St. Peter's Rarish, Shankill

Deacon Kevin Devine

# Canon Liam Stevenson, PP VF Fr Joseph Wozniak, S.Chr Fr Colum Wright, CC

23<sup>rd</sup> October 2022–Thirtieth Sunday in Ordinary Time – Mission Sunday

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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)

#### SACRAMENT OF RECONCILIATION

With Fr Jozef Friday 6.00pm - 6.45pm

# **OFFERTORY COLLECTION**

16th October - £3301.49

Car Park - £464,00

Thank you for your continued support and generosity



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

Conlan Cassidy, Belvedere Manor

Teddy Luca Devine, The Grange

Raeya Jean Kate Evans, Belvedere Manor

Úna Méabh Maria Heffron, Tarry Lane

Conan Aodh O'Hanlon, Allenhill Park

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

#### Dromore Diocesan Lourdes Pilgrimage 2023

The Dromore diocese intends to organise a 5-day pilgrimage to Lourdes in May 2023 (exact dates and price to be confirmed).

Unfortunately, due to the pandemic it will be a different kind of pilgrimage, as 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 the same support from doctors, nurses, and volunteers as we had pre-pandemic.

The pilgrimage will include general insurance cover (to include Covid 19 cover), transport to/from airports, a programme of ceremonies in Lourdes, assistance of travel agent representatives in Lourdes.

If you are interested in travelling to Lourdes as a pilgrim in May 2023, please contact the Parish Secretary in St Paul's on 028 38321289 no later than 15th November 2022 to declare your interest. Further details will be made available

> Lurgan Holy Spirit PRAYER GROUP will recommence on Thursday 3<sup>rd</sup> November in St Peter's Parish Hall at 7.30pm.

#### PARISH OFFICE

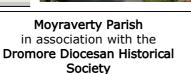
All welcome.

The Parish office will be open for enquiries during the following times:

> Monday 24th Oct 10am-1.00pm & 2-4.00pm

> > Tuesday 25th Closed

Wednesday 26th Open 9.00am



will present "An Evening of Remembering and Reflection on 50 years of a Catholic Parish in Craigavon 1971/2 - 2021/2"

St Anthony's Parish Centre Craigavon BT65 5BE

Monday October 24th 2022 commencing at 7:30 pm. Everyone welcome.

#### LIFELINE CRISIS

response helpline service for people who are experiencing distress or despair. Tel FREE on 0808 808 8000

# World Youth Day 2023 -Lisbon Portugal

World Youth is planned to take place in Lisbon, Portugal in late July and early August - we are inviting young adults 20 through to 35 to join our Pilarimage.

To help us plan we need an expression of interest from those who hope to join our Pilgrimage.

Please email me your name, parish where you live and a contact mobile **number.** To enable us to finalize plans we will meet all who have declared an expression of interest to explore our options in relation to dates, activities and cost.

I look forward to hearing from you. Names from interested parties to be forwarded on or before Mon

24th October. An expression of interest does not commit you.... we will appreciate your input.... your views will help us plan.

Email your name/parish name and contact mobile number

to: youthdirector@dromorediocese.org

# Registration for Sacramental Preparation

There will be registration for Sacramental Preparation classes - First Penance, First Holy Communion and Confirmation, on Tuesday, 25th October at 3:30pm in St. Paul's Church for Catholic children who attend Kings Park and Dickson Schools. Classes will begin on Tuesday, 15th November.

### The Courtyard, Lurgan Castle

Adult dance class of Mixed folk dances 10.30am-noon each Thurs Info: 07788 730 429 www.annettecollins.com

#### ANNUAL DUBLIN CHRISTMAS DAY OUT

Saturday 10<sup>th</sup> December Leaving St Peter's Church @ 8.30am

Christmas Dinner on the way home in the Canal Court Hotel Come along and have a fun day out

To Book call Gerard 3832 4741 Noel 079 5547 5650



#### ADORATION CHAPEL. **EDWARD STREET**



Come to adoration, give Jesus all your fears, let it be His love that wipes away your tears

# **Blood Donation Sessions** Jethro Centre Lurgan Thursday 27th October 2022

12.30 - 4.00pm 5.00 - 7.30pm Friday 28th October 2022 12.30pm - 4.00pm 5.00 - 7.00pm

To book an appointment please call 08085 534 653

#### Personal Reflection

\*Do you have a weekly period of rest, when you turn off the pressures and anxieties of the world and seek to reconnect with God in word and sacrament, to reconnect with your neighbour and nature?

\*Are you aware of how much you are "plugged in" to the empire of things, the anxiety-driven economy of competition and acquisition?

#### Permanent Diaconate

Four men from the Diocese of Dromore recently embarked on the first year of academic study for the Permanent Diaconate. They are:

Sean Farrell - Tullylish Parish, Patrick Gallagher- Moyraverty Parish,

Daniel McAnulty - Newry Parish Pearse Thornbury - St Peter's Parish, Lurgan We ask that you keep them in

your prayers as they continue their spiritual journey.

# St. Joseph's Young Priest Society Annual Retreat

today Sunday 23rd October 2022 in SMA Dromantine. Cost £15. To book please contact Clare McCullough on 07446209726

#### Southern Area Hospice

Thanks to everyone who supported the church gate collection for Southern Area Hospice. It raised the fabulous collective amount of £2919 from both St Peter's and St Paul's for the hospice.

#### Seeing your Life through the Lens of the Gospel Mission Sunday -"you will be my witness"

1.We are often defensive in our relationships with others. We are reluctant to let another see us as we see ourselves. Occasionally we meet someone with whom we can be totally open and know we will be accepted. With whom have you had that kind of a relationship? What was it like for you to have that freedom

2.Likewise with God, when we come to prayer pretending to be better than we are, we are hiding from God. What difference does it make when you pray to God, acknowledging your faults and limitations? Have you ever found that when you are humble in this way in prayer, God lifts you up? 3.The parable is also a cautionary tale against judging others negatively on the basis of externals. Perhaps God, who looks into the heart, sees them differently. When have you discovered there was more to another person than the negative picture you got from first impressions? What lessons did you learn for yourself from this?



#### RECENTLY DECEASED

Declan McGeown, Fox's Hill Dessie Magennis, O'Neill's Terrace/England,

#### **ANNIVERSARIES** Sunday 23rd October

Philomena McGeown, Donnelly Gardens Donal Kerr, North Street Mary McSherry, Lower North Street Karen Dickson, Belvedere Manor Colm Gilmore, Allenhill Park Joseph Corey, O'Neill's Terrace Rose Veronica (Vera) Magee, Lake St/Colane Manor

#### Monday 24th October

Maggie & Johnny Toman, Bleary Monica Jordan, Grattan Street Danny & Maggie Geary, Francis Street

#### Tuesday 25th October

Kathleen Kerr, North Street Peter Moore, Woodville Paddy McAlinden, New Street James Smyth, Meadowbank Mary McConville, Lurgan Tarry Michael Foster, Deerings Grove Colette Toland, Drumnamoe Avenue

#### Wednesday 26th October

Mona Gordon, Mile House John Heaney, O'Neill's Terrace Noel Corey Anna McCann, Clare Road, Gilford Ann Jane Harte, Tullydagan Road

#### Thursday 27<sup>th</sup> October

Lily Holland, Brownlow Terrace Jim McCann, Wales Peggy Halforty (née McStay), Manor Park Jack Kennedy, O'Neill's Terrace /Kilkenny

#### Friday 28th October

Bernard Haughey (Junior), Monbrief Walk Eileen Loughran, Kilwilke Road Gerard & Rory Cairns, Bleary Philomena Hoey, Portadown Edward Mulholland, Cohara, Portadown Joe McGuigan, Oakleigh Heights Stella Devine, Oakridge/Manor Park

## Saturday 29th October

Martha Smyth, Kilmaine Street Seamus Moore, Ennis Close Mary McStay, Kilmore Hill Road Margaret McConville, Kilmaine Street Kathleen Leonard, Filbin Crescent Vera McClean, Wellington Street Frank Byrne, Enniskillen Jim Lappin, Antrim Road Margaret & John Patrick Menary, Wesley Place Steven Withers, Deeny Drive

Almighty Father, source of forgiveness and salvation, grant that our relatives and friends who have passed from this life may, through the intercession of the Blessed Virgin Mary and of all the saints, come to share your Eternal happiness through Christ our Lord. Amen Requests for Anniversaries, Month's Mind and all 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 up until the end of the year. Please use the anniversary envelopes at the back of the Church