

St. Peter's Parish, Shankill

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BULLETIN

6th AUGUST 2023 – THE TRANSFIGURATION OF THE LORD




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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)

SACRAMENT OF RECONCILIATION
With Fr Jozef
Friday 6.00pm - 6.45pm

OFERTORY COLLECTION
30th July - £3112.19
Donations – £40 loose
Car Park – £0.00
Thank you for your continued support and generosity.


We welcome the following children into the Christian Community through the Sacrament of Baptism
Margot Angela Lamph, Foxleigh Wood
Harry Raymond Reilly, Annesborough Rd
Penny Margaret McCann, Hunters Lodge
Mèabh McKernan, Cherrywood
Our prayers and good 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. Baptisms take place on the first, third and fifth Sundays of the month @ 1.30pm


CEMETERY SUNDAY – 13th August
Rosary and Prayers for the Faithful Departed
The Doucher 3pm – St Colman's 5pm
The Ceremony will include Scripture Readings, Prayers and Blessing of the Graves.
Each family is asked to bring a bottle of water. The water will be blessed, and individual family members will be invited to sprinkle Holy Water on the family plot after the Prayer of Blessing. Relatives and visitors are asked to help maintain the sacred character of the Cemetery by ensuring all waste is put into the skip or taken away for disposal. To help with maintenance costs of the cemetery, collection baskets will be available at the exit gates to enable anyone who wishes to contribute to do so.

HOLIDAY TIME
Have a holy, happy, and safe holiday and welcome to friends and family who are home for the holidays.

Going on holiday? Please don't forget me. Call at my House and say a prayer!!
Find a Mass at your destination at www.masstimes.org

THOUGHT FOR THE DAY
We may never experience anything as powerful as the Transfiguration, but every day in countless and seemingly small ways God does break into our world and daily lives. Every time we experience a moment of peace, joy, reconciliation or forgiveness, God is with us. Every time that we reach out to help another person is a moment of transfiguration both for ourselves and for those we help. Each time somebody shows care and concern for us is a moment when God is reaching out to us. This week, let us open our hearts so that we may hear Jesus speaking to us. May we slow down and look for moments of small but important times of transfiguration in our own ordinary daily lives.

Mary's Meals Summer Celebration Event
On Saturday 19th August, you are invited to an evening of entertainment at Grace Hall, Craigavon, BT67 9ND including a Speedquiz (1 smart phone per team required), children's activities, live music, light snacks and refreshments (BYOB), raffle and merchandise stall. Free event and all welcome to attend. Event runs from 6pm -12am. Please call/text Seamus on 07974356381 or visit [//www.bit.ly/marysmealsevent](http://www.bit.ly/marysmealsevent) to RSVP or for further details.


ST CLARE OF ASSISI 1193-1253
Friday 11 August

Happy the soul to whom it is given to attain life with Christ, to cleave with all one's heart to him whose beauty all the heavenly hosts behold forever, whose love inflames our love, the contemplation of whom is our refreshment, whose graciousness is our delight, whose gentleness fills us with overflowing, whose fragrance revives the dead, the glorious vision of whom will be the happiness of all citizens of the heavenly Jerusalem. For he is the brightness of eternal glory the splendor of eternal light, the mirror without spot.

LONDON CALLING PART II
Return flights Belfast – London 15th September, Friday - Monday All coach transfers from airport to St Giles Hotel, just off Oxford Street. Ideal location for shopping/sightseeing. 3 nights B&B price £389 Deposit to secure place £50 non-refundable Easy payment plan available.
GLENEAGLES
Monday 20th November 2023
4 nights Dinner, B&B Entertainment daily. £389 contact
For further information on both the above call Gerard 3832 4741, Noel 079 5547 5650

THREE SAYINGS
'We become what we love and who we love shapes what we become.'
'Love God, serve God. Everything is in that.'
'Love that does not know of suffering is not worthy of the name.'
*Clare of Assisi
Feast Day Friday 11th August*

ADORATION CHAPEL, EDWARD STREET
Adoration 9am-9pm
Our Lady of Fatima prayers and Rosary
Sunday 13 August
7.00 - 8.00 p.m.

LIGHT THE FIRE - Hill of Slane, August 6, 2023
1.00pm - Gathering 1.30pm - Rosary • Dana and Music Ministry will sing Light the Fire • 2.00pm - Mass • Talks and Eucharist Healing Service • 4.30pm - Depart for home
At the 'Light the Fire of faith service' Pilgrims from across Ireland are invited to come along and join Archbishop Eamon Martin, Dana, and Sr Briege McKenna, at the Hill of Slane, County Meath, on August 6th for rosary, Mass, and a service of healing. Dana will sing her new song, Light the Fire, an anthem inspired by St Patrick, who famously lit the Easter fire at Slane in 433 AD in defiance of King Laoire. The Paschal candle will also be lit as part of the ceremony on the Feast of the Transfiguration as pilgrims pray for a renewal of faith in Ireland. Archbishop Eamon Martin recalled St Patrick's own experience as he prepares for the event.
"He knew he was a sinner, but he grew to know and love God through prayer and sacrifice. The light of faith will be kept alive and spread and renewed in Ireland in families that pray and from young person to young person – as Dana's new song puts it: lighting the flame of faith in their own hearts and in the hearts of others," he said. The archbishop added a prayer that the young people of Ireland would become 'ambassadors for Christ all around the island of Ireland.'
Poor Clare nun Sr Briege McKenna, who is famous for her healing ministry, will be accompanied by Fr Pablo Escriva de Romani. They will speak and conduct the Eucharistic Healing service. Contact organisers via email on hillofslaneaugust6@gmail.com

MACMILLAN CANCER SUPPORT NIGHT
organised by Pat O'Hagan.
A Night with the Stars on Friday 18th August at 8pm at the Goodyear Sports & Social Club. Tickets £12 available from both Colleen's Kitchen and the Goodyear Club.
Thank you for your support."
POPE'S MONTHLY INTENTION
August -For World Youth Day:
We pray that World Youth Day in Lisbon will help young people to live and witness the Gospel in their own lives.


GUIDED TOURS OF NEWRY CATHEDRAL
We are pleased to announce that we will once again offer guided tours of the Cathedral on the following dates:
*Wednesday 16th August 2pm
Wednesday 30th August 7pm*
Each tour will take approximately 90 minutes. Please meet at the main door of the Cathedral. You will hear the story of the building of the Cathedral, 1825-1829, and of the later extensions. The history of its stained glass, marble altars, sculptures and magnificent mosaics will also be explained.
There is no charge for these tours.


RECENTLY DECEASED
John Beggan, Allenhill Park
Phelim Magee, Beech Court
Una Carter, Ashgrove Close
Eilish Campbell, Desmond Avenue
Gerard Crewe, Ennis Close
Sean Leathem, Miami, formerly Castor Bay Road
ANNIVERSARIES
Sunday 6th August
Charles & Elizabeth Breen, Ashwood
Malachy O'Hagan, Mary Street
Sheila Findon nee Creaney, Edward Street
Monday 7th August
Kieran McDonald, Lake Street
Charlie McCann, Ulster Street
Thomas McConaghy, Shore Road
Ronnie Totton, Inglewood
May Doyle, Castlevue, Gilford
Alice McGeown, Kilmaine Street
Tuesday 8th August
William (Gerry) McGibbon, Ashgrove Avenue
Gertrude Creaney, Tannaghmore North
Sheila Mulholland, Taghnevan Close
John Mulligan, Arva, Co Cavan
Barry McDonald, Hill Street
Jim Murray, Grattan Street
Declan Haughey, Antrim Road
Jim Blaney, Oakleigh Fold
Kathleen Bunting, Elmwood Close
Wednesday 9th August
Tony McConville, Wellington Street
Sean Harbinson, Lurgantarry
Thursday 10th August
Elizabeth (Lily) Furphy, Tannaghmore North Rd
Sarah McStravick, Drumnamee Avenue
Brian McConville, North Street
Finbar McCann, Kelly Gardens
Friday 11th August
Edward Mulholland, Mary Street
Rosemary Haddock, Brownlow Terrace
Arthur McAlinden, Woodville Street
Kieran O'Hagan, Mary Street
Ann & Paddy Mongan, Castlevue Park, Moira
Noel Gorman, Monbrief Walk
Saturday 12th August
Marie Doran, Filbin Crescent
Patsy Ganley, Lavery Avenue
Patrick Mallon, Clara Street
Patrick Duffy, Edward Street
James Jnr Campbell, Lurgantarry
James McConaghy, Brownlow Terrace
Patricia Cassidy, Derrymacash
Peggy Connelly, Coleraine
Eternal rest grant onto them O Lord.
Requests for Anniversaries, Month's Mind and all notices should be left into the Parish Office on or before 12 noon on the Wednesday of the week before if they are to be included in the Bulletin. The minimum diocesan stipend is £10. As we have a booking system, anniversaries can be booked in advance up until the end of the year.
Please use the anniversary envelopes at the back of the Church