

BULLETIN

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7th FEBRUARY 2016 – 5th SUNDAY ORDINARY TIME



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MASS SCHEDULE

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

SACRAMENT OF RECONCILIATION

Saturday
9.15am - 9.50am &
5.15pm - 5.50pm

OFFERTORY COLLECTION

31st January - £4630
Donations -1 X £80 & £125 loose
Mite Box -£15.30
Thank you for your continued support and generosity



We welcome the following children into the Christian Community through the Sacrament of Baptism

Jaxson Basil Lyness, Ennis Green

Georgia-Mae Loughran, Albert Street

Shea Callum Martin, Lakelands

Our best 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. Parents/Godparents will have an opportunity to meet some members of the Baptism Team prior to the day of Baptism.

Baptisms take place each Sunday at 1pm

ST VINCENT DE PAUL

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



LENT 2016

Ash Wednesday



Next Wednesday, 10th February, is Ash Wednesday and begins the holy season of Lent. It is a day of fast and abstinence for all Catholics. Ashes will be blessed and distributed during all Masses.

Masses in St Peter's for Ash Wednesday: 8am, 10.30am & 6pm

On Sunday evenings of Lent, Evening Prayer of the Church (from the Divine Office) will be prayed in St Peter's at 7pm, followed by Benediction.

On Tuesday evenings, at 7pm Mass, there will be speakers from some of our parish organisations telling us about their work and how membership of their organisation helps them to live out their Christian lives

Stations of the Cross will take place every Friday evening immediately after 7pm Mass. The Stations will be led by young people from the Pope John Paul programme

LENTEN RETREAT DAYS

Dromantine is offering two retreat days during Lent.

These will provide an opportunity 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 and Easter.
Sat 20th Feb. - Conducted by Fr. Aodhán McCrystal, SMA
Sat 12th March - Conducted by Fr. Des Corrigan, SMA
10 am – 5 pm
All are welcome

To book call 3082 1964 or Email: admin@dromantineconference.com
www.dromantineconference.com

JOSEPH'S YOUNG PRIESTS' SOCIETY

Our next meeting will take place on Monday, 8th February at 7.00pm in the Parish Meeting Rooms, North Street. The Society exists to pray for vocations to the priesthood and religious life and to raise funds for the education of priests at home and abroad.

St Joseph, pray for us.

FEAST OF OUR LADY OF LOURDES

Thurs 11th Feb

Candlelight Procession to Our Lady's Grotto, Kilwilke

Following Mass at 7pm in St Peter's Candles will be available at the Mass and also at Masses in both churches the weekend of 6th/7th February.



ARE YOU CONSIDERING MARRIAGE?

ACCORD MARRIAGE CARE, NEWRY
Invites you to a
MASS OF COMMITMENT

To be held in Newry Cathedral on SUNDAY, 14th FEB at 5.30 pm
This Mass is being celebrated by Dr John McAreavey, Bishop of Dromore.

Afterwards, all couples are invited to join members of the Newry Centre for light refreshments and an informative presentation

LURGAN LOURDES COMMITTEE:

Are now accepting applications from parishioners who wish to travel as an assisted pilgrim on the 2016 Diocesan Pilgrimage from 17th to 22nd May inclusive
Please apply in writing to the Secretary:
Rosemary McGuinness,
6 Oakfields, Craigavon
BT65 5GZ

www.workroutesni.co.uk

Free Community Based Programme for those who are Unemployed or Inactive in the ABC Council area. No impact on any of your benefits. Approachable, Friendly, Specialist Service offering advice & help to find work. Register online / call and make a suitable appointment or come along to our Free Clinic in Lurgan Library on Tuesday 9th February 2016 between 11am & 1pm - no appointment necessary.
Tel: 3844 5815 or Email: workroutes.ni@reed.co.uk

Shankill Parish Caring Association CEDAR SENIORS PROJECT

is hosting a
TEA DANCE
Tuesday 16th February Jethro Centre
2pm- 4pm Adm £2.00
Transport available but this must be booked in advance no later than Thursday 11th February - places limited
Tel: Carmel 3832 5673

NORTHERN IRELAND BLOOD TRANSFUSION SERVICE

The next blood donation sessions will be held in High Street Methodist Church Hall, High St, Lurgan
Tues 9th & Wed 10th February
1.30pm-4pm & 5.15pm-8pm

URGENTLY REQUIRED

Samaritans, Church Place, Lurgan
Would welcome donations of clothing, bric-a-brac and small items of furniture. Items can be collected if necessary. Call 079 2600 1745

LOUGHSHORE FAMILY ACTION PROJECT

Are holding free Child Protection training in Maghery Community Centre. Tuesday 2nd, 9th, 16th, 23rd, Feb. 7pm – 9.30pm each evening
Booking is essential as places are limited.
To book your place contact LFAP on 028 3885 1897 or
Email: martinlfap@btconnect.com

PARISH RADIOS

Radios for the housebound are now available from the Parish Office **£20**

SOUTHERN REGIONAL COLLEGE

Learn I.T Level 1 & 2 Computer Class for Beginners @ North Lurgan Community Centre
Commencing 19th February for 17 weeks each Friday 9.30am-12.30pm
Course is FREE OF CHARGE
Excellent class for beginners
Register at North Lurgan Community Centre on Friday 12th February at 10am – 11am
Enrolment is essential to secure a place & Places are limited!
Contact Karen/ Danielle on 3831 6394 or Jim Cunningham on 077 1198 1732 for more information

ADORATION CHAPEL

Edward Street
9.00am-9.00pm
'To visit the Blessed Sacrament is proof of gratitude, an expression of love...'

SEASONS OF THE MOON

By Fr Michael Maginn.
On sale now at the Parish Office
£10

St Peter's Youth Club

The Youth Club is seeking volunteers to help out on either Wednesday or Friday evening, from 6.30pm to 9pm. Volunteering is especially helpful and rewarding to young people aged 16 - 18 years of age who may be undertaking or intend to undertake The Pope John Paul II Award or who may be applying for employment or university. Anyone interested should contact Jimmy Magee, 079 0545 6632.

LURGAN LIBRARY

Young Performers Concert
23rd February 7pm.
All donations to Southern Area Hospice.

PARISH BINGO

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

ADULT STEP DANCE CLASSES

Old Style Step Dance of Ireland
New term, new routine
Beginners: 7-8pm,
Improvers: 8-9pm
Lurgan Town Hall
For details call Annette: 38345522 or via: www.annettecollins.com

PLEASE NOTE

Anniversaries and Month's Mind notices should be left into the Parish Office on or before Wednesday of the week prior to the anniversary if they are to be included in the Bulletin. As we have a booking system anniversaries can be notified in advance.



RECENTLY DECEASED

Jane Ann Sullivan, Manor Park
Damien Lavery, North Circular Road
Patsy Mallon, Garland Crescent
Malachy Skelton, Drumbeg

MONTH'S MIND

Sunday 7th February
Leo McAtamney, Maynooth/Brownlow Tce

Wednesday 10th February

Gerald Campbell, Garland Court

ANNIVERSARIES

Sunday 7th February

Ellen McCrory, Castor Bay Road
Noirin Hession, Galway
Dermot Shanks, Oakfield Terrace
Damien McDonald, Ashgrove Park

Monday 8th February

Bernadette Eagers, Soye Gardens
Noel Agnew, O'Neill's Terrace
Lily Mitchell, Shore Rd/Tarry Lane
Garry McCrory, Church Walk
Deirdre Ginesi, Levin Road
Annie Kane, Kilwilke Gardens
Adrian Marley, Banbridge

Tuesday 9th February

Edward McStay, Killaughey Road
Joseph Barbour, Lake Street
James Lavery, Shore Road

Wednesday 10th February

Charles McConville, Kilmaine Street
Rita Bell, Wellington Street
Eddie Doran, Brownlow Terrace
John Rooney, Portadown
Anne McConville, Castle Lane
Carmel McConville, Leyton, London
Edward Gaskin, Kilwilke Road

Thursday 11th February

Paul Thompson, Canada

Friday 12th February

Angela McConville, North Street
Mary Ann McStay, Ennis Close
Patrick Doyle, Oakleigh Manor
Dan, Molly & Dan (Jnr) Smith, Portadown
Frank Matthews, Brownlow Terrace
Pat Kane, Kilwilke Gardens
Paula McCann, Blair Drive
Bernard McKavanagh, Leansmount Rd
Minnie Pooler, Castle Lane

Saturday 13th February

Ellen McKeown, Church Walk
Brid Creery, Rosemount
Regina Byrne, Enniskillen
Bobby Murray, Soye Gardens
Hugh Totten