

St. Peter's Parish, Shankill

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BULLETIN

19th APRIL 2026 – THIRD SUNDAY OF EASTER



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Safeguarding Children and Adults who require protection.

Designated person for Dromore Diocese – Mr Stephen Sherry 07301246329

Or email safeguardingdirector@dromorediocese.org

Parish Safeguarding Representative –Tel. 0756 329 3429

St Vincent De Paul –Ozanam Centre 3832 5725

Parish App: Parish 365 Download on the App Store or Google Play

MASS SCHEDULE

Saturday 9.30am, 6pm (Vigil)
Sunday 8am, 10am, (po polsku) & 12.00 noon
Monday, Wednesday & Thursday 8am
Tuesday & Friday 8am & 7pm

ST PAUL'S CHURCH

Sunday: 9am & 10.30am,
Monday-Friday: 10am
Saturday: 10.30 am & 7pm (Vigil)

SACRAMENT OF RECONCILIATION

with Fr Jozef
Friday 6.00pm - 6.45pm

OFFERTORY COLLECTION

12th April - £4222.07
Standing Orders - £350.60 weekly
Donations – £45 loose.
Thank you for your continued support



All parents wishing to have a child baptised in St Peter's Parish, must notify the Parish Office in person. One month's notice is required.

Baptisms take place on the first, third and fifth Sundays of the month @ 1.00pm

PRAYER TO ST ANSELM- Feast 21st April

O Lord my God, teach my heart where and how to seek you, where and how to find you. Lord, you are my Lord and my God, and I have never seen you. You have created and re-created me, all the good I have comes from you and still I do not know you. I have not yet accomplished that for which I was made. Teach me to seek you, and as I seek you show yourself to me, for I cannot seek you unless you show me how. Let me seek you by desiring you and desire you by seeking you; let me find you by loving you and love you in finding you.

MINISTRY TO THOSE WHO ARE SICK

If you, a family member or someone you know is housebound and cannot make it to Mass and would like to receive the Eucharist, can you please leave their name and address into the Parish office to ensure that we can include them in this ministry.

Likewise, if in hospital you can contact the Catholic chaplaincy there so that we can ensure that their spiritual needs are met, or if you contact the Parish office then we can arrange this with the hospital chaplain.

Also, when someone is approaching end of life there is always a priest on call for emergencies, and the nursing staff in the hospital will contact this Priest for you when required. If the person is at home, then there is an emergency number given when you phone the Parish.

St. Camillus de Lellis, patron of the sick, hospitals, nurses and physicians, pray for us

HOPE OF SPRING

A sleeping world emerges to new possibilities, weakening winter's icy grip, and birdsong and bleating lamb announce to all the promise that in due season creation bursts into life. And whilst leaves that fell in winter lie upon the ground, soon to feed the earth, in nature's wondrous cycle of death and rebirth, within the tree is a stirring of new growth.

DROMORE DIOCESE YOUTH COMMITTEE invites:

Young Adults gathering Thursday 23rd April 6.30 to 9.15 pm.
Refreshments from 6.30pm to 7pm
18 to 35 years – Music, Prayer, a Conversation, a social gathering – time to share ideas – make things happen – a time and place to meet likeminded people. This is a follow up to our very successful event on March 5th.
Dromantine Retreat and Conference Centre, Newry, Co Down BT341RH

ALTAR & MISSION SOCIETY

In Parish Hall every Tuesday evening from 7.00pm.
Raising money for the Missions and Church at home and abroad.
Can you sew or knit?
Could you help in any way?
*Old and new members welcome.
Alterations done for a donation*

Fire Youth Ministry invite you to PRAISE AND PIZZA

In preparation for Pentecost
Sunday 19th April
St Peter's Church @ 7.00pm
Prayers lead by JPII award students from St Ronan's College.
Adoration, Benediction & music

ENCOUNTER WEEKEND DONEGAL, Radisson Blu Hotel, Letterkenny.

6.00pm - 10.30pm Friday 5th June. 9.00am - 10.30pm.
Saturday 6th June.

Expect to experience the presence of God through the celebration of the Sacraments, Spirit-led worship, inspiring talks, healing service, and fellowship. Come and be refreshed and empowered by the Holy Spirit and learn from the Saints how to live the lifestyle God intended you to live. Keynote Speakers: Patrick Reis: co-founder and Executive Director of Encounter Ministries USA & Fr. Patrick Gonyeau who serves with the U.S. Province of the Missionaries of the Precious Blood in Ohio.
Bookings at <https://encounterschoolofministrydonegal.regfox.com/encounter-conference-donegal> For more info, email donegal@encounterschool.org

DEMENTIA NAVIGATOR SERVICE

Free drop-in session for carers, family and friends of people living with dementia or anyone who is concerned about memory issues. We are available to talk with you and answer any questions and signpost you to information and resources if needed.

Upcoming Dates
Thursday 30th April 2026.
Time- 2-4pm.
Armagh Library, 2 Market Street, Armagh. BT61 7BU.
Thursday 7th May 2026.
Time- 10am- 12noon. Banbridge Library. 23 Scarva Road, Banbridge. BT32 3AD.
Wednesday 20th May 2026.
Time- 10m- 12 noon.
1 Carnegie Street, Lurgan. BT66 6AS.

PADRE PIO PILGRIMAGE

Group pilgrimage accompanied by **Fr. Maciej Zacharek**
15th June – 20th June 2026.
Cost €995 pps.
Contact: Marian Pilgrimages
00353 1 8788159
or Paul Johnstone
00353 86 8282977



ADORATION CHAPEL

Edward Street
Adoration 9am – 9pm



"O Blessed Host, I trust in You when the burdens are beyond my strength, and I find my efforts are fruitless"

THE SANCTURY SINGERS

The sound of THE CELTIC SOUL
St Patrick's Church, Lisburn
Sunday 26th April @ 7.30pm
Seamus McClean – Uilleann Pipes
Loreto McAuley – Conductor
Bronagh McClean – Fiddle
Frasier Hickland – Piano
Suggested donation £10/£15
In aid of Cancer Fund for Children
Tickets available from sancturysingers.org
07979 868152
loreto@thesancturaysingers.org



DROMORE DIOCESAN HISTORICAL SOCIETY

MONDAY 20TH APRIL 2026: @7:30pm in Newry Parish Centre
The Society's next event of its 2026 programme is a talk by **Ciaran MacMurichaidh** entitled **"Exploring Placenames within the Diocese of Dromore"**
Admission £1.00. All welcome

EVORA HOSPICE TOWPATH WALK

Evora Hospice Care invites you to the 35th Annual Towpath Walk on Sunday 26 April 2026. The 6-mile walk starts at 12 noon from Basin Walk car park, Newry. Registration is free, with a suggested sponsorship of £35. Pre-registration is required (no sign-up on the day). To register, visit the hospice website or call 028 3026 7711. All are welcome!

COUCH TO CEILII"

Church Hall, St Peter's, North St, 11am-12.30pm each Thursday
07788730429
www.annettecollins.com
No partner/experience necessary

St Peter's Parish now accepts ONLINE DONATIONS

Just scan the QR code with your phone camera to donate.



Or visit <https://donate.myдона.com/st-peters-parish-lurgan>.

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

RECENTLY DECEASED

Bridget (Bridie) McAlernon, Lurgantarry
Fergal Haughian, Manor Park
Angela Menary, Victoria Street
John McAtamney, Grattan Street

MONTH'S MIND

Tuesday 21st April

Una McCrory, Ennistarry

Saturday 25th April

Gerald Maginn, Shore Road
Eamar O'Hagan, Ashgrove Park

ANNIVERSARIES

Sunday 19th April

James McCann

Lily Dummigan, Clara Street
John Coleman, Kilwilke Road
Josephine Douglas, Aghagallon
May Smyth, Ashgrove Avenue
Norah McCloskey, Colledge Close
Roisin Lavery, Soye Crescent
James McCabe, Shore Road
Thomas James McAlinden, Portadown
Gerald Toland, Melrose Park
Angela Catney, Wellington Street
Alfie Hill, Kilwilke Road
Ellen McQuade, Clara Street
Patrick & Mary Lewsley, Shore Road

Monday 20th April

Arthur Gentle, William Street

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Terence McCorry, Collingwood Avenue
Thomas Menary, Wesley Place
Eamon Hoy, Enniskillen
Johnny Leonard, Filbin Crescent
Kieran Fitzpatrick, Deeny Drive

Wednesday 22nd April

Joe Kingham, Shankill Street
Kathleen McConville, Lurgantarry/Edward Street

Thursday 23rd April

Mary Doran, Edward Street
Jim Moore, London

Friday 24th April

Winifred Harte, Desmond Avenue
Eamon Lavery, Clara Street
William Kearney, Annesborough Park
John Jackie Sharkey, Antrim Road
John Creaney, Tarry Drive
Charles Carbery, Kilmaine Street
Alice Curran, Island View Terrace, Kinnego

Saturday 25th April

Oliver McCready, Cornakinnegar Road
Margaret (Marie) McGibbon, Ashgrove Avenue
Patricia Dickey, Sperrin Drive
Catherine Heaney, Canada
Edward McAlinden, The Palms, Ballinery

Requests for Anniversaries and Month's Mind notices should be left into the Parish Office on or before 12 noon on the Wednesday of the week before if they are to be included in the Bulletin. The minimum diocesan stipend is £10. As we have a booking system, anniversaries can be booked in advance until the end of the year. Please use the anniversary envelopes at the back of the Church