

BULLETIN

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24th June 2018 – The Nativity of St John the Baptist



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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

OFFERTORY COLLECTION

Sunday 17th June - £3892.22

Donations – £35 loose

Thank you for your generosity & continued support



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

Alex Zdziarski, Ardboe Drive

Caite Mae Duke, Belvedere Manor

Sophie Keegan, Kilwilke Road

Odhran Francis William McCavigan, Kiln Lodge

Lorcan Noel Francis, Bells Row Court

Inka Jagoda Ochojska, Union Court

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

FEAST OF SS PETER & PAUL

Friday 29th June marks the feast of our joint patrons, Peter & Paul. We ask for their protection for all our parishioners. Celebrate these great saints at Mass in St Peter's @ 8am & 7pm or in St Paul's @ 10am

ST PETER'S & ST PAUL'S PARISHES' SUMMER SCHEME

13-17 August in St Peter's Parish Hall for primary age girls and boys Games, art, sport, fun, faith and adventure!

Cost £2.50/day, £10 for the week per child. Families of 2 or more children: £20 total. Limited to 40 places; please book through the parish office.

New rotas for Eucharistic Ministers and Readers are available in sacristy or can be accessed on lurganparish.com > Our Parish > Parish Rotas

FAMILY PRAYER

God, our Father, we are brothers and sisters in Jesus your Son, one family, in the Spirit of your love.

Bless us with the joy of love. Make us patient and kind, gentle and generous, welcoming to those in need. Help us to live your forgiveness and peace. Protect all families with your loving care, especially those for whom we now pray (pause & mention them by name). Increase our faith, strengthen our hope, Keep us safe in your love, Make us always grateful for the gift of life that we share. This we ask, through Christ our Lord. Amen

Anam Cara Northern Ireland, an organisation that supports bereaved parents, will hold its next monthly Parent Evening on Wednesday 27th of June from 7.30pm-9:00pm in the Armagh City Hotel, 2 Friary Road, BT60 4FR. Anam Cara Northern Ireland offers a safe and comfortable setting where you can be yourself among people who understand. This event is open to all bereaved parents regardless of the age your child died, the circumstances of their death, or whether this was recent or not.

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.

WMOF: FINAL PAPAL MASS

With Pope Francis' itinerary now confirmed, we are told that Single Day Tickets for Pope Francis at Knock and at the Final Mass in Dublin are free and will be available from the WMOF website on 25 June. You will need a free ticket for the events with Pope Francis at the Phoenix Park, Dublin or Our Lady's Shrine, Knock. From Monday 25 June, book your ticket through

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. Tickets for other events at WMOF are available through the same website. It is not possible to apply for tickets for both Phoenix Park and the Knock events, as these events are on the same day—you may only apply for one of these events.

LOUGH DERG

Monday 27th August, £59
Weekly payments available at St. Paul's Parish

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. For more information please contact us on 028 9027 8484 or visit www.rallyforlife.net

The next Action on Hearing Loss Hearing Aid and Information Session

is in Lurgan Library, Carnegie Street on Wednesday June 27th between 10am-12noon. Are you new to hearing aids and need a bit of help? Drop in for advice with managing, maintaining and cleaning your hearing aid.

We have information about hearing loss, equipment and other services which can help. Batteries for NHS aids can be picked up and a hearing check for people without hearing aids is available. For further information please contact Clare O'Neill 07407732106

ZION'S DEN CHILDCARE

Mount Zion House, Edward Street
Open Day
Saturday 30th June 10am - 1pm
3834 2684

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 27th June 2018 - 2.00pm
Tuesday 10th July 2018 - 2.00pm
Wednesday 25th July 2018 - 7pm
Wednesday 8th August 2018 - 7.00pm
Please note, the tour on the 8th August will focus only on the images in the stained glass windows of the Cathedral.
Wednesday - 29th 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

CLANN EIREANN YOUTH CLUB

will be holding a registration night in the Youth Club for the annual summer scheme on Tues 26th June @ 7.30pm.

This is as a result of having to limit the numbers to 150 young people due to not having the space because of building work taking place. The scheme will run Mon- Thurs 10.00am to 12.30 pm and 2.00pm to 4.00pm from 2nd July for three weeks. The cost of the scheme is £1.50 per day with family reductions. Club member's families will have first call on places available.

ADORATION CHAPEL

Edward Street
Adoration 9am - 9pm

SMA Summer School 2018 takes place from 29th June-1st July in Dromantine Conference Centre, Newry. The theme is Radical Discipleship: Healing for a World in Pain.

Keynote Speakers are Professor Tina Beattie, John Lonergan (former Governor of Mountjoy Prison) and Cardinal Vincent Nichols and a choice of nine workshops on relevant themes will be led by a range of experts and practitioners. For details of the full programme, costs etc. email laity@sma.ie or phone 028 3082 1024

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
For any queries contact Catherine on 075 4796 2266

THE TRUTH AND RECONCILIATION PLATFORM

are coming to Lurgan Town Hall on 27th June 2018 7.30pm - 9.30pm. This is a cross community event intended to promote understanding of loss by both communities and encourage the process of reconciliation.

Our guest speakers include, Kathleen Gillespie, Eugene Reavey, Stephen Travers and Alan McBride.

PARISH BINGO

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



RECENTLY DECEASED

Mary Donaghy, Kiln Lodge
Antonetta Crewe, Ennis Close
Bernadette Hoy, Lake Street
Mary McGivern, Ashgrove Park
Colin Lavery, Gilpins Manor

MONTH'S MIND

Tuesday 26th June

Clare McMullan, Brownlow Tce/North St
Michael Ginesi, Levin Road

ANNIVERSARIES

Sunday 24th June

Jimmy McCann, Lake Street
Thomas Dummigan, Kilmaine Street
Jimmy McCann, Beech Court
William & Charlotte Creaney, Tannghmore North
Sean Haughey, Silverwood

Monday 25th June

Charles & Elizabeth Quinn, Grattan Street
Phyllis Kelly, Portadown

Tuesday 26th June

James Mahaffy, Waring Street
Nan Casey, Garland Avenue
George Patterson, Liscorran Road
Lennie Corey, Wellington Street
Joseph McMullan, Brownlow Terrace
Georgina Mulholland, Derrymore
Margaret McConville, Edward St/Sloan St
Hugh Gallery, Victoria Gardens
Mary O'Hara, Manor Drive
Mary Cullen, Portadown

Wednesday 27th June

Paddy Withers Jnr, Victoria Street
John Filbin, Shore Road
Mary Mallon, Colane
Robert Hughes, Kilwilke Road
May Thompson, Deramore Drive
Mamie McCorry, Shore Road

Thursday 28th June

Marie Hoye, Allenhill Park
Bertie Sharpe, Edward Street/Essex
Patrick McConville, Oakleigh Fold
Sean McStay, California
Henry J Scullion, Glenavy
Nora McIntyre, North Street

Friday 29th June

Tom, Ellen & Tom Jnr McCusker, BrownlowTce
Rosaleen Cunningham, Stoneyford
Paddy Ashe, Belfast
Jim Kerr, Thornleigh

Saturday 30th June

Cissie Gallery, Beaumont Square
Isaac Towe, Levin Road
Gerry Towe, Wellington Street
Madge McDowell, Mary Street
Sean McCann, Lower North Street
Hugh Haughey, Lower North Street
Peter James Sharpe, Derrylodge Manor
Bernadette Russell, Lurgantarry
Minnie Mahaffy, Waring Street
Vincent Doyle, Derrytrasna
Joseph P McConville, Kilmore Road
Richard Dargan, Dromore
Tommy Patterson, Prospect Way