

St Peter's Parish, Shankill

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BULLETIN

7th JUNE 2026 – The Most Holy Body and Blood of Christ (Corpus Christi)




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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
31st May - £3764.51
Plus, Standing Orders £350.60 weekly
Donations – 1 X £100 & £25.00 loose
Thank you for your continued support and generosity.


Holy Baptism
We welcome the following children into the Christian Community through the Sacrament of Baptism
James Freddie Lloyd, Fox's Glen
Sienna Rose Milligan, Foxleigh Wood
Oisín Patrick Gough Kearns, Silverwood
Scarlett Margaret Astle, Beech Court
Sadie Colette Milligan-Lavery, Lough Rd
Lochlainn Nathan Leonard, Craigavon
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 & fifth Sunday of each month

INTERNATIONAL MASS
NEXT SUNDAY, 14 JUNE @ 12.00 NOON
We are very excited to tell you that we will be celebrating the International Mass again this year. Our wish, as before, is to celebrate the diversity of our community and the multinational congregation which we enjoy here in Lurgan. We invite everyone to join us and we would love if you have a national costume that you would wear it on the day. We will have representatives from many nationalities taking part in a procession at the start of Mass with Irish dancers leading the way.
We would like you to register your nationality if it is not Irish, and also to write the word 'Welcome' in your native language. There is a sheet at the back of the Church where you can do this.
Afterwards we will be serving light refreshments in the hall. It would be lovely to sample a biscuit or cake from your particular country, if that is possible. You can drop these off with us before Mass. We look forward to seeing you.

All Polish Masses between Sunday 5 July – Sunday 2 August will be held in SS Patrick & Ronan's Church, Magheralin

ANNUAL NATIONAL GRANDPARENTS PILGRIMAGE
Celebrating the world day for grandparents and the elderly. Sunday, 26th July 2026 Knock Shrine commencing at 2.30pm with the anointing of the sick a day of grace and blessing for the whole family as we honour grandparents and the elderly. All are welcome. Visit our website for resources: www.catholicgrandparentsassociation.org

SS PETER & PAUL CATHOLIC CHARISMATIC RENEWAL
Where two or three are gathered in my name, there I am among them.
Are you looking to grow in your faith
Understand the Bible
Be part of a welcoming Prayer Team
Build a new relationship with God
Then you are welcome to our **Bible Study**, 1st Thursday each month @ 7.00pm
Prayer Meeting, last Thursday each month @ 7.00pm
The Upper Room, Sacristy, St Peter's
For enquiries contact Fr Kingsley Parochial House 3834 9338

THE SISTERS OF MERCY RECENTLY MARKED 160 YEARS IN LURGAN.
God our Father, we thank you for the prayer and presence of the Sisters of Mercy among us. As they celebrate 160 years in our parishes, we ask you to bless them and all those whose lives they have touched.
Amen

LURGAN MUSICAL SOCIETY
Presents
A Summer Concert
Friday 12th June in Brownlow House
Tea/Coffee will be served at 7.00pm
concert starts 7.30pm in aid of Marie Curie. Ticket Outlets – J McConville, North St
SD Kells, Market Street
Print Business Supplies, Market St

PRAYER TO ST JOSEPH OF CUPERTINO FOR EXAMS
O Holy St Joseph of Cupertino who prayed at your exams to be asked only the questions you knew. Pray now that we too may be successful and in return, we promise to make your name known and loved.
O Holy St Joseph of Cupertino, pray for us.
During exam times candles, are available at the back of Church, for students, free of charge.

COMMUNITY OUTREACH GROUP
Are celebrating 20 years of COG - 17th June @ 7.30pm in Jethro Centre
Lurgan Ukuleles, Slovakian Youth Singers & special guests inc Rev Dr Maurice Elliot
Our focus past & present is on creating an environment where people step outside their usual circles.
A chance to meet our founders and learn about our history.
Past winners of pride of Craigavon. Tea/Chat & Q&A
All welcome

TRIDUUM to the SACRED HEART OF JESUS
You are warmly invited to participate in a Triduum to the Sacred Heart of Jesus, taking place from Wednesday 10 June to Friday 12 June at 7.00pm each evening in Newry Cathedral. This time of prayer, hosted by the Diocesan Pastoral Council, will be available to follow on www.facebook.com/dromorediocese or www.facebook.com/newrycathedral/

BETTER TOGETHER GROUP.
Our Tea Dance will take place on Sunday 7th June @ 3 pm in Brownlow community Hub. Come along and bring your friends. Live music and Refreshments. For more information call Michael Lavery 078 7605 7550.

Drumgor Detached Youth Work Project (DDYWP)
DDYWP are hosting a youth-led coffee afternoon next Saturday 13 June from 1:30pm - 3:30pm at North Lurgan Community Centre. All donations in aid of MacMillan. All Welcome!


NEW SUMMER TOURS 2026
Beautiful Bundoran
4-day tour.
Great Northern Hotel
3nts entertainment, local tours
28 June. £349 pp sharing
CARLOW
Please join us on a 5-day tour of Ireland's Ancient East.
Staying at the 4* Mount Wolseley Hotel, Spa & Golf Course.
2 nts entertainment, local tours every day. 17 – August. £529 pp sharing. Come along and have a great week's craic.
to book call Noel 079 5547 5650 or Gerard 3832 4741

The Diocese of Dromore Youth Com hosts its 5th Gathering of Young Adults 18 to 35 plus – June 11th in Dromantine, 6.30 pm for 7 pm start until 9.15 pm – Be part of something new, be adventurous, be the change you want to see - join other young adultsbring others, meet likeminded people, gather socially, share refreshments, gather formally for prayer, music, inspirational speaker and more. We welcome our young adults, leaders in sports clubs, youth clubs etc, parents and teachers.
youthdirector@dromorediocese.org

FOOD BANK REMINDER
The Food Bank currently needs Instant mash potato, jam, long-life milk, peanut butter, tinned fruit and tinned meat.
Any donations can be left at the back of St Peter's Church under the stairs leading up to the Choir.
Thank you for your support

THE GAELIC LEAGUE
Our annual Siul Fada (to raise funds) will take place on Saturday 13th June @ 10am around Craigavon lakes. Anyone interested can collect sponsorship forms from any of the members.
Go raibh maith agaibh.

DROMANTINE FAMILY FUN DAY
SUNDAY 14th JUNE 2026
1.00 pm – 5.30 pm
ATTRACTIONS
Grand Draw, Country & Western Music, Vintage Tractors, Gun Dog Display, Bouncy Castles, Obstacle Courses, Amusements, Stalls, Food, Refreshments and much more!
Admission-Donation £5 per car. Society of African Missions 96 Glen Road, Newry, BT34 1RH

St Peter's Parish now accepts ONLINE DONATIONS
Just scan the QR code with your phone camera to donate.

Or visit <https://donate.myдона.com/st-peters-parish-lurgan>
Scan the QR code. Enter your amount. Input your card details. Please do not forget to Gift Aid

RECENTLY DECEASED
Ann Jordan nee McConville, Wynnehill
Kieran Joseph McDowell, Kilwilke Gardens
Martin Smyth, Ennis Tarry
Margaret (Peggy) Lennon, Ashdene Park
Malachy Heaney, Lurgantarry

ANNIVERSARIES
Sunday 7th June
Sean Lennon, Victoria Street
Patricia McCann, Cherrytree Walk
Frank Withers, Levin Road

Monday 8th June
Marie Mallon (McCann), Drumnamoe Gardens
Michael J Owens, Francis Street
Mary Catherine Burns, Arthur Street
Eamon Mulholland, Derrymore
Jamie Murray, Carrigart Manor

Tuesday 9th June
Patrick (Paddy)Walsh, Beech Court
Brian Brady, Kilvoragh Park
Margaret Leonard, Grattan Street
Leo O'Hanlon, Innisfail Walk
Tommy McManus, Manchester/Laurence Square

Wednesday 10th June
Edward Mallon, North Circular Rd/Elmwood Tce
Una & Jim Thompson, Lurgan/New York
Adrian Kelly, Lavery Avenue

Thursday 11th June
Bertie & Annie Tipping, Lavery Avenue
Andy Agnew, Inglewood,
Jim Quinn, Rampart Street

Friday 12th June
Colette Rooney, Portland Manor
Patricia Quinn, Victoria Street
Brian Moore, Ardmore
Teresa Blaney, Monbrief Walk

Saturday 13th June
Jane Magee, Wenlock Terrace
Colm Breen Brownlow Terrace
Dermot McDowell, Garland Avenue
James Edward Neill, Manchester
Ann O'Neill, The Grange
Rose Canning, Allenhill Park
Fr Martin McAlinden, Ashwood
Fr John Byrne, Newry
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 £10.
As we have a booking system, anniversaries can be booked in advance until the end of the year.
Please use the anniversary envelopes at the back of the Church

Guided Tours of Newry Cathedral 2026
As we approach the two hundredth anniversary of the opening of the cathedral (2029), we are pleased to offer guided tours of the Cathedral
Wednesday 10th June at 6.45pm
Wednesday 24th June at 2.00pm
Wednesday 8th July at 6.45pm
Wednesday 22nd July at 2.00pm
Wednesday 5th August at 6.45pm
Wednesday 19th August at 2.00pm
Each tour lasts about 90 minutes. Meet at the Cathedral's main door on Hill Street.