



St. Peter's Parish, Shankill

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BULLETIN

23rd APRIL 2023 – THIRD 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)

OFERTORY COLLECTION
 16th April - £3379.87
 Donations – £25
 Car Park - £417.40

Thank you for your continued support and generosity.


We welcome the following children into the Christian Community through the Sacrament of Baptism.

Caelum Kyle Tallon
 Kilwilke Road

Ava Anita Hughes,
 Allenhill Park


Isla Rose Fox,
 Antrim Close


Thomas Aiden Haughian,
 Antrim 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


PRAYER OF ST CATHERINE OF SIENA
 Feast Day Saturday 29th April



My Nature is Fire

In your nature, eternal Godhead, I shall come to know my nature.
 And what is my nature, boundless love?
 It is fire because you are nothing but a fire of love. And you have given humankind a share of his nature, for by the fire of love you created us. And so, with all other people and every created thing; you made them out of love. O ungrateful people! What nature has your God given you? His very own nature! Are you not ashamed to cut yourself off from such a noble thing through the guilt of deadly sin?
 O eternal Trinity, my sweet love! You, light, give us light. You, wisdom, give us wisdom. You, supreme strength, strengthen us.
 Today, eternal God, let our cloud be dissipated so that we may perfectly know and follow your Truth in truth, with a free and simple heart.
 God, come to our assistance! Lord, make haste to help us. Amen.


 We would like to thank Christine Robinson who beautifully decorated our altar for Easter this year. Your hard work is very much appreciated. Also, to Noel and his team for the Tomb in front of the altar.

REGINA CAELI
 During Eastertide it is traditional to replace the Angelus prayer at 12noon and 6pm with the Regina Caeli. This prayer honours Our Lady as Mother of the Risen Lord:

Rejoice, Queen of Heaven, alleluia!
 For he whom it was your privilege to bear, alleluia! Has risen as he said, alleluia! Pray for us to God, alleluia!
 Rejoice and be glad, Virgin Mary, alleluia! For the Lord is truly risen, alleluia.

Let us pray. O God, who by the Resurrection of your Son, our Lord Jesus Christ, have been pleased to gladden the whole world, grant we beseech you, that through the intercession of the Blessed Virgin Mary, His Mother, we may attain the joys of eternal life. Through the same Christ our Lord. Amen.

SOUTHERN AREA HOSPICE
 Coffee morning, sale and raffle.
 Sunday 30th April, 10am - 1.30pm.
 St Peter's Parish Hall.
 Everyone welcome



We continue to pray for the People of Ukraine
 Loving God, we pray for the people of Ukraine. For all those suffering or afraid, that you will be close to them and protect them. We pray for world leaders, for compassion, strength, and wisdom to guide their choices. We pray for the world; that in this moment of crisis, we may reach out in solidarity to our brothers and sisters in need. May we walk in your ways so that peace and justice become a reality for the people of Ukraine and for all the world. Amen

Our Lady, Queen of Peace, pray for us. Our Lady of Kyiv, pray for us

The Community Outreach Group
 Sponsors - a talk on Wednesday, April 26 at 8pm in the Jethro Centre. The theme is: How Petals of Hope Wove A Path Home - the Impact of the Omagh Bombing on the Community, revisited 15 years and 20 years after the tragedy. The speaker is Carol Kane, Community Relations Officer working in the Jethro. This could impact the community of any town which suffered severe violence, death and destruction. Please come and bring a friend with you.


 High Street Methodist Church
Thursday 27th April
 1-4pm & 5-8pm
Friday 28th April
 12.30pm -4pm & 5-7pm
 To book an appointment please call 08085 534 653.

CHESTER SUMMER TOUR
 Sunday 13th August 2023
 5nights Dinner, B&B at The Leonardo Hotel
£549

GLENEAGLES
 Monday 20th November 2023
 4 nights Dinner, B&B Entertainment daily
£389
 contact Noel 079 5547 5650
 Gerard 38324741


TROCAIRE BOXES
 Please return your Family Fast Boxes to the Parish Office after the Easter holidays
Can we please ask, that since Covid, the small coins be bagged or changed into notes.

THE DROMORE DIOCESAN PILGRIMAGE TO LOURDES
 will take place from 17 May – 22 May 2023.
 The cost is £750.00 per person.
 This includes general insurance cover (to include Covid 19), transport to/from airports, full board accommodation, a programme of ceremonies in Lourdes, assistance of travel agent representatives in Lourdes. (Further details available on booking form)
 Unfortunately, due to the pandemic we will not be using the hospital accommodation (Accueil) in Lourdes and will therefore be unable to support an assisted section in 2023. This means we will not have support from doctors, nurses, and volunteers as we had pre pandemic. There is only 1 aircraft (189 seats), and bookings will be accepted on first come basis. This means a properly completed booking form and deposit (£150, non-refundable) must be submitted to secure booking. If you are interested in travelling to Lourdes as a pilgrim in May 2023, please contact Enda Brady on 079 1871 7167 as soon as possible to book.

NIGHT PRAYER
 Dear Lord, as this day is coming to an end, please help me to relax and let go of all my stress. I ask for your peace to overtake my heart and to embrace my dreams and sleep. May your words and promises quieten the worried and anxious thoughts that filled my head. I give you all the things that are beyond my control and trust them to your hands. I give you thanks in advance for all you will do. In Jesus' name I pray. Amen

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
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RECENTLY DECEASED
 Damien Harte, Bridge Street
 Damien Donnelly, Mark Court
 Angela Catney, Wellington Street

MONTH'S MIND
Tuesday 25th April
 Mgr Arthur Byrne, Tannaghmore North
 Patricia McKeown, Banbridge/Silverwood
Friday 28th April
 John Sheppard, Mary Street
Saturday 29th April
 Sheila Plaistowe, Springhill Manor, Maqheralin

ANNIVERSARIES
Sunday 23rd April
 Mary Doran, Edward Street
 Jim Greene, Brownlow Terrace
 William Joseph Gethins, Oakridge
 Jim Moore, London
 Arthur Gentle, William Street
 Isobel Mooney nee Lavery, Dublin
 Donald Snr & Brian J Lavery, Lake Street
 Eamon (Blackie) McQuillan, Brownlow Terrace

Monday 24th April
 Eamon Lavery, Clara Street
 Winifred Harte, Desmond Avenue
 Sean Haughian, Levin Road
 Charlie Carbery, Kilmaine Street
 Edel Breen, Derrylodge Manor
 Brendan Haughian, Kilwilke Road
 Teresa McGeown, Kilwike Road

Tuesday 25th April
 Margaret (Marie) McGibbon, Ashgrove Avenue
 Oliver McCready, Cornakinnegar Road
 Edward McAlinden, The Palms, Ballinry
 Patricia Dickey, Sperrin Drive
 Eileen Loughran, Church Walk
 Edward & Eddie Bunting, Taylor's Court

Wednesday 26th April
 Jimmy Doran, Drumlin Drive
 Gerald McManus, Kelly Gardens
 John McAreavey, Ennis Close
 Sean Doran, Michigan, USA
 Joe McStay, Kilmore Hill Road
 Felix Agnew, Soldierstown

Thursday 27th April
 Paul Headley, Lurgantarry
 Alice Lavery, North Circular Road

Friday 28th April
 Hugh News, Woodville Avenue
 Philomena Fox, Church Walk
 Patrick McConville Snr, Wesley Place
 Selina McEvoy, Shore Road
 Mickey Breen, Innisfail Walk
 Tony Moore, Lakeview Park
 Seamus Lavery, Lavery Avenue
 Robbie Haughian, Princes Street
 Joseph & Mary Rose Donnelly, Black's Court
 Eleanor Thompson, Lurgantarry

Saturday 29th April
 Elizabeth Devlin, Oakleigh Fold
 Eileen Lavery, Shore Road
 James Murphy, Shankill
 Ita McCrory, Prospect Way
 John McAlernon, Maple Court

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.