

St. Peter's Parish, Shankill

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BULLETIN

23rd NOVEMBER – OUR LORD JESUS CHRIST KING OF THE UNIVERSE



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Or email safeguardingdirector@dromorediocese.org

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St Vincent De Paul –Ozanam Centre 3832 5725

Parish App: Parish 365 Download on the App Store or Google Play

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

OFFERTORY COLLECTION

9th November - £3605.65
16th November - £2751.03

Standing Orders - £350.60 weekly

Donations - £125 (2 weeks)

Thank you for your continued support and generosity.



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

Riona Quinn,
Lake Street

Nancy Rose & Phoebe Rose Graham,
Kiln Lodge

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 @ 1.00pm

ST VINCENT DE PAUL

The St. Vincent de Paul Society's Annual Appeal special collection will be on the second Sunday in December (13/14th)

SVP Members will speak at all Masses to give an update about the work of the local Conference.

Starting last week, Nov. 16th, we are requesting donations of grocery and household items for the Christmas Hamper Distribution.

The Giving Tree with tags, requesting toys and gifts will be at the back of the church. There is no need to wrap the gifts, just return them along with the tag.

LURGAN LOURDES COMMITTEE

Dromore Diocesan Lourdes Pilgrimage
15th to 20th May 2026
5 Nights Full Board
£890pp

We are now taking applications for Assisted Pilgrims
Anyone who would like to be considered Please contact Rosemary (Secretary) 077 9631 0214
Or any Committee Member



Annual Church Gate Collection

for Evora Hospice / formerly Southern Area Hospice will take place next Saturday 29th & Sunday 30th November

Back by popular demand

TOMMY FLEMING

Live in Concert
St Peters Church
Sun 30th November @ 7.30 pm
Tickets on sale now at
SKELTON TRAVEL - £32.00



The Novena in St Peter's will continue every Tuesday.
The Novena prayers will be recited at the 8.00am and 7.00pm Masses.

The Novena in St Paul's will continue on Mondays
The Novena prayers will be recited at the 10.00am Mass

P.I.P.S.

Hope and Support CHRISTMAS SERVICE

St. Mary's Church of Ireland,
Hill Street, Newry
Sunday 14th December at 4:00pm
For further information:
028 3026 6195

Annual Carol Service

Sponsored by
Community Outreach Group
in preparation for Christmas
Friday, 5th December at 7:30 pm in the Jethro Centre.
This is a time to reflect on the true meaning of Jesus' birth.
Please invite family, friends and neighbours, all are welcome.
Refreshments are served after the programme.



St Teresa's Primary School, Lurgan

OPEN AFTERNOON
for new Primary 1 children in September 2026
Thursday 4th December 2025
1:30-3.00pm
All welcome!

(Primary 1 Admissions for Sept 2026 opens (via EA admissions portal) on
7th January 2026 at 12noon and closes 21st January 2026 at 12noon)

Christmas School Carol Service

Our whole school will be celebrating '*The Christmas Story*' in St Peter's Church on Thursday 11th December at 7.15pm. This will be a special festive family occasion when our children will retell the meaning of Christmas through song, stories and drama. We hope to see you and your family members that evening.
All welcome

Think of me, think of light. I'll always be here, day or night.
May the souls of our departed loved ones and the souls of all the faithful departed rest in peace. Amen



Opportunities for young people

Those who are 16/17 years old – Do you volunteer for a charity, your youth club, sports club or something else? Perhaps you help in your Parish? If yes, then you are welcome to sign up to the Pope John Paul II Award. If you are not already a volunteer join us. Signing up to the Award is a great way to become a volunteer, to meet other like-minded people and to make a difference. If you want more information or to sign up please email the Dromore Diocese Youth Director, Frances McNally on youthdirector@dromorediocese.org or phone 028 30833898

ST PATRICK'S DAY IN LONDON Sun 15 March - Wed 18 March

return flights inc baggage, return coach Lurgan to Airport.
3 nts B&B in 3* St Giles Hotel (Oxford St/Theatreland) £379 price based on 2 sharing deposit of £30pp required to secure your seat.
Call: Noel 079 5547 5650 or Gerard 3832 4741

ST. RONAN'S COLLEGE

Open Evening on Thursday 4th December, Cornakinnegar Road
Principal's address at 5.00pm and 6.30pm.

All parents and prospective pupils are invited to attend.

The next **Gaelic League Irish Mass** will be on Tue 25th Nov @8pm in the Adoration Chapel Edward Street.

The Mass will be celebrated for all deceased members connected with the Gaelic League over the years.

Please join us for a Coffee Morning and sale of handmade gifts etc

St Peter's GAC
Saturday 6th December 10am till 12 noon.
Proceeds to Evora Hospice and the Silver Whites

DROMORE DIOCESAN HISTORICAL SOCIETY

The Society wishes to announce that its new Journal **Seanchas Dhroim Mór 2025** will be available in most Parish Centres or from committee members from the weekend of November 29th/30th. The new Journal comprises 144 pages, 21 articles and over 100 colour illustrations covering many parishes of the diocese, as well as articles of general interest.

PRICE £20. See our **Facebook page Seanchas Dhroim Mor** for details.

St Peter's Parish now accepts ONLINE DONATIONS

Just scan the QR code with your phone camera to donate.



Or visit

<https://donate.mydona.com/st-peters-parish-lurgan>.

Scan the QR code. Enter your amount. Input your card details. Please do not forget to Gift Aid

ANNIVERSARIES CONTINUED Friday 28th November

Aidan Quinn, Rampart Street
Denis Kelly, Ennistarry
Bill Power, Killough, Co Down
Margaret Gentle, William Street
Margaret Muldoon, Moortown
Seamus McNeice, Shore Road

Saturday 29th November

Ethna Brady, Kilvoragh Park
Rose Doran, Drumnacree Ave
Henry & Paddy McShane, Derrytrasna

RECENTLY DECEASED

Joseph (Joe) Haughian, Silverwood Drive
Sr Elizabeth O'Brien, Convent of Mercy

MONTH'S MIND

Sunday 23rd November

Margaret Jordan, Belvedere Manor

Tuesday 25th November

Marion McCabe, Victoria Street

Friday 28th November

Margaret Hurrell/Kearns Hill Street

ANNIVERSARIES

Sunday 23rd November

Gerard McComb, Deerings Wood
Annie Quinn, North Street
Sarah McConville, Wesley Place
Alice McConville, Albert Street
Nellie & Sheila Doran, Kelly Gardens
Eamon McIluff, Cafolla Gardens/England
Padge & Ethna Scullion, Blair Park
Ethna McAlinden Lough Road
Bill Murray, Victoria Street
Mary Ellen Mulholland, Derrymore
Denis McMullan, Wellington Street

Monday 24th November

Roisin Stewart, Inglewood
Patsy Gallery, Snr, Donnelly Gardens
Eamon Derby, Clara Street
John Joe Magee, Tarry Drive
Maeve Lavery, Antrim Road
Patsy Toman, Inglewood
Tom McInerney, Antrim Road/London
Gabriel Lennon, Shore Road/Australia
Frances & Patrick McAtamney, Island View, Kinnego

Tuesday 25th November

David (Dee) O'Neill, North Circular Road
Jean McGeown, Drumnacree Gardens
Aaron Dolan, Allenhill Drive
Hugh & Brigid Mangan, Avenue Road
May & Desmond Lavery, North Circular Road
John Haughian, North Street
Johnny Henderson, Castor Bay Road
Johnny McCann, Levin Road

Wednesday 26th November

Ann Elizabeth (Betty) O'Brien, Leansmount Road
Patricia McConville, Ulster Street
Eilish Hamill, Gosselin Drive
Bernadette McKavanagh, Castor Bay Road
May Tipping, North Circular Road
Eadon McInerney, Antrim Road/Worcester
Josie Cooney, Richmond Gardens
Vera Sarsfield nee Campbell, Lurgan/Luton
Sarah & Joseph Lavery, Sloan Street

Thursday 27th November

Anne Tipping, Inglewood
Beatrice Smyth, Ulster Street
Emma Mincher, Levin Road
Jim Drainey, Ashgrove Drive
Francis Derby, Kilmaine Street
Eileen Derby, Downshire Avenue
Kathleen Magee, Tarry Drive
Molly Lennon, Shankill Street
Eileen Murray, Antrim Road

Friday 28th November

Conor Scullion, Headington Avenue
Philomena Greene, Brownlow Terrace
Bobby & Elsie Smyth, Forest Glade
Kathleen Aarandale, Leyton, Warrington
Joseph & Rose Lavery, Aghagallon