

SAINT PAUL'S PARISH, SHANKILL

(Saint Ronan's Pastoral Area)

OUR PARISH BULLETIN

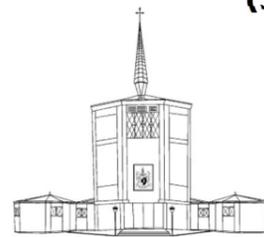
We extend a warm welcome to all who attend our church. We hope you will find our parish community a place where your life of faith will be nourished. Your prayers, your presence and your talents are most welcome! May God bless all of us.

OUR PARISH CLERGY

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SUNDAY 17th SEPTEMBER 2023
24th SUNDAY
IN ORDINARY TIME



ST PAUL'S PARISH MASS SCHEDULE

Sunday

Vigil 7:00pm (Saturday)
9:00am and 10:30am.

Weekdays

Monday to Friday: 10:00am
Saturday 10.30am

Saint Paul's Parish Office

Parish Secretary
Telephone: (028) 3832 1289
Email:

stpaulsparishlurgan@dromorediocese.org

Office Hours

Monday to Friday 9.00am to 12.30pm

Requests for Anniversaries/Month's Mind

Notices should be left into the Parish Office on or before 12 noon each Wednesday of the week before if they are to be included in the Bulletin.



ADORATION CHAPEL EDWARD STREET

Adoration
9.00am to 9.00pm
each day

A WARM WELCOME BACK TO ST PAUL'S FAMILY MASS AND THE JUNIOR CHOIR TODAY AT 10.30 AM

The Children participate in the Mass by doing the readings or the prayers of the faithful and taking part in the offertory procession.

If your child who would like to help or take part please contact Ita after the 10.30am Mass

Do you love to sing, learn new skills and make new friends? Then joining the choir may be for you. There is no audition to join and we are open to everyone aged 8 - 18 years old (Primary 4 - Year 14).

No experience is required, just a love of singing and willingness to learn new hymns and music as part of the team.

Contact Pat McAlinden - Choir Director

If anyone would like to volunteer, your help would be greatly appreciated.

Please contact Pat after 10.30am Mass for further information.

24-HOUR NUMBER FOR ALL SICK CALLS AND EMERGENCIES

TEL: (028) 3832 3161

Parish web: www.lurganparish.com
Facebook: @lurganparish
Parish App: Parish365

Download App Store or Google Play

Saint Vincent de Paul, William Street:
(028) 3832 5725

SAFEGUARDING CHILDREN AND ADULTS WHO REQUIRE PROTECTION:
Dromore Diocesan Designated Liaison Person
Mrs Patricia Carville. Tel. 077 8991 7741

Saint Paul's Parish Safeguarding Representative and Parish Sacristan.
Telephone: 07563 293429



BAPTISMS

With great joy and thanksgiving we welcome the following child into our parish community who was baptized recently in St Paul's.

*Lola Trisha Bridget Lagan
Penny Joyce McIlvenny
Daisy Anne Fitzpatrick*

All parents wishing to have a child baptized in St Paul's Parish, must contact the Parish Office by telephone: (028) 3832 1289.

One month's notice is required. Baptisms take place on the second and fourth Sunday of each month.

THE NEXT YOUTH 2000 ULSTER

RETREAT will be taking place in the beautiful and tranquil surroundings of Lough Derg, Co Donegal between 29th September to 1st October. This retreat is for anyone aged 16-35.

Great CRAIC!!, Excellent Speakers, Inspiring Talks and Workshops, Fantastic music, Group activities, Youth Masses, Adoration, Reconciliation, prayer, Drama, Games and plenty of time to chill out, meet new people and find out what it means to be young and Catholic today!!

The retreat is donation only however if you are staying over there is a cost £35/€40 which goes to Lough Derg. Register now on www.youth2000.ie

MOYRAVERTY 50+ TEA DANCE

St Anthony's Parish Centre
Thursday 21 September at 8pm
Music by Mons Wheeler
raffle and prizes,

Admission £4 including light supper.
Old and new members welcome.

THE TOTUS TUUS MEN FOR CHRIST CONFERENCE 2023

A Catholic Conference for Men will be LIVE AND EXCLUSIVE on Radio Maria Ireland

Saturday 16th September from 2pm.
Speakers for this year's Conference are Fr. Billy Swan, Fr. Chris Hayden, Anthony Crossey and Fr. John Harris OP

PENITENTIAL SERVICE

A Penitential Service (Sacrament of Reconciliation) with Exposition of the Blessed Sacrament will take place in Saint Paul's Church on

Sunday 24th September 2023 from 3.00pm until 4.30pm

A number of priests will be in attendance.

Please come along and join with us!

THE RELIC OF BLESSED CARLO ACUTIS WILL VISIT THE CATHEDRAL OF SAINT PATRICK AND SAINT COLMAN, NEWRY ON THIS SUNDAY 17th SEPTEMBER

The relic will arrive at 12 noon and will leave after the 5.30pm Mass.

Archbishop Domenico Sorrentino, Monsignor Anthony Figueiredo and Sister Alessandra Rusca will celebrate the Mass at 12 noon.

After the 12 noon Mass Monsignor Figueiredo will give a talk on Blessed Carlo Acutis.

Archbishop Eamon Martin will celebrate the 5.30pm Mass.

Carlo died on 12th October 2006, aged 15. He was buried in the Basilica of St. Francis of Assisi, Assisi, Italy.

He was beatified on the 10th of October 2020, two days before the 14th Anniversary of his death.

OUR SEMINARIANS (DIOCESAN STUDENTS FOR THE PRIESTHOOD),

like many students, are beginning a new year in formation and training. Both Anthony Moffett (parish of Dromore) and Philip McParland (parish of Newry) attend St Patrick's seminary in Maynooth and have returned for the new academic year.

Please keep them in your prayers that God will guide them in their discernment. We continue our prayers too for further vocations to diocesan priesthood, that those with a desire to serve the people of God will hear and answer the Good Shepherd's gentle call with faith and courage.

If you are considering priesthood and would like to discuss it further, please contact our vocations director, Fr Brian Fitzpatrick on 028 3834 1901 or pp.moyraverty.seagoie@gmail.com

ARCHBISHOP EAMON MARTIN HAS ANNOUNCED CLERGY CHANGES IN APPOINTMENTS FOR OUR DIOCESE, EFFECTIVE 1 OCTOBER 2023

Very Rev Brendan Kearns, Parish Priest St. Peter's Parish Clonallon, Warrenpoint and St Mary's Parish Clonallon, Burren to continue leave of absence on medical grounds.

Rt Rev Mgr Hugh Connolly, Parish Priest of St. Patrick's Clonallon, Mayobridge to also be Parish Priest of St. Peter's Clonallon, Warrenpoint and St. Mary's Clonallon, Burren.

Rev Eusebius Chukwuemeka Obasi, (MSP), to be CC in the parishes of St. Peter's Parish Clonallon, Warrenpoint, St. Mary's Parish Clonallon Burren and St. Patrick's Parish Clonallon Mayobridge.

Rev Maciej Zacharek, CC (Archdiocese of Armagh) to be on loan as CC in St. Peter's Parish and St. Paul's Parish, Lurgan.

Rev. Colm Murphy, CC St. Anthony's Moyraverty and Seagoie Parish in addition to be Diocesan Advisor Religious Education to Post Primary Schools.

Rev Callum Young CC Cathedral Parish of Newry and Saval Parish to return to the Archdiocese of Armagh.

Rev Carlos Esteban Rojo, newly ordained (Archdiocese of Armagh) to be on loan as CC in Cathedral Parish Newry and Saval Parish and a member of chaplaincy and on call teams at Daisy Hill Hospital, Newry.

Rev Deacon Michael Rooney, Seapatrick Parish to be a member of the chaplaincy team at Craigavon Hospital.

PLEASE KEEP THEM IN YOUR PRAYERS

WALK WITH SINGER-SONGWRITER DANA

in the footsteps of St Patrick with pilgrim guides Martina Purdy and Elaine Kelly on Saturday 23rd September 2023. Dana has just written a new song 'Light the Fire for St Patrick'.

Begin the six-mile Camino adventure at the Saint Patrick Centre, Downpatrick with IMAX film about St Patrick, take guided river walk to ruins of 12th Century Inch Abbey, and then journey to Saul to visit the site of Patrick's first church and his grave, Down Cathedral.

Bus transfers, pilgrim passport and lunch included is £45.

To Book a place on the Pilgrim Walk contact:

The Saint Patrick Centre 028 4461 9000 www.saintpatrickcentre.com

FOOD BANK - The door to the parish office area will be open daily from 9am until 12 Noon Monday to Friday for non-perishable food and essential non-food items such as toiletries and hygiene products to be dropped off.



REMEMBER THEM, O LORD

As parishioners we offer our sincere sympathy, prayers and support to the family members of those who have died recently:

RECENTLY DECEASED

Hyacinth Murtagh, Gosselin Park
Mary Hughes (née McAvoy) Westwood
Martin Haughian, Rectory Park
Sister Mary Perpetua McCann
Convent of Mercy, Edward Street

MONTHS MINDS AND ANNIVERSARIES

SATURDAY 16 SEPTEMBER 10.30 MASS

Brendan McEvoy (MM), Parkview Street

Joseph McGivern, Cafolla Gardens

Ursula Harte (née Marsden), The Grange

John Joe Furphy, Silverwood Drive

SATURDAY 16 SEPTEMBER 7.00PM VIGIL MASS

No Anniversaries

SUNDAY 17 SEPTEMBER 9.00AM

Mary McDonald, Arthur Street

SUNDAY 17 SEPTEMBER 10.30AM MASS

Sinead Barrett, Francis Street

Dermott Green, Ashwood

Anne Marie McCavigan, Ashwood

MONDAY 18 SEPTEMBER 10.00AM

Sarah (Ciss) Cafolla, Francis Street

Charles McCorry, Francis Street

TUESDAY 19 SEPTEMBER 10.00AM

Ann O'Neill, Ashwood

Patricia (Pat) Doran, Lurgantarry

WEDNESDAY 20 SEPTEMBER 10.00AM

Bridie Haddock, Shankill Street

William John Mulholland, Derrymore

Andrew Loughran, Shankill Street

Alice McGready, Boconnell Lane

THURSDAY 21 SEPTEMBER 10.00AM

Mary Breen (MM)

Taghnevan Drive/Tannaghmore North

FRIDAY 22 SEPTEMBER 10.00AM

Maurice McStay, Francis Street

Kevin Cassidy

Valention (Joey) Cafolla, Parkview Street

SATURDAY 23 SEPTEMBER 10.30AM

Mary Muirhead, Oakridge

SATURDAY 23 SEPTEMBER 7.00pm VIGIL MASS

Bernadette O'Hagan (MM), Elmwood Terrace

Elizabeth (Lily) Toal, Old Portadown Road

Bernadette Snyder (née McAtasney)

Florida/Silverwood Drive

Jim McCann, Portland Manor

ETERNAL REST GRANT UNTO THEM, O LORD,

MAY THEY REST IN PEACE. AMEN

THE COMMUNITY OUTREACH GROUP

invites you to a presentation by Dooley Harte from the local trade council, on The Lion of Lurgan - Jim Haughey - his life story. This event will be held in the Jethro Centre on Wednesday, 20 September at 8:00 pm. All are welcome, bring a friend. Light refreshments will be served.

GAELIC LEAGUE

A representative from Kevin Bell repatriation group will give a lecture on Thursday 28th September at 7.30pm in the Gaelic League Premises, North Street to talk about the work of the group.