

BULLETIN

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26TH JUNE – 13TH SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME
Jubilee Year of Mercy



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MASS SCHEDULE

6pm (Vigil Saturday)

Sunday 8am, 10am, 11am (po polsku) & 12.15pm

Monday, Wednesday & Thursday
8am & 10.30am

Tuesday & Friday 8am & 7pm
Saturday 10am

SACRAMENT OF RECONCILIATION

Thursday (for First Friday)

6.15pm-6.50pm

Friday 6.15pm-6.50pm

Saturday

9.15am – 9.50am & 5.15pm – 5.50pm

OFFERTORY COLLECTION

Sunday 19th June - £4350

Donations – 1 x £400 & £120 loose

Thank you for your continued support.



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

Rosa Jane McIlkenny,
Old Fort Lodge

Aiden Joseph Walsh,
Belvedere Manor

Luke Arthur Hesketh,
Belvedere Manor

Eimear Quinn,
Bells Row Court

Corey Thomas Robert Hancock
Deans Walk

Aoife Mary Hancock-Early
Deans Walk

Our best 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. Parents/Godparents will have an opportunity to meet some members of the Baptism Team prior to the day of Baptism.

DROMORE DIOCESAN HISTORICAL SOCIETY

Monday 27th June @ 7.30pm. In ST PAUL'S CHURCH, LURGAN

A special event to mark the Golden Jubilee of the Opening and Dedication of St Paul's Church in Francis Street. The planning and building of the church took place at a crucial time when Lurgan's population was expanding rapidly and a long overdue initiative in the provision of good housing for the people was underway. Greatly enhanced provision for Catholic Education had also become a priority. Catholic identity was solid, and the overall quality of life locally was improving year by year. The development of the new housing sectors, public and private, in Shankill and Taghnevan principally, meant that a new Catholic church was necessary. A convenient and appropriate site was donated to the Catholic people and St Paul's Church arrived in 1966, fulfilling all requirements of the Second Vatican Council, and a wonderful new chapter in the life of Lurgan's Catholic population began. Monday's event will comprise a review of Catholic life and identity in the periods before and after the opening of St Paul's, a discussion on the actual building of the church and the showing of a video relating to the Opening and Dedication of the church. Prayers of Thanksgiving will conclude the event. All parishioners and friends of St Paul's are warmly welcome. *Ad Multos Annos.*

CHILDREN'S LITURGY

This week is the last session of the children's liturgy. It will break for the summer and restart Sunday 9th September



LOUGH DERG

Monday, 29th August, £48
Book early to secure a seat at St Paul's Parish Office.

Price includes:
Morning tea/coffee/scones
lunch/boat/evening meal.

Summer Graduation Masses, Queen's University, Belfast

Mass of Thanksgiving will be celebrated each day during the graduation celebrations, in the Catholic Chaplaincy, 28 Elmwood Avenue, BT9 6AY, from Thursday 30th June until Wednesday 6th July (Sunday excluded), at 12.45pm.

All graduates, their families and friends are most welcome to attend. Tea and coffee will be served after Mass.

THE BELL OF SEAGOE

Seagoe Church of Ireland Parish Church is 200 years old this year. As part of the bicentenary celebrations, the ancient Bell of Seagoe, on short-term loan from the National Museum, in Dublin, will be on guarded display inside the church from 12.00 midday to 5.00pm on this Sunday. The bell is 1,100 years old, is a National Treasure, and was in the care of the Hennon family of Ballynery for more than 100 years. The bell has a remarkable history. It was 'lost' for centuries until it was found under a yew tree when a grave was opened in Relicarn cemetery in Tandragee in 1725. The inscription on the bell reads: - Oroit Ar Chu Mascach M Ailello, which translates as, 'Pray for Cumascach, son of Ailill'. Cumascach was in the Monastery of Armagh, and his death is recorded in 904 A.D. His mother was Gormlaith, a daughter of Muiredach, King of Ulaidh, who died in 835 A.D. An incised image of the bell can be seen in the porch of St Patrick's, Derrymacash.

Parishioners are most welcome to visit Seagoe Church and see the bell



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

COACH TO THE ALL IRELAND RALLY FOR LIFE

A coach will leave from St Paul's Church Car Park at 12pm to the massive pro-life rally in Custom House Square, Belfast on Saturday 2nd July. Limited seats - Book NOW! Contact Eamon on 077 7196 5059 or 028 9027 8484 for further details www.rallyforlife.net

Alzheimer's Society/ Fight against Dementia

'SINGING FOR THE BRAIN'

Join us at one of our fun, stimulating sessions.

For people with early to moderate stages of dementia and their carers. The Jethro Centre, Lurgan. Every Thursday 1.30pm -3.30pm/ More info 028 3025 6057

KNOCK SHRINE

Sr Brieghe Mc Kenna

Monday 8th August to pray for our priests.

Coach £20 for information and booking contact:

Gabrielle (028)8778 4964

079 3352 1105:

Grace 028 8778 4942

Catherina 078 9981 0181:028 8778 4188

Grandparents Sunday

11th September contact as above.

Weekend Retreat Experience

Venue:Esker Retreat House, Athenry Co Galway

Friday 1st – Sunday 3rd July 2016

Theme: 'Finding the Yes in the Mess' All of us pass through problems and difficulties. How can we find joy and hope in these situations?

Cost:£175 incl Full Board plus coach Coach departs Clonard Monastery at 1:00pm Friday 1st July and returns to Clonard Monastery by 7:00pm on Sunday 3rd July.

For further information contact: Fr Fonsie Doran, C.Ss.R. Tel. 90445950

Adult STEP DANCE Classes

Old Style Step Dance of Ireland New term starting September

Beginners and Improvers

Lurgan Town Hall

For details call: 38345522

www.annettecollins.com

RADIOS FOR HOUSEBOUND

Available from the

Parish Office £20

2016 Guided Tours of Newry Cathedral

A series of Guided Tours of the Cathedral are on the following

Wednesdays:

29 June at 2pm; 27 July at 7pm; 17 August at 2pm; 31 August at 7pm

The tour will take approximately 1 hour 30 minutes. Please meet at the main door of the Cathedral. You will hear the story of the building of the Cathedral 1825-1829 and the later extensions as well as the history of the stained glass, marble altars, sculptures and magnificent mosaics. *There is no charge for tours.*

ST VINCENT DE PAUL

Ozanam Centre, 3832 5725

OPENING HOURS

Monday – Friday

10am – 12.45pm & 2pm – 4pm

Closed 12.45pm– 2pm for lunch

Saturday 10am – 12 noon

CLANN EIREANN YOUTH CLUB.

Summer Scheme 2016.

Monday 4th July -Thursday 21st July

10am to 12.30pm and

2.00pm -4.00pm

AGE RANGE STRICTLY OVER 7YRS.

£1.50 daily, family reductions.

PLEASE NOTE CHANGE IN DATES

FROM PREVIOUS YEARS.

Anyone wishing to assist or volunteer during Summer Scheme please contact Stephen 3832 3080

ADORATION CHAPEL, EDWARD STREET

Adoration 9am-9pm

'God loves those to whom He can give more, those who expect more from Him, those who are open, those who sense their need and rely on Him for everything' (Blessed Mother Teresa)

PARISH BINGO

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

Everyone welcome

PLEASE NOTE

Anniversaries and Month's Minds that occur up to 23rd July, should be left into the Parish Office on or before Wednesday 6th July if they are to be included in the Bulletin over the holiday period. As we have a booking system anniversaries can be booked in advance

ANNIVERSARIES CONTINUED Saturday 2nd July

Una McCusker, Victoria Street
Carrie O'Hanlon, Elmwood Terrace
Michael Carville, Liscorran Road
Bridie Toman, Grattan Street
Jacqueline McPartlan, Derrylodge
Catherine McPartlan, Ballinamoney



RECENTLY DECEASED

Leo Fegan, Liscorran Road

MONTH'S MIND

Tuesday 28th June

Jean Lennon, Brownlow Terrace

Friday 1st July

Rosaleen Castle (nee Withers), Linen Mews

Saturday 2nd July

Anne Haughey, Cornakinnegar

ANNIVERSARIES

Sunday 26th June

Georgina Mulholland, Derrymore

Margaret McConville, Sloan Street

James Mahaffy, Waring Street

George Patterson, Liscorran Road

Mary O'Hara, Manor Drive

Lennie Corey, Wellington Street

Mary Cullen, Portadown

Jim Murtagh, Glenview Drive

Eddie Burns, Shore Road

Nan Casey, Garland Avenue

Amy Moore, Furlong Avenue

Bob & Bridie McEvoy, Ennis Close

Monday 27th June

Mary Mallon, Colane, Aghagallon

Joseph McMullan, Brownlow Terrace

John Filbin, Shore Road

Robert Hughes, Kilwilke Road

Tuesday 28th June

Sean McStay, California

Henry Scullion, Glenavy

Nora McIntyre, Lower North Street

Patrick McConville, Oakleigh Fold

Marie Hoye, Allenhill Park

Wednesday 29th June

Jim Kerr, Thornleigh

Paddy Ashe, Belfast

George Forker, Maghera

Tom & Eileen McCusker, Brownlow Terrace

Annette Blevins, Inglewood

Rosaleen Cunningham, Stoneyford

Thursday 30th June

Cisse Gallery, Beaumont Square

Issac Towe, Levin Road

Gerry Towe, Wellington Street

Madge McDowell, Mary Street

Sean McCann, Lower North Street

Joseph McConville, Kilmore Road

Hugh Haughey, Lower North Street

Bridget McDonald, Mary Street

Minnie Mahaffy, Waring Street

Bernadette Russell, Lurgantarry

Thomas Patterson, Prospect Way

Patrick O'Callaghan, Desmond Avenue

Vincent Doyle, Derrytrasna

Friday 1st July

Roisin Richards, England

John McConville, Sloan Street

Ann Gallery, Antrim Road

Mary (May) McAreavey, Manor Park

Jane Magee, Wellington Street

Arthur McQuade, Allenhill Park

Mark Findon, Cherrytree Walk

Seamus McCaughey, Ennis Close

Joseph Menary, Kilwilke Road