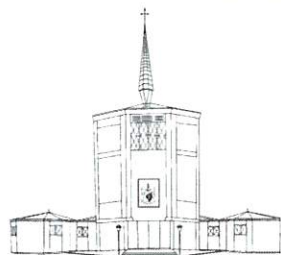


SAINT PAUL'S PARISH, SHANKIL

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.

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SUNDAY 25 MAY 2025
6th SUNDAY OF EASTER



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
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Office Hours

Monday to Friday 9.00am to 12.30pm

Requests for Anniversaries/Month's Mind

**PLEASE HAVE ANNIVERSARIES IN
THE PARISH OFFICE BY 12 NOON**

**EACH WEDNESDAY of the week
before if you want them included in
the Bulletin**

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



Or visit

<https://donate.mydona.com/st-pauls-parish-lurgan>

Scan the QR code. Enter your amount.
Input your card details. Please do not
forget to Gift Aid

LURGAN LOURDES FUNDRAISING COMMITTEE THERE WILL BE A CHURCH GATE COLLECTION

After all Masses weekend of
31st May/1st June
Thank you for your continued support



ST PETER'S PARISH MASS SCHEDULE Sunday

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

Weekdays

Monday to Friday: 8:00am
Tuesday: and Friday 7:00pm
Saturday 9.30am

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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

ST POPE PAUL VI MEMORIAL 29 MAY

Known for his deep spirituality and commitment to modernizing the Church while maintaining its traditions. His teaching continue to inspire many, particularly his emphasis on social justice, human dignity, and the importance of faith in the modern world.

On Peace - 'If you want peace, work for justice'.

This quote emphasizes the connection between justice and last peace, a theme he often highlighted during his papacy.

On Evangelisation - 'Modern man listens more willing to witnesses than to teachers and if he does listen to teachers it is because they are witnesses'.

On Hope - 'The Church is alive and the Church is young she holds within herself the future of the world and therefore shows each of us the way towards the future'.
A reminder of the Church's enduring vitality and hope for the future

On Suffering - 'Suffering is somehow the inheritance of those who strive for the highest and most noble goals.'

**24-HOUR NUMBER FOR ALL
SICK CALLS AND
EMERGENCIES**
TEL: (028) 3832 3161
TEL: (028) 38321289

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
Mr Stephen Sherry: 07301246329
safeguardingdirector@dromorediocese.org

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

JUBILEE YEAR OF HOPE EVENTS CALENDAR 2025 IN THE CATHEDRAL OF ST PATRICK AND ST COLMAN

The parishioners of all parishes of the Diocese are welcome to attend the various celebrations. As the Cathedral is the Church in the Dromore Diocese set aside by the Archbishop to gain a Plenary Indulgence, everyone is welcome to join in various celebrations.

22nd June: Corpus Christi

Procession at 3.00pm. This year the procession will begin in St. Catherine's Church and make its way to the Cathedral for the Benediction.

29th June: Mass Rock

Commemoration at 3.00pm. The Mass Rock is in a beautiful setting in Ballyholland. It is in a secluded setting, giving an appreciation of the hardship our forbearers endured to attend their weekly Mass. risking their lives.

FEAST DAYS DURING THIS WEEK

Monday 26 May – St Philip Neri

Priest founded the Congregation of the Oratory to foster good preaching and to promote holiness of priestly life.

Tuesday May 27 - St Augustine of Canterbury, Bishop was a monk in Rome when sent by Pope Gregory the Great to preach to the English.

Thursday 29 May St Paul VI, Pope: born 1897. Ordained priest 29 May 1920 and worked in Vatican for most of the time before becoming archbishop of Milan in 1954. Elected Pope in 1963, taking the name Paul VI, succeeding John XXIII, he continued the second Vatican Council. A messenger of peace, he sought to pen the Church to the modern world; he began the papal apostolic visits. He was Beatified in 2014, canonised 2018, his memorial is on the anniversary of his priestly ordination.

Saturday 31 May - The Visitation of the Blessed Virgin Mary Mother of God

– The Visitation of the Blessed Virgin Mary. Today's liturgy recalls the 'Blessed Virgin Mary carrying her Son within her' and visiting Elizabeth to offer charitable assistance and to proclaim the mercy of God the Saviour.



FIRST HOLY COMMUNION DATES 2025

Carrick, Kingspark and Dickson

Primary Schools

Friday 30th May at 12 Noon

Ceara School

First Holy Communion and Confirmation
On Friday 13th June at 1.00pm

*St Peter's Church, Lurgan, welcomes you to a
day of worship, unity, and global celebration!*

"...they began to speak in other languages..." Acts 2:4 (NRSV)



Everyone Welcome

INTERNATIONAL DAY —OF— CELEBRATION

CELEBRATING THE NATIONS

- ✓ Spirit-filled International Worship
- ✓ Cultural Dances & Music
- ✓ Traditional Costumes Parade
- ✓ Global Food Tasting
- ✓ Family Fun & Fellowship

8th June (Pentecost Sunday)
@ St. Peter's Church
North Street, Lurgan

Sharing the beauty of the
cultural diversity in Lurgan.
In the Hall immediately after Holy Mass

Time
12pm
Holy Mass

CEMETERY SUNDAY 2025



ROSARY AND PRAYERS FOR THE FAITHFUL DEPARTED ON SUNDAY 17TH AUGUST 2025

Dougher Cemetery 3.00pm
and St Colman's 5.00pm



DROMANTINE FAMILY FUN DAY

SUNDAY 8th JUNE 2025
1.00 pm - 5.30 pm

ATTRACTIONS

Grand Draw, Country & Western Music,
Vintage tractors

OFFERTORY COLLECTION

Sunday 18 May 2025 £2,103.20
Thank you for your continued generosity to
your Parish and Priests.



Comhghairdeas ó chroí leis na páistí
go léir ó rang Iníon de Faoite,
Bunscoil Naomh Proinsias a rinne a
gCéad Chomaoineach Naofa Déh
Aoine, 23ú Bealtaine

ALL IRELAND ROSARY RALLY KNOCK

Saturday 7th June 2025 . Bus leaves St
Paul's carpark, Lurgan at 7am sharp.
The cost of the bus is £25, which should be
paid in full in the Divine Mercy shop, Lurgan
before 29th May.
Please bring a packed lunch.

A PRAYER FOR EXAM TIMES

God stay close to me today.
Guide my study and light my way.
Ease my nerves and comfort me.
With peace and love so tenderly
May I remember all I study and read.
May I strive to give my best
and do myself justice in each test.
May the topics I know and like appear
on the exam paper to lessen my fear
and during the moments I may feel
stressed
I'll try to remember the ways I'm blessed
and if there are times that I feel at sea,
Help me to trust that you're here with me.
Amen!

O, most beautiful flower of Mount Carmel,
Fruitful Vine, splendorous of Heaven.
Blessed Mother of the Son of God,
Immaculate Virgin, assist me in this my
necessity.

O, Star of the Sea, help me and show that
you are my mother and my protector.
O Holy Mary, Mother of God, Queen of
Heaven and earth, I humbly beseech you
from the bottom of my heart to aid me in
my need.

(Mention your intention here if desired).
There are none that can withstand your
power,

LURGAN PARK RUN

Inviting everyone to get involved in the
new Lurgan Park run, whether that's by
getting active and completing the route or
in a volunteering capacity. Volunteers are
very welcome to help run this family-
friendly event!

There is no time limit, no-one finishes
last, no previous experience is needed,
and joggers, runners, walkers, buggies,
volunteers and dogs (on a short lead) are
welcome to join! Each Saturday morning,
the route will take participants on a 5K
course, weaving through the stunning
mature woodland and open grassland
grounds of Lurgan Park.

For further details contact
lurganpark@parkrun.com or Dwyer
dwyer@dwyerconnor.com

Visit our website: www.src.ac.uk email us
at info@src.ac.uk
or call us on 0300 123 1223.



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

Peter McCrory, Ennis Tarry
John Joseph Toal, Stevenson Park
Francis (Frank) Wheeler
Raughlan Meadows, Derrymacash

SATURDAY 24 MAY 10.30AM MASS

Stanley Maguire, Edward Street
Terence McCaugherty, Manor Park

SATURDAY 24 MAY 7PM (VIGIL MASS)

Yvonne Brankin, Portadown

SUNDAY 25 MAY 9.00AM MASS

Larry & Aidan Cunningham, Crossmaglen/Australia
Eamon and Phyllis McCarron, Brookvale Walk

SUNDAY 25 MAY 10.30AM

Seamie O'Hagan, Drumlin Drive

MONDAY 26 MAY 10.00AM

James (Jimmy) Smyth Senior, Old Portadown Road
Berchan Harte Copeland, Kinnego
Bronagh McConaghy, Monbrief Walk
Stephen Derby, Brown Street
Frank Derby, Brown Street
Bridie Mallon, Richmond Gardens

TUESDAY 27 MAY 10.00AM

Feargal McConville, Oakridge
Katie Corry, Portadown
Anthony McGeown, Deeny Drive
Mary and William Toner, Sloan Street
McKenna Family, Edward Street

WEDNESDAY 28 MAY 10.00AM

Mary Murphy, Glengormley
Rose Toal, Prospect Way
Gregory Finnegan, Silverwood Drive
Noel McCann, Rampart Street
Mary McCann, Rampart Street

THURSDAY 29 MAY 10.00AM

Catherine (Kitty) McCrory, Mansfield/Cafolla Gardens
Dolores McIlroy, Francis Street

FRIDAY 30 MAY 10.00AM

Margaret Leathern, Rampart Street
Peter Lavery, Edward Street

SATURDAY 31 MAY 10.30AM

Felix Reynolds, Monbrief Walk
Mary O'Neill, Ashwood
Joe Griffin Drumlin Drive/Cherrytree Walk
Peter MacAtasney, Oakridge
Ann Rafferty, Gilpins Mews
Michael Skeffington, Sloan Street

SATURDAY 31 MAY 7PM (VIGIL MASS)

Leo Devine, Ashwood
Eileen McConville, Francis Street

NOTICE

The Parish Office will be closed
on *Monday 26th May 2025*
for the Bank Holiday Weekend

WRAP SEMINAR ONE WORKSHOP MENTAL HEALTH SUPPORT

4 weeks x 4 hours -

Friday 6, 13, 20 & 27 June

Clann Eireann Youth Club
Victoria Street, Lurgan
9.30am - 1.30pm

WRAP (Wellness Recovery Action Plan) is a simple
approach for creating the life and wellness you want.
The WRAP approach supports you to identify the tools
that keep you well and create action plans to put them
into practice in your everyday life.

*Attendance at all sessions is required to receive
certificate.*

To register your interest email or phone
Recovery College 028 3756 1938 or
recovery.college@southerntrust.hscni.net