEETING OF FAMILIES FINAL PAPAL MASS**

The only remaining tickets for Pope Francis' visit to Ireland are for the Final Mass at 3pm on Sunday 26 August in Phoenix Park, Dublin. 280,000 tickets have already been allocated.

Free tickets for this event are now available from the website [www.worldmeeting2018.ie](http://www.worldmeeting2018.ie). Your ticket will be sent to you by email closer to the event.

The Mass is a free event but you will need a ticket to gain entry. Every adult and every child attending will need a ticket. Under 18s must be accompanied by an adult. All tickets will be for standing sections. More useful information on planning your trip to Dublin or Knock is available at [www.gov.ie/en/visit-of-pope-francis](http://www.gov.ie/en/visit-of-pope-francis).

*Tickets are no longer available for the Congress in the RDS, for Croke Park or for Knock.*



**A Prayer For Summer**



Father Creator of all, thank you for summer. Thank you for the warmth of the sun and the increased daylight. Thank you for the beauty I see all around me and for the opportunity to be outside and enjoy your creation. Thank you for the increased time I have to be with my friends and casual pace of the summer season. Draw me closer to you this summer. Teach me how I can pray no matter where I am or what I am doing. Warm my soul with the awareness of your presence and light my path with your words and counsel. As I enjoy your creation, create in me a pure heart and a hunger and a thirst for you. Amen

**"REPENT AND BELIEVE" (Mk 1:15)**

Pilgrims will gather in Knock on 'Fatima Sunday', 8 July for adoration of the Blessed Sacrament between 2-5pm, principally in repentance and reparation for the sins of the nation. Parishioners in Lurgan are welcome to pray privately in solidarity in the Adoration Chapel for the same intentions on Sunday afternoon, 8 July.



*We wish all our school children a very enjoyable and restful time during the summer holidays*

**ST VINCENT DE PAUL**

Ozanam Centre, 3832 5725  
**OPENING HOURS**  
Monday – Friday  
10am 12.45pm & 2pm – 4pm  
Closed 1pm – 2pm for lunch  
Saturday 10am – 12 noon

Promotion of **The Sacred Heart Messenger** will take place the weekend of 7/8 July by Elizabeth Foley, regional coordinator of Messenger Publications.  
**A Jesuit publication for your home**  
Why not have a look at one issue? After all, there's a reason we've been here for 130 years. I think you'll find that *The Messenger* reads like a spiritual 'Readers Digest'. There's something for everyone! Chatty articles, accessible theology, out-loud thinking on spiritual questions and serious issues; *The Messenger* has art appreciation, gardening tips, a children's page and a famously difficult crossword. For students and teachers especially, *The Messenger* has Re:link, a four page Religious Education supplement. Recently *The Messenger* has featured Fr Peter McVerry SJ, a tireless campaigner for the homeless, John McCarthy, the world-renowned surfer, and much, much more.