St. Peter's Parish, Shankill

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BULLETIN

29th APRIL 2018 - FIFTH SUNDAY OF EASTER

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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 22nd April - £4380.35

Donations - 1 X £1000 & £190 loose

Thank you for your generosity & continued support

CHOOSING GODPARENTS

Congratulations to all the parents of

newborn children in our parish With your

baby's best interests at heart, the

Church asks you when considering

sponsors for your child's baptism to

choose a godfather and godmother (one

male, one female) who are at least 16

years old and who lead a life of faith.

One of the sponsors (called a 'witness')

may be a baptised Christian from

another church. We look forward to

welcoming you.

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

CONFIRMATION

The Apostolic Administrator, Most Rev Phillip Bovce, will administer the Sacrament of Confirmation to pupils of St Teresa's PS, Lurgan Model PS & Carrick PS today @ 3pm.

We pray that the Holy Spirit will guide the boys and girls in their faith and enable them to live full and happy Christian lives.

We thank their teachers, parents, grandparents and all who helped them prepare for this special Sacrament

St Peter's and St Paul's Parish Summer Scheme August 2018

There will be a meeting for volunteers (parents, teachers, students, JP2 participants and others) to plan the summer scheme and its activities and personnel.

Meeting will be at 7pm Tuesday 8th May in St Peter's Parish Meeting Rooms. All interested parties welcome

CEMETERY SUNDAY

Sunday 13th May 3 pm in the Dougher Cemetery 5 pm in St. Colman's Cemetery

POPE JOHN PAUL II AWARD

All this year's participants are asked to attend a meeting in St Peter's Parish Meeting Rooms on Monday 30th April @ 7pm Attendance is essential

Family Prayer for World Meeting of Families 2018

God, our Father We are brothers and sisters in Jesus your Son, One family, in the spirit 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 for those for whom we now pray:

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



Thanks to all our parishioners for their generous donations to Trocaire over Lent. Total raised was

CALL TO PRIESTHOOD

Pope Francis writes: "If God lets us realise that he is calling us to consecrate ourselves totally to his kingdom, then we should have no fear! It is beautiful - and a great grace - to be completely and forever consecrated to God and the service of our brothers and sisters." If being a priest has crossed your mind as a possibility, we'd love to hear from you. Contact any of the priests in the parish, or Fr Tony Corr, Vocations Director (028 4062 3264), for more information. www.vocations.ie

ST. VINCENT DE PAUL

We are in need of volunteers to help in the thrift shop. If you can give an hour or two a week we would be so grateful. Please think about it and contact Sr. Elise 077 2614 3435 or Alison at the SVP office 028 3832 5725 Ext. 3

PRAYER FOR EXAMS

Dear Lord, help me to approach my exams with a clear head and calm mind. Give me your strength and your peace, and let me do justice to all that I have learned. Thank you Lord, for all my gifts and talents. Amen

PAPAL MASS IN PHOENIX PARK

Sunday 26th August Coach travel, entrance & dinner in Canal Court Adults £35 child price on request. A deposit secures your place for this great occasion Contact Noel in person at St Peter's Sacristy or Gerard 3832 4741

LOUGH DERG

Monday 27th August, £59 Weekly payments available at St. Paul's Parish Office - 38321289

WORLD MEETING OF FAMILIES

Pope Francis has confirmed he will be attending the World Meeting of Families in Dublin on 25-26 August. All are invited to join in this celebration of family life with the Holy Father. Registration and tickets for individuals and family groups are available NOW and will fill up quickly. Go to www.worldmeeting2018.ie for booking and information

COMMUNITY OUTREACH GROUP sponsors

Religion and the Penal Laws

Speaker: Paul Carlin Wednesday, 9th May at 8 pm in the Jethro Centre, Flush Place. All are welcome.

ACKNOWLEDGEMENT

Thanks to St Peter's for the use of their club for our Coffee Morning, to all who came and all who donated or supported in any way. Money donated to Ugandan children Total raised £1283 M Starkey

ACCORD MARRIAGE PREPARATION COURSE

Planning to get married in 2019/2020?

Book your Marriage course with ACCORD, Newry Parish Centre, The Mall, Newry BT34 1AN 028 3026 3577 newry@accordni.com

MARRIAGE AND RELATIONSHIP COUNSELLING

Accord offers a safe, professional and confidential process facilitating couples and individuals to explore, reflect upon and resolve difficulties in their marriage and relationship.

TRIP TO ROME, ASSISI & **SAN GIOVANNI**

Sunday 12 - Saturday 18 August Ex Dublin, £760pp incl 20kg bag Single supplement £120 Contact Mona @ the Trinity Shop, Market Street, Lurgan 3832 8897

JETHRO CENTRE, FLUSH PLACE

New FREE Latin & Ballroom Dance Class Wednesdays 12 noon - 12.45pm Flower Arranging Class Monday & Wednesday mornings

10.00 - 12.00 noon For more details contact Carmel 028 3832 5673

Lurgan Town Hall

Adult STEP DANCING Old Style Irish Step Dancing Each Wed (term-time) 2 levels, beginners welcome T: 07788 730 429 Facebook: stepwithannette www.annettecollins.com

FATIMA PILGRIMAGE 14 September 2018

Accompanied by Spiritual Director £679 per person sharing Fully escorted pilgrimage Direct return flights from Dublin 7 nights full board (daily breakfast, lunch & dinner) accomodation in Hotel Cinquentenario Insurance £29 extra if required Single room supplement £27 per night For further details contact Anne 028 9267 0152

ADORATION CHAPEL

Edward Street Adoration 9am-9pm 'Come to adoration. Leave everything at His feet; He will intercede for you and all your needs He'll meet'

ST VINCENT DE PAUL

Ozanam Centre, 3832 5725 **OPENING HOURS** Monday - Friday 10am 12.45pm & 2pm - 4pm Closed 1pm - 2pm for lunch Saturday 10am - 12 noon

LIFE PREGNANCY MATTERS

Provides a counselling service for people dealing with an unplanned pregnancy, miscarriage or abortion Contact 9043 4848

WANTED

The Knights of St Columbanus would appreciate donations of unwanted mobile phones, old Irish and Foreign coins and notes to help with their charity projects. These items maybe left in the Parish Office

Thanks to all who donated so far, your generosity and support are greatly appreciated.

COUNTERPOINT CHOIR

Presents A Spring Musical Evening Saturday 12th May 2018 @ 7.30pm in Jethro Centre Youth Suite Tickets £10 inc supper PROCEEDS FOR N.I. HOSPICE & **SPRINGWATCH** Tickets Available from Jethro Reception or Pay at Door

LURGAN LIBRARY Friday 4th May Chi Me - Gentle exercise

Tuesday 8th May 7pm More Irish Gardens - talk and slide show

PARISH BINGO

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



RECENTLY DECEASED

Gerry McDonald, Soye Crescent Bernadette Christie, Aughnacloy House Sean Haughian, Levin Road Edel Breen, Derrylodge Manor

MONTH'S MIND MASS Sunday 29th April

Tony Elliot, Furlong Avenue Tuesday 1st May Molly McDonald, Lake Street Saturday 5th May Dolores McKavanagh, Dill Avenue

ANNIVERSARIES Sunday 29th April

Tom McCann, Castor Bay Road Eileen Lavery, Shore Road Sally McAtasney, Sloan St/ Oakleigh Fold Eileen Loughran, Church Walk Anslem Boyes, England Tony McCaul, Ealing/Lurgan James Murphy, Shankill Lily & Richard Canavan, England John & Sarah McAtasney, Sloan Street Owen Palmer, Peterborough

Monday 30th April

Donald Lavery, Lake Street John Jackson, Taghnevan Margaret Donnelly, Allenhill Park James Hughes, Manor Drive

Tuesday 1st May

Bernard Burke, Kilvoragh Park Aidan Heaney, Lavery Avenue

Wednesday 2nd May

Mary (May) Smyth, Lake Street Joseph McAvoy Drumnamoe Avenue James Muldoon, Moortown Eileen Christie nee McCaughley, Silverwood Drive

Thursday 3rd May

Ellen Heaney, Ennis Close Keith Sewell, Brownlow Terrace

Friday 4th May

Frank Lieghio, Belvedere Manor

Saturday 5th May

Margaret Magill, Grattan Street Eugene McConville, Albert Street Nellie Byrne, Shore Road John Eddie Campbell, Melrose Park Minnie Kelly, Castle Lane

PLEASE NOTE

Requests for Anniversaries and Month's Mind notices should be left into the Parish Office on or before the Wednesday of the week before if they are to be included in the Bulletin. The minimum diocesan stipend is £7.50. As we have a booking system anniversaries can be booked in advance.

Please use the anniversary envelopes at the back of the Church