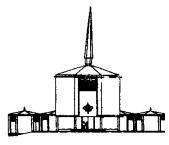
St. Paul's Parish, Shankill

# Bulletin



16<sup>th</sup> Sunday in Ordinary Time ~ 23 July 2017

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#### **MASS SCHEDULE**

Monday - Friday: 10 am Saturday: 10.30 am

Saturday Vigil: 7 pm

Sunday:

9 am 10.30 am 12 noon

## **CONFESSIONS**

First Thursday of the Month:

6.15 pm - 6.50 pm

#### Saturday:

11 am – 11.30 am & 6.15 pm - 6.50 pm

#### 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.

#### St. Patrick's, Derrymacash

Our Lady of Fatima Family Rosary Devotion, 7 pm

Sunday, 13<sup>th</sup> August/ Wednesday, 13<sup>th</sup> September/Friday, 13<sup>th</sup> October

#### Offertory Collections

**9/7/2017** £2.018

**16/7/2017** £1,924.

Thank You.

# Knock

National Novena to Our Lady of Knock 14<sup>th</sup> – 22<sup>nd</sup> August

The theme for this year's National Novena is 'Living Life to the Full'.

Ceremonies take place twice daily at 3 pm & 8.30 pm.

Sundays & Holy Days, 2.30 pm and workshops at 12 noon & 6 pm.

Stay with us at Knock House, only a short 5 minute walk to the Basilica where you can attend the ceremonies.

T: 00353(0)94 9388088 E: info@knockhousehotel.ie

# The World Meeting of Families (WMOF) will take place in Dublin on 21-26 August 2018.

The national launch of the event will take place in Knock on 21<sup>st</sup> August this year at the 3.00 pm Mass. Dioceses have been invited to nominate a family that would represent it at the ceremonies (not necessarily in a speaking role). The family could be a wide extended family, with grandparents, parents and children. If you would like your family to attend the Mass in Knock on 21<sup>st</sup> August as the diocesan representatives, please contact the diocesan office by email at bishop@dromorediocese.org outlining the family group you wish to bring. The family will be chosen in early August.

#### **The Annual Church Gate Collection**

(Saturday/Sunday, 5<sup>th</sup> / 6<sup>th</sup> August) for the Irish Language will be taken up after all Masses this weekend.

Please give generously.

#### It's In The Valley I Grow



Sometimes life seems hard to bear, Full of sorrow, trouble and woe It's then I have to remember That It's in the valleys I grow.

If I always stayed on the mountain top And never experienced pain I would never appreciate God's love And would be living in vain.

I have so much to learn And my growth is very slow, Sometimes I need the mountain tops, But it's in the valleys I grow.

I do not always understand Why things happen as they do, But I am very sure of one thing. My Lord will see me through.

My little valleys are nothing When I picture Christ on the cross He went through the valley of death; His victory was Satan's loss.

Forgive me Lord, for complaining When I'm feeling so very low. Just give me a gentle reminder That it's in the valleys I grow.

Continue to strengthen me, Lord And use my life each day To share your love with others And help them find their way.

Thank you for valleys, Lord For this one thing I know The mountain tops are glorious But it's in the valleys I grow!!!

Have a blessed day!

#### **Parish Summer Scheme**

Monday 7th - Friday 11th August

St. Paul's & St. Peter's are offering a Summer Scheme to children in our parishes aged 6 to 11 years old. Our theme will be 'Fun, Faith and Friendship', and will take place in St. Peter's Parish Hall.

Places limited to 40 children. Cost: £20, family rates available.

Further information will be available on 23<sup>rd</sup> July, registration will open on Monday, 24<sup>th</sup> July.

#### Legion of Mary Knock Pilgrimage

Sunday, 24<sup>th</sup> September, £20.

Bring packed lunch. Bus leaves St. Paul's, 7.45 am.

Tel: Michael, 07876057550 Mary, 07840985576 Colette, 07470198180.

#### Youth 2000 Summer Festival

Cistercian College, Roscrea, Co. Tipperary Thursday 17<sup>th</sup> – Sunday 20<sup>th</sup> August

For young people aged 16-35, an opportunity not to be missed to experience the Catholic faith and meet many new people, with over 1400 young people from all corners of Ireland attending last year. The festival is donation only.

Free buses travelling from all around Ireland. Tel: 01 675 3690, <a href="https://www.youth2000.ie">www.youth2000.ie</a>

# Lough Derg Monday, 28th August, £49.

Taking names, contact parish office. Weekly payments now available.

## **Humour Corner**



## Blonde On The Sun

A Russian, an American, and a Blonde were talking one day. The Russian said, 'We were the first in space!'

The American said, 'We were the first on the moon!'

The Blonde said,

'So what? We're going to be the first on the sun!'
The Russian and the American looked at each
other and shook their heads.

'You can't land on the sun, you idiot! You'll burn up!' said the Russian. To which the Blonde replied, 'We're not stupid, you know.

We're going at night!'

#### <u>Dromore</u> Diocesan Pastoral Council

On Friday, 23<sup>rd</sup> June the first meeting of the Dromore Diocesan Pastoral Council took place. This Council, which is made up of lay men and women, religious and priests of the diocese, will reflect on the current state of personnel and organisation of the parishes of our diocese and will produce a Diocesan Development Plan.

If you have ideas about how the diocese can be renewed or if you have experience that might contribute to this process of reflection, please talk to your own priest or contact the diocesan office at Bishop's House, 44 Armagh Road, Newry BT35 6PN or bishop@dromorediocese.org.

I would ask you to keep the work of the Council in your thoughts and prayers. (Bishop) John McAreavey

#### 2017 Guided Tours of Newry Cathedral

16<sup>th</sup> August, 2 pm / 31<sup>st</sup> August, 7 pm. *No charge for these tours.* 

#### Fr. Martin McAlinden



A Tribute Booklet of 14 poems, to mark the posthumous conferring of Martin's Doctorate, by the University of Chester at Drumalis, June 2017.

Cost, £2, all proceeds to charity.

# Living With Cancer? We'll help you get active.

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Taking part in physical activity during and after cancer treatment can play a huge part in enabling you to take back control.

> Tel: 07711756836. movemore@armagh banbridgecraigavon.gov.uk

#### Lurgan Town Hall

Adult Step Dance Classes
Old Style Step Dance of Ireland
www.annettecollins.com
Tel: 077887 30429.



#### RECENTLY DECEASED

Peggy Curran, Drumlin Drive.

# ANNIVERSARIES SUNDAY 23 JULY

#### Vigil

Clare Doyle, Downshire Avenue, Christine Finnegan, Dingwell Park, Frances Lavery, Bernie Connolly, Monbrief Walk.

#### <u>9 am</u>

Roy Haughey, Shankill Street, Eithna Laverty, M.M.

#### 10.30 am

Sarah Doran, Taghnevan Close.

#### <u>12 noon</u>

Joe Shanks, New Street, Phyllis Martin, Prospect Way, Dympna Corey, Albert Avenue.

#### MONDAY 24 JULY

Marie McCafferty, Lavery Avenue, Richard Grey, London, Freddie Gentle, William Street, Barry Shanks, Brookvale Walk, Seamus Mulholland, Gawleys Gate.

#### TUESDAY 25 JULY

Joseph & Margaret Ann Brady, Shore Road, Jean Thornbury, Francis Street, Stirling Headley, Springwell Gardens, Denis Daly, Dublin.

## WEDNESDAY 26 JULY

Eilish Greene, Ballinary, Jimmy Moore, Killough Gardens, Margaret McDonald, Hill Street.

#### THURSDAY 27 JULY

Isabella Jordan, Cypress Gardens, Etta McGibbon, Monbrief Walk, Elizabeth Toland, Thornleigh, Hugh O'Hanlon, Cypress Gardens, Mary & James Towe, Shankill Street Place.

## FRIDAY 28 JULY

Brian McKinstry, Hawthorne Avenue, Agnes Conway, Hawthorne Avenue, Eileen Martin, Silverwood Leaves, M.M.

#### SATURDAY 29 JULY

Sarah Doran, Taghnevan Close, Patsy Devlin, Ardmore, Henry Finnegan, Antrim Road.