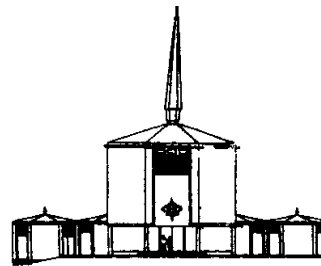


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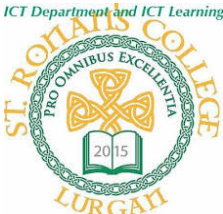


The Baptism of The Lord ~ 10 January 2016

Mgr Aidan Hamill PP
Fr. Conor McConville
Fr. Joseph Wozniak
Fr. Brian Fitzpatrick
Deacon Kevin Devine
Fr. Andrew McMahan

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E-mail address: office@stpaulsparishlurgan.org :: Fax: 38 322090
Parish Web Site: www.lurganparish.com
Safeguarding Children: Designated person for Dromore Diocese – Mrs Patricia Carville 07789917741
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MASS SCHEDULE
Saturday Vigil: 7 pm
Sunday:
9 am 10.30 am 12 noon
Monday - Saturday: 10 am
SACRAMENT OF RECONCILIATION
Saturday:
9.30 am - 9.50 am
& 6.30 pm - 6.50 pm
Eves of First Friday:
6.30 pm - 7.00 pm

OPEN NIGHT
St. Ronan's College, Lurgan
Wednesday, 13th January, on the KS3 site,
Waring Street.

Principal's address will be at 6.15 pm and 7 pm.
The evening will conclude at 9.30 pm, by which time parents will have had an ideal opportunity to experience the academic, pastoral, sporting and social provision of the school. Everyone welcome.

Pilgrimage To Fatima :: 5th August 2016
7 nights from Dublin, £684.
Tel: A. Gribben, 028 9267 0152 / E. O'Neill, 92 603401.
&
14th 21st July 2016, £599
Tel: Rita O'Neill, 90 623 186.

Pilgrimage to MEDJUGORJE
Sunday, 29th May, £519 stg
7 nights fb, departing Belfast. Hotel, Wojtyla, £80 deposit secures a place. Tel: Marguerite, 078 431 92 431 or Kathy, 077 3434 5181.

Lourdes 2016 :: 17th – 22nd May, £550
To book contact the parish office.

Walking Tour of Tuscany, Assisi & Rome (100 km)
22-29 May, '16
7 nights with breakfast & dinner. Flying Dublin, £899, seats limited. Tel: Jean, 028 4483 0979
jeanreynolds@hotmail.co.uk

OFFERTORY COLLECTIONS
27/12/2015 :: £2,036
3/1/2016 :: £1,993
Thank you.

St. Vincent de Paul
Ozanam Centre, William Street
Opening Hours: (Shop & Office)
Monday – Friday,
10 am – 1 pm :: 2 pm – 4 pm
Closed for lunch, 1 pm – 2 pm.
Saturday, (shop only)
10 am- 12 noon
Office: Tel: 38 325725, ext. 3
Shop: Tel: 3832 5725, ext 2.

AL-ANON & ALATEEN
Hope for Family & Friends Of Problem Drinkers
Al-Non Information Centre
Peace House, 224 Lisburn Road
Belfast, BT9 6GE
02890 682368
www.al-anonuk.org.uk

Action On Hearing Loss
Wednesday, 27 January,
10 am – 12 noon, in Lurgan Library.
Tel: 074 2343 8336.

Community Outreach Group
are sponsoring the following programmes:
Wednesday, 13th January
Planting the Seeds of Revolution – Plantation of Ulster, & 1641 Rebellion, by Dr. C. McManus (QUB) in St. Peter's Parish Centre, North Street, Lurgan at 8 pm.
Wednesday, 20th January
1916 – One Hundred Years On
New play by Philip Orr, historian, broadcaster, peace-worker.
Sponsored by Centre for Contemporary Christianity at Jethro Centre, Flush Place, Lurgan at 8 pm.
All are welcome – light refreshments served.

CONCERN WORLDWIDE
committee would like to thank all those who helped or contributed in any way to their Street Collection.
The total raised was £1,333.24.

Jumble Sale
Shankill Parish Church Women's Guild
Cash in the Attic Sale
Saturday, 23rd January
entry £1, Parochial Hall, Church Walk
10 am – 12 noon, tea/coffee/tray bakes will also be on sale during the morning.
Donations required on:
Friday, 22nd Jan., 7pm – 9 pm.
Everyone welcome.

Adult STEP DANCE Classes
(Old Style Step Dance of Ireland)

New term, new routine starts
13th January, beginners, 7-8 pm,
improvers, 8-9 pm in
Lurgan Town Hall.

Tel: 38 345 522
www.annetecollins.com

Irish Language Intensive Course Athletic Grounds, Armagh

Saturday, 23rd January, 11 am – 4 pm

Cost: £10, includes lunch.

Info: sean@cairdeteo.com
028 3751 5229.

Action on Elder Abuse – N.I.
www.elderabuse.org/northernisland

Freephone helpline 08 08 08 8141
Monday to Friday, 9 am – 5 pm.

The Children's Liturgy Mass
on Sundays at 10.30 am is looking for children (P5 – P7) to join in with a new choir.



Accompanied by Pat McAlinden the children will lead the congregation in song throughout the Mass. If interested, children are invited to please come along at 10.15 am on Sunday mornings.

This is a new choir so now is a great time to join in and everyone learn together.

GAMBLERS ANONYMOUS
Are you, or someone close to you, affected by compulsive gambling? Is compulsive gambling ruining your life?
If so, then:

Tel: 077 685 065 54 (Pat)
077 838 248 32 (Paul)
(All calls strictly confidential)

If God Went On Strike

It's just a good thing God above has never gone on strike because He wasn't treated fair or for things He didn't like. If He had ever once sat down and said, "That's it I'm through; I've had enough of those on earth so this is what I'll do."

"I'll give my orders to the sun-cut off your heat supply and to the moon – give no more light and run the oceans dry. Then just to make it really tough and put the pressure on I'll turn off air and oxygen till every breath is gone."

Do you know He'd be justified if fairness was the game for no one has been more abused and treated with disdain than God – and yet He carries on supplying you and me with all the favours of His grace and everything for free.

Men say they want a better deal and so on strike they go, but what a deal we've given God for everything we owe. We don't care who we hurt or harm to gain the things we like but what a mess we'd all be in if God would go on strike.

Lurgan Library
Your Health is Your Wealth
Monday, 25th Jan., 11 am – 3 pm
FREE Health Checks, 38 32 3912.
Also
An evening with Alex Barclay
Tuesday, 19th Jan., 6.45 pm.
Booking advisable, tel. above.

"Each of us may be sure that, if God sends us over rocky paths, He will provide us with sturdy shoes. He will never send us on any journey without equipping us well."

FRIDAY 15 JANUARY
James McCarron (Snr) Shankill Street, Eithne Lewsley, Francis Street, Patrick McCrory, Cafolla Gardens.
SATURDAY 16 JANUARY
Anita Inglis, Silverwood Leaves, James McEvoy, Parkview Street.

RECENTLY DECEASED
Jim Conlon, Tipperary/Dollingstown
Michael McConville, Allengrove,
Margaret O'Hara, Portadown,
Kevin Magee, Craigavon,
James Bernard McConville, Bleary,
Henry (Harry) McDonald, Bradford/Garland Avenue,
Elizabeth Sinclair, Derrymacash,
Eileen Tennyson, Craigavon,
Maureen O'Neill, Ailsbury Gardens,
Fergus Lennon, Shore Road,
Pat Coleman, Lough Road,
John Grogan, Belfast,
Gary Lavery, Manchester/Antrim Road,
Brian Cunningham, Mullivally.

ANNIVERSARIES
SUNDAY 10 JANUARY
Vigil
Hugh Burns, Ashwood,
Alice McCorry, Edward Street,
Evelyn McCorry, Parkview Street,
Charles & Elizabeth Thornbury, Brown Street,
Eileen Moore, Thornleigh,
Daniel McDonald, Arthur Street.

9 am
Annie Haddock, Sloan Street,
Kitty Lavery, Hawthorne Avenue,
Edith Marsden, Francis Street,
Kieran Crossey, Dingwell Park,
Ann O'Hanlon, Innisfail Walk,

10.30
Francis Breen, Hillcrest.

12 noon
Joan McCann, Ulster Street,
William & Mary O'Neill, Bleary,
Gerald Doran, Monbrief Walk.

MONDAY 11 JANUARY
William James Magee, Oakfield Terrace.

TUESDAY 12 JANUARY
John McAleese, Turmoyna,
Kathleen Milne, Cypress Gardens,
Annie McKenna, Edward Street,
Eileen Geary, Clara Street,
David & Mary Clarke, Garrymore.

WEDNESDAY 13 JANUARY
Elizabeth Maxwell, Manor Drive, M.M.
Jacqueline McGeown, Derrymacash,
Peggy McErlean, Belfast,
Theresa Headley, Lough Road,
Joseph Corey, Ashdene Park.

THURSDAY 14 JANUARY
Lily & Pat Haughian, Silverwood Drive,
Kathleen Creaney, Beech Court,
Mary & Seamus Lennon, Francis Street,
Joe Gaskin, (Jnr) Dingwell Park,
Frank Martin, Filbin Crescent,
James Carville, Wesley Place.