

# St. Peter's Parish, Shankill

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# BULLETIN

20<sup>th</sup> MARCH 2022 - THIRD SUNDAY OF LENT



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**Safeguarding Children and Adults who require protection**  
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**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**  
13<sup>th</sup> March – £4536.15  
Donations – 1 X £300 & £40 loose  
Car Park – £328.70  
*Thank you for your continued support and generosity*

**LENT AS A TIME TO PAUSE**  
*Pause* for a little while, refrain from the urge to want to control everything, know everything, destroy everything; this comes from overlooking gratitude for the gift of life and all the good we receive.  
*Pause* for a little while, refrain from the attitude which promotes sterile and unproductive thoughts that arise from isolation and self-pity, and that cause us to forget going out to encounter others to share their burdens and suffering.  
*Pause* for a little while, refrain from the emptiness of everything that is instantaneous, momentary and fleeting, that deprives us of our roots, our ties, of the value of continuity and the awareness of our on-going journey.  
*Pause* in order to look and contemplate.  
*Pope Francis*

  
Baptisms take place on the first, third and fifth Sundays of the month @ 1.30pm

**RESCHEDULE**  
For anyone wishing to receive **CONFESSION AND HOLY COMMUNION**, Priests from our Deanery will be available in **St Paul's Church, Sunday, 3rd April 3.00pm - 4.30pm.**  
Please feel very welcome to come along and receive these sacraments. All Covid 19 regulations will be in place.

**DEEPEST SYMPATHY**  
To Father Colum and his family on the death of his beloved Mum, Kathleen.  
May She Rest in Peace  
Ar dheis Dé go raibh a hanan

**LENTEN WISHES**  
May Lenten days of lengthening light enlighten heart and mind  
Fasting made by choice, make us ever kind thoughtful each of other if one has nought in store  
For those who hunger, those who thirst, showing love and care  
Hungering for friendship, longing to be free, help within relationship, we shared in every need we journey through to Easter time the Feast of Risen Life, with renewing outlook moving us to hope  
Love shared among us from wells that don't run dry, Word and Meal and sacrifice with gratitude to survive.

**OFFERTORY PROMISE COLLECTION ENVELOPES**  
The envelopes will be renewed in April. We would appreciate being informed of any changes in names or addresses so that our parish records can be updated.  
Anyone requiring envelopes for the first time is asked to complete their details below and return to the Parish Office as soon as possible.

NAME: \_\_\_\_\_  
ADDRESS: \_\_\_\_\_ +

**FINANCIAL DONATIONS FOR THE UKRAINIAN CRISIS**  
St. Vincent de Paul Society are sponsoring a collection for aid to the Ukrainian Crisis today Sunday, 20<sup>th</sup> March. All money collected will be given to the De Paul Society for this cause. Thank you for your continued support, especially these times when energy and fuel has become more costly.  
*God is good and we trust in Him.*

**Prayer for the People of Ukraine**  
Loving God,  
We pray for the people of Ukraine, For all those suffering or afraid, that you will be close to them and protect them.  
We pray for world leaders, for compassion, strength and wisdom to guide their choices.  
We pray for the world; that in this moment of crisis, we may reach out in solidarity to our brothers and sisters in need.  
May we walk in your ways so that peace and justice become a reality for the people of Ukraine and for all the world.  
Amen.  
*Our Lady, Queen of Peace, pray for us!*  
*Our Lady of Kyiv, pray for us!*



  
**Until Love Conquers Fear'**  
Trocaire boxes now available at the back of the Church

**ACIES CEREMONY**  
The Legion of Mary invites all parishioners to the Annual Individual and Collective Consecration to Our Blessed Lady today 20<sup>th</sup> March @ 3pm in St Anthony's Church.  
Spiritual Director: Fr Brian Fitzpatrick.  
*Refreshments will be served afterwards in St Anthony's Parish Centre.*

**SOUTHERN AREA HOSPICE BIG BUCKET COLLECTION NEED EVERY HELPING HAND!**  
Southern Area Hospice Services are calling on the local community to get behind their 'Big Bucket Collection' which takes place in towns and villages throughout the Southern Trust Area on Friday 25<sup>th</sup> March 2022.

Could you and your family, friends or work colleagues come together to volunteer at one of their collections? Southern Area Hospice are looking for volunteers in various locations throughout these areas: Camlough, Crossmaglen, Killeel, Annalong, Newry, Rathfriland, Rostrevor and Warrenpoint. The Hospice are also calling for shops and businesses to get involved by taking a Hospice bucket to display in their store or workplace on the week leading up to the collection to help raise funds.

If you would like to take part, we would love to hear from you! To give a helping hand, please contact Rosie on 028 3026 7711, email [vs@southernareahospiceservice.org](mailto:vs@southernareahospiceservice.org) or you can sign up online [www.southernareahospiceservice.org/big-bucket-volunteers](http://www.southernareahospiceservice.org/big-bucket-volunteers).

**ADORATION CHAPEL**  
Edward Street  
Adoration 9am-7pm

**PLEASE NOTE**  
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 up until the end of the year.  
*Please use the anniversary envelopes at the back of the Church*

**Summer Camps**  
Good news! Our Diocese Youth Office can once again offer Summer Camps at the YMCA, Newcastle with lots of activities, fun and great opportunity to meet new people.  
Note the dates and book your places ASAP – email [dromoreyd@btconnect.com](mailto:dromoreyd@btconnect.com) for an application form or phone Frances - 028 30833898 for a postal option.  
Year 8 (12 years old) 11-15 July  
Year 9 (13 year old) 18-22 July  
Years 10 & 11-14/15 years old – 25 – 29<sup>th</sup> July  
Our camps are a Monday to Friday residential experience – more info will be sent with application form – places are limited so book soon.

**ROSARY FOR LIFE at STORMONT**  
Please join us for a special Candlelight Rosary for Life to commemorate the unborn children who have lost their lives through abortion in Northern Ireland. To be held at Stormont, (main gate entrance on Upper Newtownards Road) on Monday 21<sup>st</sup> March at 7.00pm. For more information contact **Rosary Crusade for Ireland** on 075 9228 0522.

  
**SHOPPING DAY IN DERRY**  
Saturday 30<sup>th</sup> April  
With a visit to the Free Derry Museum (£4) and then evening dinner in the **Quinn Corner Restaurant, Ballygawley** (choice of meal) £37  
Contact Gerard 3832 4741 or Noel 079 5547 5650  
Easy payment available

**"LONDON CALLING"**  
Weekend in London  
Fri 23 – Mon 26 September  
3 nights B&B in St Giles Hotel Right beside Oxford Street  
Coach transfers included  
Price £329  
(Easy payment available)  
Contact Gerard 3831 4741 or Noel 079 5547 5650  


  
**RECENTLY DECEASED**  
Eileen McNeice, Kilwilke Road

**MONTH'S MIND**  
**Sunday 20<sup>th</sup> March**  
Patricia Stevenson, Gosselin Park  
**Friday 25<sup>th</sup> March**  
Tess Rae, Brett Avenue  
**Saturday 26<sup>th</sup> March**  
Gemma Harte, Sperrin Drive

**ANNIVERSARIES**  
**Sunday 20<sup>th</sup> March**  
Mary & Sam Coleman, Edward Street  
Siobhan Leonard nee O'Dowd, Celbridge  
Louis & Margaret Kennedy, North Street  
Arthur Heaney, Filbin Crescent

**Monday 21<sup>st</sup> March**  
Violet Molloy, Kilwilke Road  
Vincent Douglas, Aghagallon  
Bobby Loughran, Kilwilke Road  
John Gordon, Annaloiste  
Annie Gorman, Monbrief Walk  
Patrick Gorman, Belfast  
Rose Boyle, Antrim Road

**Tuesday 22<sup>nd</sup> March**  
Charles Lynch, Shore Road  
Sarah Kelly, Portadown  
James Basil McAlinden, Ashwood  
May McKenna, New Street  
Paul Magee, Soye Crescent  
Gerald Douglas, Goudy Bridge Road  
Evelyn Ann Doris, Hill Street/Derrytagh South  
Joseph McConaghy, St Patrick's Ave, Aghagallon

**Wednesday 23<sup>rd</sup> March**  
Rose Totten, Aghagallon  
Michael Casey, Grattan Street  
Olive King nee McIntyre, Magheralin  
Margaret Thompson, Desmond Avenue

**Thursday 24<sup>th</sup> March**  
Peter & Paul McGeown, O'Neill's Terrace  
Danny McGeown, Grattan Street  
Eileen Gallery, Oakleigh Fold  
Stephen Canning, North Street  
Kate Magill, Antrim Road  
Vincent Martin, Oakleigh Fold  
Jim McKeveney, Lake Street  
Mary & Joseph Menary, Wesley Place

**Friday 25<sup>th</sup> March**  
Kathleen Thornbury, Elmwood Terrace  
Hannah Smyth, Kilmaine Street  
Isaac Towe Snr, North Street  
Archie Rae, Brett Avenue  
Michael Burke, Campbell Walk

**Saturday 26<sup>th</sup> March**  
Maggie Towe, Edward Street

*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*