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BULLETIN

4th FEBRUARY 2018 –FIFTH SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME



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MASS SCHEDULE
Saturday 6pm (Vigil)
Sunday 8am, 10am, 11am (po polsku) & 12.15pm
Monday & Wednesday 8am & 10.30am
Thursday 8am
Tuesday & Friday 8am & 7pm
Saturday 9.30am

SACRAMENT OF RECONCILIATION
ST PETER'S PARISH
Friday 6.15pm -6.50pm
Saturday 5.15pm - 5.50pm

OFFERTORY COLLECTION
Sunday 28th January £4163.61
Donations & Mite Boxes
£225.00
Knights of St Columbanus :£615
from sale of St Brigid's Crosses
Thank you for your continued support


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.
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.

ADORATION CHAPEL,
Edward Street
Adoration 9am- 9pm daily

MASS FOR ENGAGED COUPLES
ACCORD MARRIAGE CARE, NEWRY invites you to a **MASS OF COMMITMENT** to be held in Newry Cathedral on SATURDAY 17th February at 6pm This Mass is being celebrated by Dr John McAreevey, Bishop of Dromore. Afterwards, all couples are invited to join members of the Newry Centre for light refreshments and an informative presentation *Please join us in seeking God's blessing for your future together...*

Dates for Pre-Marriage Courses are now available at www.accord.ie for booking online

POPE JOHN PAUL AWARD REUNION
Celebrating a Decade in Dromore
To mark ten years of the Pope John Paul award in the Diocese of Dromore, all participants in the award between 2008-2017 from Lurgan are invited to a reunion over coffee. As the 'family' of JPII awardees, we will look ahead to the World Meeting of Families, being held in Ireland in 2018. Keep the date free: Sunday 11 February @ 3:30pm in Wee Paddy's, Church Place. JPII friends and colleagues from other parishes are welcome too.
www.worldmeeting2018.ie

LENTEN RETREAT DAYS
IN DROMANTINE.
Dromantine is offering two retreat days during Lent. These will provide time and space to reflect and pray in the peaceful environment of Dromantine on important themes of Lent, and to prepare our hearts and minds to celebrate Holy Week & Easter
Dates: **Sat 17th Feb**
Led by Fr. Aodhán McCrystal, SMA
Sat 10th March
Led by Fr. Des Corrigan, SMA
Time 10am -5pm
Cost: £25/ Euro 30, including lunch, teas/coffee. *Everyone welcome*
To book call (028)30821964.
Email: admin@dromantineconference.com
www.dromantineconference.com


FEAST OF OUR LADY OF LOURDES
Mass in St Peters Church with sacrament of the sick
Friday 9th February @ 7pm
Followed by Procession to the Grotto in Kilwilkie.
Candles available after all Masses this weekend.

PARISH OFFICE
will be closed on Monday 5th February and re-open on Tuesday 6th February @ 10am

YOUTH ADORATION HOLY HOUR
Adoration Chapel, Edward Street
Monday 5th February 8 – 9pm
Everyone welcome

RALLY to "SAVE THE 8TH"
A massive pro-life rally will be held in Dublin on Sat 10th March. Join thousands from across Ireland in support of the 8th Amendment of the Irish Constitution that protects unborn babies. Coaches travelling to the rally from towns across Northern Ireland. For further details please contact the Rally for Life Committee
028 9027 8484 or www.rallyforlife.net

MEDJUGORJE 2018
27th May – 3rd June
7 night pilgrimage from Belfast Full religious programme operated by Marian Pilgrimages - **£579**
Call Kathy McColgan 077 34345181 or Mary Austin 077 1853 1096 for further information or bookings

ST. VINCENT DE PAUL'S ANNUAL SENIOR CITIZEN DINNER DANCE
will be in the Stables on Wednesday 21st Feb at 7pm with dinner at 7.30pm. **Big Pat and his band** will be chief entertainer - Tickets for this event can be picked up on Wednesday 14th Feb between 10.30 – 11.30 am at the Ozanam Centre,

LURGAN LOURDES COMMITTEE
is now accepting applications from parishioners who wish to travel as an Assisted Pilgrim on the 2018 Diocesan Pilgrimage from 17th to 22nd May inclusive. Please apply in writing and include your, address, contact telephone number and your GP details to the Secretary:
Rosemary McGuinness
29 Hunters Lodge, Lough Road
Lurgan BT66 6NB
or call 077 9631 0214 after 6pm

COMMUNITY OUTREACH GROUP
presents Alderman C. McGimpsey, Belfast City Council who will speak on 'The Loyal Orders'. This will take place in the Jethro Centre, on Wednesday 7th February at 8pm.

Take The First Step to Overseas Volunteering!
Viatores Christi runs Overseas Volunteer training weekend courses in Dublin - if you are interested in becoming an overseas volunteer or just want to learn more about social justice at home or abroad, this course is for you. Call us today - Viatores Christi +353-1-8689986 or email apply@viatoreschristi.com for info.

GRAND CHARITY CABARET & DANCE
Friday 23rd February 8pm
Ashburn Hotel
Host & Compere, Sean Wallace
Performances from Eoin Mac, Tracey Grant, Susan McCann, Kevin Kearney, Boxcar Brian & Country Harmony. Tickets £12
Proceeds to Moyravery Lourdes, Daisy Lodge Cancer Fund for Children & Alzheimers's Society

KNOCK
'Stabat Mater Dolorosa: a day of reflection on the mother of Jesus at the foot of the Cross'
A talk with Fr Michael Dunleavey, OP, Saturday 17th February
At the Prayer Guidance Centre, Knock 11am-3pm. Cost €30 (includes lunch). For bookings, call Knock Shrine on 00353 94 93 75355 or email faithrenewal@knockshrine.ie

CRANAGH AGHAGALLON CLUB
FREE Computer Classes
City & Guilds Beginners / Intermediate Course
Enrolment in Cranagh Hall Whitehall Road, Aghagallon
Wednesday 7th February
11.30am-12.30pm
Classes will commence Wednesday 28th February 10am – 12.45pm

PARISH BINGO
Takes place each Sunday in the Parish Hall @ 8.30pm
Everyone welcome

ST RONAN'S COLLEGE
Parent/Guardian and Yr10 pupils
You are cordially invited to attend a GCSE Options Afternoon in St. Ronan's College, KS4, Francis Street on Tuesday 6th February 2018
Principal's Address will be 2.15 pm and 3.00 pm

SHRINES OF FRANCE
AUGUST 2018
If you have not yet booked your holiday for this year, please consider this tour to beautiful France. Touring the following great Catholic Shrines
Lisieux – St Teresa, Nevers – St Bernadette Lourdes – Our Lady/ St Bernadette plus other attractions.
This is an 8 day tour, if you are interested please contact Noel 079 5547 5650 or Gerard 38324741
For full itinerary check posters in the hallway of the Church

TAKE THIRTY WOMEN'S GYM
Gym Open Day
FREE 30 minute circuit
Wednesday 7th February 7am-9pm
Unit 31-32 Cido Industrial Complex Charles Street
Make this your first gym experience, come on your own or bring a friend, get out of your comfort zone. A great chance to view our facilities

HEART START COURSE
MOUNT ZION HOUSE
7 - 9pm Monday 19th February
A free 2 hour course aimed at teaching emergency lifesaving skills to the public.
You will learn how to recognize signs and symptoms of a heart attack, help an unconscious person, perform CPR, help someone who is choking, manage bleeding
TO BOOK A PLACE PLEASE CONTACT SHAUNA AT MOUNT ZION HOUSE on 028-38324680 as places are limited

ST VALENTINE'S DANCE
The Mitchell's Hut, Derrymore
Friday 9th February 9.15pm – 12am
Admission, including supper £5
Live music by Raymond Loney
Everyone welcome

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

RECENTLY DECEASED
Roisin Fagan, Woodville Gate
Nora Murtagh, Kilmore Road
John (Bosco) McAtasney, Oakleigh Manor
Liam Magill, Mary Street
Danny Shanks, Allenhill Park

MONTH'S MIND
Sunday 4th February
Maeve Magill, Cornakinnegar Road

ANNIVERSARIES
Sunday 4th February
Nora McConville, Edward St/Sloan St
Kevin Smyth, Ulster Street
Ellen McCrory, Castor Bay Road
James McCann, Clare Street, Gilford
Joan Carson, Pinebank
Daniel Smyth, Cornakinnegar Road
Damien Lavery, Ennis Green
Regina Byrne, Enniskillen
Frank Quinn, Rampart Street
Henry Dickson, Oakfield Terrace
Nellie Doyle, Edward Street
Benedict Campbell, Lavery Avenue
Jerome Haughey, Viewfield, Antrim Rd
Patrick Stevenson, Campbell Walk
Felix Stevenson, Waterloo, London

Monday 5th February
Paul McAreevey, Ashgrove Park
Samuel Mitchell, Brown Street
Vince McGibbon, Antrim Road
Siobhan Cormican, Colane Meadows
Ellen McAtamney, Brownlow Terrace
Bridie Potter, Kent

Tuesday 6th February
Billy Brady, Kilvoragh Park
Seamus Magill, Ashgrove Park
Gertie McCann, North Street
Gerry McAvoy, Soye Gardens
Patsy McKerr, Donnelly Gardens
Agnes Fleville, Ashgrove Avenue
Michael Smyth, Kilmaine Street
Sean Forker, Mary Street

Wednesday 7th February
Hugh Cassells Jnr, Antrim Road

Thursday 8th February
Bernadette Eagers, Soye Gradens
Noel Agnew, O'Neill's Terrace
Garry McCrory, Church Walk

Friday 9th February
Edward (Ned) McStay, Killaughey Road
James Lavery, Shore Road

Saturday 10th February
Mary Anna McStay, Ennis Close
Rita Bell, Wellington Street
Charles McConville, Kilmaine Street
Brian Mulholland, Grattan Street
Edward Gaskin, Kilwilke Road
John Rooney, Portadown
John Gallagher, Thornleigh

PLEASE NOTE
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. As we have a booking system, anniversaries can be booked in advance