St. Peter's Parish, Shankill

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5th JULY - 14th SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME

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NEW ARRANGEMENTS RE: WEEKDAY & SUNDAY MASSES

We have been given permission to begin public Masses on weekdays, beginning Monday 29th June and Sunday Masses beginning the weekend 4th/5th July.

We are limited to 80 people in St Peter's to ensure that we can safely practise socially distancing of 2 metres. This is a big enough logistical problem without the added burden of now only having three priests in the two parishes, instead of the four. Fr Fitzpatrick has been appointed Administrator of the neighbouring parishes of Movraverty and Seagoe, Consequently, we have no option but to reduce Masses in both parishes. The 12.00 noon Mass in St Paul's and the 10.00am Mass in St Peter's on Sunday's will now be discontinued from Sunday 5th July. In St Peter's, the Polish Mass will come forward to 10.00am. It would have been impossible to clean the Church in St Peter's when the original schedule was 10.00am followed by the Polish Mass @ 11.00am followed by the 12.15pm. I hope you understand.

Currently, the weekday schedule of 10.30am Mass on Mondays & Wednesdays will be discontinued from Monday 29th June. There is the 8.00am Mass each day in St Peter's excluding Saturday and the evening Masses at 7.00pm on Tuesdays & Fridays will continue as normal. The Saturday morning Mass in St Peter's at 9.30am and the 10.30am in St Paul's will continue. The 10.00am Mass in St Paul's Monday - Friday will also continue. The Archbishop has extended the dispensation from attending Sunday Mass at this time and attendance at a weekday Mass will fulfil the Sunday obligation. Therefore, please, if possible, think of attending a weekday Mass. This would greatly reduce the expected congregation at the Sunday Masses.

As stated above, St Peter's is only allowed to accommodate 80 people. To facilitate the small numbers allowed, St Peter's Parish is divided into 9 areas (see over). Only the people in areas 4, 5 & 6 will be able to attend Mass on the 11th/12th July at the appointed times, then areas 7, 8 & 9 on 18th/19th July and the areas 1, 2 & 3 again on the 25th/26th July, at the appointed times.

For the weekend Masses 11th/12th July, people living in area 4, 5, & 6 can contact the Parish Office from Monday 6th July – Wednesday 8th July, during office hours, to request one of the eighty places at the appointed Mass for your area. We are unable to accept requests for places at Mass prior to Monday morning. No advance bookings can be taken. A single request is limited to 2 persons from the one household. This is to enable as many parishioners as possible to be able to attend Mass. The above procedure will be repeated for each successive weekend.

This is far from ideal but we are living in most unusual times and we must obey social distancing regulations and sanitising of the Church. It is most important that people who are vulnerable or unwell, and especially those with any symptoms that might suggest Covid-19 infection, should stay at home and, if possible participate as now, via the webcam or radio. The same applies to those who have been in recent contact with someone who has the virus in accordance with public health advice.

My thanks to the members of the sub-committee of the Pastoral Council for their invaluable help and experience in helping to form the new arrangements.

DESIGNATED AREAS

- 1. Freecrow, including North Street, Wellington Street, Church Walk & Windsor Avenue.
- 2. Lurgantarry and Tarry Drive
- 3. Kilwilke Estate
- 4. Antrim Road, Cornakinnegar Road, Belvedere, Kilmore Road & Castor Bay Road and surrounding roads.
- 5. Lake St/Shore Road, Allenhill, Tannaghmore to Deerings
- 6. Victoria Street, Lough Road (right hand side), Annesborough, Kinnego and surroundings roads
- 7. North Circular Road from roundabout to Soye Crescent, to include all in the Lavery's development.
- North Circular Road, from Cornakinnegar Road to Soye Crescent, to include Portland Manor, Rosemount, Kilvoragh Park etc.
- 9. Woodville development.

DESIGNATED MASSES

- 4. 6.00pm Saturday 11th July
- 5. 8.00am Sunday 12th July
- 6. 12.15pm Sunday 12th July
- 7. 6.00pm Saturday 18th July
- 8. 8.00am Sunday 19th July
- 9. 12.15pm Sunday 19th July
- 1. 6.00pm Saturday 25th July
- 2. 8.00am Sunday 26th July
- 3. 12.15pm Sunday 26th July

PASTORAL VISITS TO THE SICK

Priests continue to be available to visit the seriously ill and bring the sacraments to them in most areas of the hospitals in spite of the pandemic. Visits are also possible to homes in extreme circumstances. If you or a loved one requires a priest urgently, please contact the parish office, or hospital switchboard (3833 4444). If a priest is not admitted to the ward, he will pray on the phone with the sick person if possible. Chaplains are also routinely available to support hospital staff at the present time on the number above.

ADORATION CHAPEL EDWARD STREET Adoration 9am-7pm

Please observe social distancing measures and notices in place.

MORNING PRAYER

O Lord I pray not that my path will be smooth but that I walk it

SACRAMENTS:

Confirmation

Lurgan Model P.S. -Tuesday 25th August @ 5pm

Tannaghmore P.S. – Wednesday 26th August 3 classes starting @

St Teresa's P.S. - Thursday 27th August @ 5pm

Carrick P.S. - Friday 28th August @ 5pm

First Communion

Tannaghmore P.S.- Saturday 3rd October starting @ 11am & Sunday 4th October @ 3pm Lurgan Model P.S. - Saturday 10th October @ 11am St Teresa's P.S. - Sunday 11th

October @ 3pm Schools will be in contact in the new term with further details

PARISH OFFICE

The Parish Office will re-open again to the public on Monday 20th July @10.00am.



RECENTLY DECEASED

Alison Venard, Lough Road Daniel (Danny) Toland, Oakleigh Fold

ANNIVERSARIES Sunday 5th July

David McInerney, Antrim Road

Owen Creaney, Victoria Street Place Hannah McKavangh, Castor Bay Road Jim Grimley, Tarry Drive Pat Fox, Portadown

Monday 6th July

Patsy Magennis, Manor Drive Molly Murray, Killaghy Francesco Mingione, Ardowen Sheila & Peter Doran, Drumnakelly

Tuesday 7th July

James Henry McCrory, Castor Bay Road Sheila McKavanagh, Killough Gardens John Mulholland, Wesley Place Martin McCarroll, Kilwilke Road

Wednesday 8th July

Annie Thompson, North Street Mary McGrail, Derryclone Road Kathleen Towe, Levin Road Michael McGoldrick, Ashgrove Crescent Mary Mulhern, Antrim Road

Thursday 9th July

Paddy Maginn, Shore Road Joe Maxwell, Edward Street Brendan Campbell, Lake Street Margaret Teresa Begley, Donegal/England/Lurgan

Friday 10th July

Arthur Kelly, Castle Lane Kevin Toman, Victoria Street Marian Burns, Cypress Gardens

Saturday 11th July

Annie Wilson, Wellington Street Francis Maguire, Donnelly Gardens Gregory Toman, Northwood Edward Loughran, Church Walk Patrick McGibbon, Shore Road Doreen Griffin, Kilwilke Road Rita Harbinson, Magheralin Michael McCorry, Glenavy

Almighty Father, source of forgiveness and salvation, grant that our relatives and friends who have passed from this life may, through the intercession of the Blessed Virgin Mary and of all the saints, come to share your Eternal happiness through Christ our Lord. Amen

PLEASE NOTE

Anniversaries and Month's Mind Notices that occur up to the **25th July** should be left into the Parish Office on or before Wednesday 8th July @ 12.00 noon if they are to be included in the Bulletin over the