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# BULLETIN

30<sup>th</sup> MAY 2021- THE MOST HOLY TRINITY




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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)

**OFFERTORY COLLECTION**  
23<sup>rd</sup> May - £2581.08  
Donation Box - £85 loose  
Car Park - £475.10  
Our sincerest thanks to all our parishioners who have forwarded their offertory promise envelopes every week during this lockdown  
*Thank you for your continued generosity to your Parish and to your Priests.*

 **Baptism**  
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*  
Given that the government restrictions are easing, grandparents and siblings will be able to attend Baptisms from June under strict Covid rules and social distancing regulations. Face masks must be worn and hand sanitisers are provided. It is necessary to use them at all times.



  
**MARIAN PRAYER**  
Mother, help our faith! Open our ears to hear God's word and to recognise his voice and call. Awaken in us a desire to follow in his footsteps, to go forth from our own land and to receive his promise. Help us to be touched by his love, that we may touch him in faith. Help us to entrust ourselves fully to him and to believe in his love, especially at times of trial, beneath the shadow of the cross, when our faith is called to mature. Sow in our faith the joy of the Risen One. Remind us that those who believe are never alone. Teach us to see all things with the eyes of Jesus, that he may be light for our path. And may this light of faith always increase in us, until the dawn of that undying day, which is Christ himself, your Son, our Lord.

**EXAM PRAYER**  
*Dear Lord, as I take these exams, I thank you that my life is enfolded in the embrace of your great love for me. Help me with all the testing challenges of life that will come my way.*  
*Holy Spirit, guide me with the gifts of Wisdom, Knowledge, Understanding and Right Judgement. Holy Mary, pray for us all our young people. May they know the touch of your loving caress*

**PARISH OFFICE**  
Will be closed on Monday 31<sup>st</sup> May for the Bank Holiday and re-open on Tuesday 1<sup>st</sup> June @ 10am  



'The mystery of the Most Holy Trinity is the central mystery of Christian faith and life. It is the mystery of God in himself. It is therefore the source of all the other mysteries of faith, the light that enlightens them. It is the most fundamental and essential teaching in the "hierarchy of truths of the faith." The whole history of salvation is identical with the history of the way and the means by which the one true God; Father, Son, and Holy Spirit, reveals himself to us "and reconciles and unites with himself those who turn away from sin".'

Catechism of the Catholic Church,

**Irish Volunteer Agency Creates Online Global Network**  
Viatores Christi, a faith-based development organisation has specialised in the recruitment, training and deployment of overseas volunteers since 1960. VC have just launched, along with our partner agencies in Volunteering for Humanity, a new Online Discussion Forum that is open to all! The Forum is an online community that is free for everyone to join and to start discussions about volunteering - how to become a volunteer; to share stories and to find volunteering opportunities such as the #EUAVI. To learn more about the forum go to our website [www.vcvolunteers.ie](http://www.vcvolunteers.ie)

**RADIO MARIA IRELAND**  
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June is the month of anniversaries of Ordinations. We give thanks for all priests over the decades of quiet service who have accompanied God's people. May God who began the good work in all priests, bring it to completion. *Heart of Jesus, salvation of all who trust in you.*

**ADORATION CHAPEL**  
Edward Street Private Prayer Only Adoration 9am – 7pm  
 *'Jesus is infinitely deserving of our unceasing thanksgiving and adoration for all He has done for our salvation'.*

**HEALING PRAYER**  
Lord Jesus, heal me. Heal me in whatever you see needs healing. Heal me of whatever might separate me from you. Heal my memory, heal my heart, heal my emotions, heal my spirit, heal my body, and heal my soul. Lay your hands gently upon me and heal me through your love for me. Amen

**LONDON 2022**  
4 Day tour of London  
3 nights departing Friday 4<sup>th</sup> March 08.50am flight returning Monday 7<sup>th</sup> March 14.30pm flight.  
Staying at the 3\* St Giles Hotel with B&B, on the doorstep of Oxford Street. Walking distance to Shaftsbury Avenue, Covent Garden & Leicester Square. Coach transfers to and from airport.  
**£299 per person.**  
A small deposit secures your place with an 'easy payment plan' available.  
To book contact Gerard 3832 4741 or Noel 079 5547 5650

When we cannot attend Mass, we can still make an Act of Spiritual Communion, in which we express our faith in Christ and in His Presence in the Eucharist and ask Him to unite Himself with us. The basic elements of an Act of Spiritual Communion are an Act of Faith; an Act of Love; a desire to receive Christ; and an invitation to Him to come into your heart.  
*My Jesus, I believe that you are present in the Most Holy Sacrament. I love you above all things, and I desire to receive you into my soul. Since I cannot at this moment receive you sacramentally, come at least spiritually into my heart. I embrace you as if you were already there and unite myself wholly to you. Never permit me to be separated from you. Amen.*

  
There will be blood donation sessions at the Jethro Centre, Lurgan on Thursday 3<sup>rd</sup> & Friday 4<sup>th</sup> June 2021 from 1:00pm – 4:00pm & 5:00pm – 7:30pm. *Note that donation sessions are now by appointment only; to book an appointment, please call 08085 534 653 between 10:00am and 4:30pm.*

**Seeing your Life through the Lens of the Gospel. Matthew 28:16-20**  
1. It is time for Jesus to return to his Father. He meets his disciples for the last time. His final words give them direction for their future. Perhaps you can recall such parting moments in your own life- leaving home, school, college, training, the death of a loved one. What was it like for you? Were there words spoken then that gave you direction for your future?  
2. Perhaps you can identify with Jesus in the story, when as a parent, teacher, or in some other way you sent someone on his/her way in life knowing you would not be with them as in the past. When did the way you parted help the other to make their own way in life?  
3. Jesus told his disciples that although he would not be with them as in the past, he would be with them in a new way right throughout their lives. Have there been times when you were reassured by the love and support of another even though they were not physically present with you?  
4. Jesus promised to be with his disciples until the end of time. It is a promise he would fulfil through the gift of the Holy Spirit. That promise is also given to us. What helps you to be aware of the presence of the Holy Spirit with you on life's journey

  
**RECENTLY DECEASED**  
Alice McCann, Beech Court  
Terry McCaugherty, Manor Drive  
Bronagh McConaghy, Killough Gardens  
Berchan Copeland, Island View  
**MONTH'S MIND**  
**Sunday 30<sup>th</sup> May**  
Jimmy McKenna, Lavery Avenue  
Noel O'Neill, Tullydagan Road  
**Tuesday 1<sup>st</sup> June**  
Kathleen McKeever, Filbin Crescent  
**Friday 4<sup>th</sup> June**  
Ita McGeown, Grattan Street  
**Saturday 5<sup>th</sup> June**  
Desmond Tipping, Woodville Gate  
Jackie McKee, Edward Street

**ANNIVERSARIES**  
**Sunday 30<sup>th</sup> May**  
Jimmy McGeown, Donnelly Gardens  
Patrick McConville, Lurgantarry/ Edward Street  
Margaret Leatham, Rampart Street  
Mary McVeigh, Derrymore Road  
Dolores O'Connor, Antrim Road  
Anna Donnelly, Scarva Street, Banbridge  
James & Alice Harbinson, Prospect Way  
Francis Brady, Shore Road  
Ann Brady, Portland Manor  
**Monday 31<sup>st</sup> May**  
Jimmy Toman, Grattan Street  
Ann McGuigan, Filbin Crescent  
Dan Breen, Ballynamoney Road  
Eileen Shine, Desmond Avenue  
James & Catherine Maginn, Edward Street  
Rosaleen Castles nee Withers, Linen Mews  
Seamus Mallon, Clara Street  
Joe Griffin, Drumlin Drive  
Olive McGeown, Derrytrasna  
**Tuesday 1<sup>st</sup> June**  
Pauline Totton, Inglewood  
Thomas John Lennon, Byrne Rampart  
Pauline McAlinden, Wellington Street  
Briega Douglas, Aghagallon  
Madge Fox, Portadown  
**Wednesday 2<sup>nd</sup> June**  
Daisy McAlernon, Wellington Street  
Margaret Carville, Kilwilke Road  
T.J. Smyth, Langho, Blackburn  
Maureen Martin & Sheila Swift, London  
**Thursday 3<sup>rd</sup> June**  
Thomas Keville, Caroline Avenue  
Agnes Harte, Desmond Avenue  
William McConville, Drumnarnock Gardens  
Seamus Magee, Soye Crescent  
Charlie Walsh, Victoria Street Place  
Jim McCrory, Thomas Street/Doncaster  
**Friday 4<sup>th</sup> June**  
Henry Heaney, Milltown  
Matt Nugent, Oakleigh Heights  
**Saturday 5<sup>th</sup> June**  
Teddy Cusack, Portadown  
Kevin McStravick, Derrymore  
Laurentia (Laura) McConville, North Street  
Daniel & Mary Ann McConville, Kilmaine Street  
*May they all rest in peace.*