SAINT PAUL'S PARISH, SHANKILL



SUNDAY 23 APRIL 2023

THIRD SUNDAY OF EASTER

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.

OUR PARISH CLERGY

Canon Liam Stevenson, PP VF Telephone: (028) 38323161 Fr Jozef Wozniak, S.Chr Telephone: (028) 3834 9338 66-70 North Street Lurgan BT67 9AH

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Our Parish Deacon: Rev Kevin Devine (028) 3832 3161



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 7.00PM daily All Welcome

SYMPATHY, MASS BOUQUET AND MASS FOR YOUR INTENTION CARDS

Due to enquires a range of unsigned 'Sympathy, Mass Bouquets and A Mass for your Intentions Cards' are now available from the Parish Office/Sacristy.



BOXES

TROCAIRE

Please return your Family Fast Boxes to the Parish Office/Sacristv after the Easter holidays. If possible, could coins be bagged. Thank you

ST PETER'S PARISH MASS SCHEDULE

Sunday Vigil 6:00pm (Saturday) 8:00am, 10:00am (po polsku) and 12 Noon

Weekdays Monday to Saturday 8.00am Tuesday and Friday 7.00pm Saturday 9.30am

Saint Peter's Parish Office Parish Secretary

(028) 3832 3161 stpetersparishlurgan@dromorediocese.org

Office Hours **Monday** 10:00am – 1:00pm and 1:45pm –4.00pm Tuesday-Thursday 9.00am - 1.00pm and 1:45pm - 4.00 pm Friday 9.00am-1.00pm and 1:30pm -2:30pm

THE COMMUNITY OUTREACH GROUP

SPONSORS - a talk on Wednesday, April 26 at 8pm in the Jethro Centre. The theme is: How Petals of Hope Wove A Path Home the Impact of the Omagh Bombing on the Community, revisited 15 years and 20 years after the tragedy. The speaker is Carol Kane, Community Relations Officer working in the Jethro Centre. This could impact the community of any town which suffered severe violence, death and destruction. Please come and bring a friend with you.

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. We are indebted to our volunteers and to everyone who has donated items to us.

OFFERTORY COLLECTIONS Sunday 16th April 2023 £2,805.17

Thank you for your continued generosity and support to your Parish and your Priests.

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



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.

FEAST DAYS DURING THE WEEK

Monday 24th April - St Fidelis of Sigmaringen, Priest and Martyr A Capuchin who preaches to the Calvinists in Switzerland, where he was killed by a group of extremists.

Tuesday 25th April - St Mark, Evangelist He was closely connected with the preaching of Saints Peter. Paul and Barnabas. His Gospel was probably written at Rome when he was with Paul and is traditionally viewed as representing St peter's approach to the preaching of the good news.

Thursday 27th April - St Asicus, Bishop The Ethiopian official was humble enough to ask to have the scriptures explained to him. Philip's opening up of the word of God brough the man to faith and baptism. We to also ought to search the scriptures daily. Friday 28th April - St Peter Chanel is honoured as the first martyr of the Church in Oceania

Saturday 29th April - St Catherine of Siena. Humble and dauntless who brough peace to her native Siena to Italy and fourteenth century Europe.



High Street Methodist Church Thursday 27th April 1-4pm & 5-8pm Friday 28th April 12.30pm -4pm & 5-7pm

To book an appointment please call: 08085 534 653



'DARKNESS INTO LIGHT 2023'

will take place on Saturday 6th May. It's time to sign up for the most important sunrise of the year. Everyone is welcome!

You can take part in Darkness Into Light in many ways, by joining an official walk, taking part your own way with friends, family and colleagues or taking on a DIL challenge. To learn more about ways to take part, www.darknessintolight.ie/

Darkness Into Light is about communities coming together across Ireland and the world to raise vital funds for Pieta's partner charities. We want to send a global message of hope to people impacted by suicide and self-harm.

However you decide to take part in Darkness Into Light this year, you can make a huge difference.

You can help to provide hope.

So, please sign up today and join us to spread hope to thousands of people across the world. https://www.darknessintolight.je/sign-up

Thank you for everything you've done so far and all you continue to do.

PS - If you cannot take part in Darkness Into Light this year but would like to donate to Pieta, you can do by clicking below or calling +353 1 541 4746. We appreciate every donation to Pieta, large or small.

Thank you.

THE DROMORE DIOCESAN PILGRIMAGE TO LOURDES

will take place from 17 May - 22 May 2023. The cost is £750.00 per person. This includes general insurance cover (to include Covid 19), transport to/from airports, full board accommodation, a programme of ceremonies in Lourdes, assistance of travel agent representatives in Lourdes. (Further details available on booking form)

Unfortunately, due to the pandemic we will not be using the hospital accommodation (Accueil) in Lourdes and will therefore be unable to support an assisted section in 2023. This means we will not have support from doctors, nurses, and volunteers as we had pre pandemic. There is only 1 aircraft (189 seats), and bookings will be accepted on first come basis. This means a properly completed booking form and deposit (£150, non-refundable) must be submitted to secure booking.

If you are interested in travelling to Lourdes as a pilgrim in May 2023, please contact Enda Brady on 079 1871 7167 as soon as possible to book

SAVE THE DATE

Saturday 3rd June 2023 Dromore Diocesan Pilgrimage to Knock.

Coffee morning, sale and raffle.

Sunday 30th April 10am - 1.30pm

St Peter's Parish Hall

Everyone welcome

LURGAN HOLY SPIRIT PRAYER GROUP

Resuming Thursday 20th and every Thursday at 7.30pm in St Peter's Parish Hall. All welcome

CHESTER SUMMER TOUR Sunday 13th August 2023 5 nights Dinner, B&B at The Leonardo Hotel £549

GLENEAGLES

Monday 20th November 2023 4 nights Dinner, B&B Entertainment daily £389.

Contact Noel: 079 5547 5650 Gerard: (028) 3832 4741

More details to follow SOUTHERN AREA HOSPICE



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 Damien (Dee) Harte, Bridge Street Damien (Dee) Donnelly, Mark Court Angela Catney née Smyth, Wellington Street Ivan deDios Tellez, Columbia Angela Skelton, Loughview Terrace/Chicago

MONTHS MINDS AND ANNIVERSARIES

SATURDAY 22 APRIL VIGIL MASS 7.00PM No Anniversaries

> SUNDAY 23 APRIL 9.00AM MASS Shaun Creanev, Edward Street Edna Ravelo, Philippines

SUNDAY 23 APRIL 10.30AM MASS Alice Thornbury, Thornleigh Madge O'Hagan, Oakfield Terrace/Brown Street Joe O'Hagan, Elmwood Terrace Arthur Gentle, William Street

MONDAY 24 APRIL 10.00AM Winifred Harte, Desmond Avenue Geraldine Leathem, Portadown Road Jean Lyons, Oakfield Terrae Ann Corry, The Grange William and Tony Magill, Richmount Gardens David McKerr, Avondale Green Edel Breen, Derrylodge Manor Kitty Mulholland, Arthur Street

TUESDAY 25 APRIL 10.00AM Edward McAlinden, The Palms, Ballinary Paula Donaghy, Glenholme Avenue Elizabeth (Lily) Long, Killough Gardens

WEDNESDAY 26 APRIL 10.00AM Mary Thornbury, Rampart Street William John Thornbury, Rampart Street Roisin McQuillan, Collingdale Martin Dummigan, Garland Heights Mena and Danny McAlinden The Rosses, Portadown Road John McAreavey, Innis Close

THURSDAY 27 APRIL 10.00AM Fiona Whitla (MM), Charles Street Paul Headley, Killough Gardens/Lurgan Tarry

FRIDAY 28 APRIL 10.00AM Pauline Millar (MM), Waringstown Hugh News, Woodville Avenue Seamus Lavery, Lavery Avenue Tony Moore, Lakeview Park

SATURDAY 29 APRIL 10.30AM No Anniversaries

SATURDAY 29 APRIL 7.00PM VIGIL MASS Virginia King, Downshire Avenue

ETERNAL REST GRANT UNTO THEM O, LORD

PRAYER FOR DECEASED RELATIVES AND FRIENDS

Almighty Father, source of forgiveness and salvation, grant that our relatives and friends who have passed from this life may, through the intercession of the Blessed Virgin Mary and of all the saints, come to share your Eternal happiness through Christ Our Lord, Amen!