

# BULLETIN

7<sup>th</sup> October 2018  
TWENTY-SIXTH SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME



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**MASS SCHEDULE**  
**Saturday** 9.30am, 6pm (Vigil)  
**Sunday** 8am, 10am, 11am (po polsku) & 12.15pm  
**Monday & Wednesday** 8am & 10.30am  
**Thursday** 8am  
**Tuesday & Friday** 8am & 7pm  
**ST PAUL'S CHURCH**  
**Sunday:** 9am, 10.30am, 12 noon  
**Monday-Friday:** 10am  
**Saturday:** 10.30 am & 7pm (Vigil)

**SACRAMENT OF RECONCILIATION**  
Friday 6.15pm - 6.50pm  
Saturday 5.15pm - 5.50pm

**OFFERTORY COLLECTION**  
Sunday 30th September £3875.71  
**Donations – 1 X £4500 & £130 loose**  
*Thank you for your continued support & generosity*

 We welcome the following children into the Christian Community through the Sacrament of Baptism  
*Tara Marcilynn Dunwoodie, Lough Road*  
*Anna Deirdre Softeland, Norway*  
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 at 1.00pm


You can watch "The Rosary of Our Lady" on EWTN Catholic TV on Sunday 7th October (4pm); Thurs 11th October (9am); Fri 12th October (3pm) and Saturday 13th October (9pm).

  
**NOVENA TO OUR LADY OF PERPETUAL HELP.**  
The Novena will commence on Tuesday 9th October and will continue for nine weeks concluding on 4th December. The Novena prayers will be recited at the 8am and 7pm Masses.  
**ST. PAUL'S CHURCH**  
The Novena will commence on Monday 8th October. Prayers will be recited at the 10am and 7.30pm Masses. Concluding on 3<sup>rd</sup> December.

**CHILD SAFEGUARDING TRAINING**  
There will be two evening training sessions for leaders of children's ministry in The Meeting Rooms, Dromore Street, Banbridge on Monday 15th October at 7pm and Monday 22nd at 7pm. If you wish to attend email your name and ministry to [patcarville51@gmail.com](mailto:patcarville51@gmail.com)

**LIFE IN THE SPIRIT- SEMINARS**  
**St Peter's Parish Hall**  
Thursday 11 October @ 8pm  
Fr Eamonn Kelly (Co Donegal) will present a seminar on 'God's Love' All welcome

**POPE ASKS FOR ROSARY IN OCTOBER**  
Pope Francis last weekend invited "all the faithful of all the world to pray the holy rosary every day during the month of October." Following dreadful events in the Church in recent years, the Pope requested prayer "asking the Holy Mother of God and Saint Michael Archangel to protect the Church from the devil, who always seeks to separate us from God and from each other." He recommends we conclude the rosary with the following prayers to Our Lady and St Michael:  
*We fly to your protection, O holy Mother of God. Do not despise our petitions in our necessities, but deliver us always from all dangers, O Glorious and Blessed Virgin.*  
*Saint Michael the Archangel, defend us in battle, be our protection against the wickedness and snares of the devil; may God rebuke him, we humbly pray; and do you, O Prince of the heavenly host, by the power of God, cast into hell Satan and all the evil spirits who prowl through the world seeking the ruin of souls. Amen.*

  
**Mass for Recently Deceased**  
*'Let us remember them'*  
There will be Mass for deceased parishioners whose deaths occurred between November 2017 and October 2018 on Tuesday 13th November at 7pm. At this Mass a representative from each bereaved family will be invited to carry an inscribed candle to the Sanctuary. There will be prayers for both the deceased and the bereaved.  
*Families of those whose funerals took place in St Peter's will be contacted in the coming weeks.*

**Rosary for Life and Faith.**  
Sunday 7th October (Feast of the Holy Rosary)  
2.30 Bayshore Picnic Area. Derrytrasna.  
Meeting up 2.15 St Marys Church Derrytrasna.

  
The Annual Gate Collection will be taken up after all Masses, on the weekend 20th/21st October. Please support this worthy cause

**IT'S MISSION MONTH 2018!**  
The most important day of this month is World Mission Sunday, which takes place on 21st. This is the one Sunday in the year that Pope Francis asks us to pray a little stronger and dig a little deeper so that faith, hope and love can flourish. Contributions given on Mission Sunday will support the fearless and selfless work of our missionaries who live shoulder-to-shoulder with people in communities that are struggling and often war-torn. Mission Month is a time for us to fully appreciate their dedication before, during and after any crisis.

**NORTH LURGAN PLAYGROUPS ANNUAL AGM**  
will be held on Wednesday 10th October @ 7pm at North Lurgan Community Centre.  
*All parents are encouraged to attend.*

**VICTIM SUPPORT NI APPEAL FOR VOLUNTEERS**  
Victim Support NI is looking for volunteers to help them support victims and witnesses of crime in the Craigavon area. Volunteers can offer emotional support to victims in the immediate aftermath of crime, or can choose to work in the courts, supporting prosecution victims and witnesses. If you have some free time to spare, and would like to find out more about this volunteering opportunity, you can apply online at [www.victimsupportni.co.uk](http://www.victimsupportni.co.uk) or contact their Belfast Hub on 028 9024 3133

**ADORATION CHAPEL**  
**Edward Street**  
Adoration 9am-9pm  
*'Come to adoration, and know that you are loved, each encounter holds a precious gift just for you from God above.'*

**LURGAN SALVATION ARMY**  
**Union Street, Lurgan**  
Autumn/Winter Craft Fair  
Saturday 20 October  
*Supporting Lurgan Salvation Army & Cystic Fibrosis*

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

**PRAYER FOR INNER PEACE**  
*Jesus in your love, have mercy on me.*  
*Stay with me and give me your peace*

**PRAYER FOR A STILL BORN BABY**  
*Lord God, ever caring and gentle, we commit to your love this little one, quickened to life for so short a time. Enfold him/her in eternal life. We pray for his/her parents who are saddened by the loss of their baby. Give them courage and help them in their pain and grief. May they all meet one day in the joy and peace of your kingdom. Through Christ our Lord. Amen.*

**Radio Maria Ireland**  
is an Irish-run Catholic Talk-Radio Station. Prayer, Catechesis, Uplifting music, Talks, Interviews and Testimonies – all commercial free – Listen via TV on Saorview Channel 210.  
*If interested: 00353 14373277*  
[www.radiomaria.ie](http://www.radiomaria.ie)


**LOBBY FOR LIFE**  
Take Action – by signing the petition cards at the back of the Church asking the NI Secretary of State and Minister of State to ensure abortion will not be imposed on Northern Ireland from Westminster.

**TREK FOR NIALL**  
Are running a Fundraiser IN AID OF SOUTHERN AREA HOSPICE Ashburn Hotel  
Friday 19th October  
8.30pm till late Live Music  
Tickets £6 from family members or pay at the door

**FREE EVENT AT LURGAN LIBRARY**  
WW1 and Nursing – the local contribution  
*Tuesday 23rd October 7.15pm*

**Youth Worker Forum**  
**Brownlow Community Hub**  
17th October, 2 pm – 4 pm. (Integrated Education)  
Tel: 90694099.  
*Everyone welcome. Refreshments will be provided*

**PLEASE NOTE**  
Requests for anniversaries and Month's Mind 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 £7.50. As we have a booking system anniversaries can be booked in advance to the end of the year.  
*Please use the anniversary envelopes at the back of the church*

  
**RECENTLY DECEASED**  
George Jordan, Drumnarnock Avenue  
Sean O'Hare, High Street, Gilford

**MONTH'S MIND**  
**Saturday 13<sup>th</sup> October**  
Sheila Magee, Kelly Gardens

**ANNIVERSARIES**  
**Sunday 7<sup>th</sup> October**  
Mary O'Neill, Grattan Street  
Mary Ann McCabe, Deramore Drive  
Kathleen McConville, Kilwilke Road  
Katherine McVeigh, North Street  
Susan Mulholland, Wesley Place

**Monday 8<sup>th</sup> October**  
Robert Lavery, Edward Street  
Bridget Finnegan, North Street  
Kathleen Fagan, Lake Street  
Betty Smyth, Oakleigh Fold  
Andy McStay, Lough Road  
Dan Haughian, Charlestown Road  
Mary Lavery, Shore Road  
Alfie Goff, Mary Street  
Charles Starkey, Grattan Street

**Tuesday 9<sup>th</sup> October**  
Hannah Jane Haughey, Mary Street  
Catherine & Sean McAlernon, Antrim Road  
Mary Hughes, Woodville Street  
Henry Lavery, Soye Crescent  
Annie Smyth, Waring Street  
Liam McConville, Donnelly Gardens  
Desmond Mackle, Shore Road

**Wednesday 10<sup>th</sup> October**  
Kenneth Nugent, Woodville Avenue  
Sr Colette Douglas, Aghagallon/S. Africa  
Bertie McIntyre, Lower North Street

**Thursday 11<sup>th</sup> October**  
Joe McStravick, Kilmore Road  
Mary Rose McCorry, Soye Crescent  
Sarah Quinn, Rampart Street  
Joe McGibbon, Woolwich  
Annie McCorry, Glenavy  
Kay Williamson, Drumbeg North  
Dan McNally, Kinnego  
George Hatchell, Newry  
Nuala Hendershott, Castor Bay Road  
Lily Rooney, Grattan Street  
John Doran, Brown Street  
James Brown, Shore Road  
Lorraine McEnoy, Soye Gardens

**Friday 12<sup>th</sup> October**  
Maureen Scullion, Glenavy  
Peter McConville, Lurgantarry  
Eddie Heaney, Oakleigh Fold

**Saturday 13<sup>th</sup> October**  
Rose Ann Grimes, Francis Street  
Joe McCaughley, Silverwood Drive  
Sarah Elizabeth Scullion, Kinnego  
Martin Doran, Campbell Walk  
Eileen & Ilish Rafferty, Garland Avenue  
Bridie Clarke, Beech Court  
Michael Breen, Pier Rampart  
Mark Toland, Parknasilla Way