

St. Peter's Parish, Shankill

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BULLETIN


31st JULY 2022 – EIGHTEENTH SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME



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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)

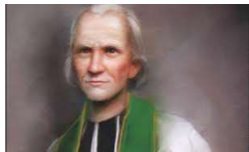
OFFERTORY COLLECTION
24th July – £2193.54
Donation – £35 loose
Car Park – £548.50
Thank you for your continued support and generosity


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 @ 1.30pm
GOOD BEGINNINGS
Your baby's baptism is a time for celebration and joy. Naturally you want the best for your baby, and we want to help you to plan and prepare for your child's baptism in the best possible way. Your most important preparation is to look at your own faith. The very fact that you have asked for your child to be baptised shows that you recognised the importance of God in your life. As your child gets older, he/she will grow up with the faith you have taught by example. As you help your baby grow up in the love of God, you too will experience growth in your own faith life. Your baby's baptism is only the beginning of a new life through which you will grow closer to one another as a family and closer to God

A PRAYER FOR SUMMER
Father Creator of all, thank you for summer. Thank you for the warmth of the sun and the increased daylight. Thank you for the beauty I see all around me and for the opportunity to be outside and enjoy your creation. Thank you for the increased time I have to be with my friends and casual pace of the summer season. Draw me closer to you this summer. Teach me how I can pray no matter where I am or what I am doing. Warm my soul with the awareness of your presence and light my path with your words and counsel. As I enjoy your creation, create in me a pure heart and a hunger and a thirst for you. Amen


Annual Novena Escorted Pilgrimage to Knock Shrine
15th August 2022.
£599.00 per person sharing.
Price includes return bus transfer from N. Ireland, 4 nights in Knock House Hotel with full board.
All entertainment and excursions included. Avail of Novena Ceremonies. Day trips to Westport, Ballintubber Abbey, Croagh Patrick, Fr. Peyton Centre & National Museum.
Single supplement £100.00.
Contact Patricia on 01268 762 278 or 07740 175557 or email knockpilgrimages@gmail.com.

Mary's Meals Step by Step to Feed the Next Child
Mary's Meals are currently feeding over 2.2million children a daily school meal across 20 countries. Our Annual Walk to Knock to support this life-changing work is taking place between the 23rd July and the 15th August, starting in five different locations throughout Ireland and finishing in Knock on 15th August on the Feast of the Assumption. Your nearest starting points are on **Wed 3rd Aug** from Lurgan (St Paul's Church) to Portadown (7-8.45pm) and on **Sat 6th Aug** from Portadown (Tesco Carpark) to Armagh (11am-4pm). All welcome to participate even for a mile or two! Register online at www.tinyurl.com/mmmstepbystep or on the day. If not walking, please keep us in your prayers and don't forget to watch out for our walkers in their blue t-shirts with their blue collection buckets. For more details visit Step by Step to Feed the Next Child on Facebook or contact Seamus Mallon on 079 7435 6381.

ST JOHN VIANNEY 1786-1859
4th August

John Vianney (born **Jean-Baptiste-Marie Vianney**; was a French Catholic priest who is venerated in the Catholic Church as a saint and is the patron saint of parish priests. He had to contend with poverty, military service and his own intellectual shortcomings in order to become a priest. In 1817 he was sent to care for the people of Ars, a small village in France. The marvellous gift of the unlearned priest for seeing into the debts of the soul brought the world to Ars. Catholics attribute this to his saintly life, mortification, persevering ministry in the sacrament of confession, and ardent devotion to the Blessed Virgin Mary.

OZANAM MEN SHED ART GROUP
The Group are having an exhibition of work on Monday 1st August between 10.30 am and 12.30 in The Hub William Street Lurgan (next door to the Ozanam Centre) Why not come along and join us? *All are welcome and refreshments are available*

CEMETERY SUNDAY
28th August
Rosary and Prayers for the Faithful Departed
Dougher 3pm
St Colman's 5pm

ADORATION CHAPEL
Edward Street

'How great is the value of converse with Christ in the Blessed Sacrament, for there is nothing more consoling on earth'.

ANNUAL WEEKEND TRIP TO KNOCK
Friday 5th August - Sunday 7th August 2022
To book a seat please contact: 077 4251 8958

ADORATION CHAPEL
Our Lady of Fatima Prayers
Family Rosary Devotion 7 -8pm
Friday 19 August,
Tuesday 13 September & Tuesday 11 October


DONEGAL SHORT BREAK
Departing 13th October
3 nights Dinner, B&B in **Innishowen Gateway Hotel**
Price £329 includes ticket to 'Blood Upon the Rose' musical in the Millennium Forum & free time in Derry, entertainment on Saturday night & local tours.
Contact Noel or Gerard 38324741


18-22? LOOKING FOR A GAP YEAR?
Castlerigg Manor is a Catholic youth retreat centre located in Keswick in the English Lake District. Our work is mostly done by a team of young Catholics who live together as part of a community. We are still looking for people to start the coming year in mid-August, so if you're at a loose end and want an amazing, fruitful year, maybe this is for you? It's a voluntary year but food, accommodation and pocket money are provided. To find out more, contact jack@castleriggmanor.co.uk or google Castlerigg Manor.

Seeing your Life through the Lens of the Gospel
Luke 12:13-21
1. 'One's life does not consist in the abundance of possessions', said Jesus. What have you found by experience to be more important in life than possessions? What brought this home to you?
2. 'Be on your guard against all kinds of greed'. Perhaps you have seen how greed can lead to trouble in public life, family life, and in the personal life of individuals. What has helped you to guard against greed? What benefits have you experienced when you were less greedy?
3. The message of the parable could be summed up in saying 'If you want to give God a laugh, tell him your plans'. Life takes many twists and turns we do not anticipate. When have you found that you had to change your plans because of unexpected circumstances? What has helped you to be flexible and resourceful at such times?

'May the Lord refresh with fine weather, those who need outdoor recreation and exercise'
Lord, send us your blessing

'May the Lord help us to learn the lessons of the natural world, created as a space'
Lord, send us your blessing

NEWRY CATHEDRAL
We are pleased to announce that, following the interruption caused by the pandemic, we will once again offer guided tours of the cathedral on the following dates:
Wednesday 10th August at 2 pm
Wednesday 24th August at 7 pm
Each tour will take approximately 90 minutes. Please meet at the main door of the Cathedral. You will hear the story of the building of the Cathedral, 1825-1829, and of the later extensions. The history of its stained glass, marble altars, sculptures and magnificent mosaics will also be explained.
There is no charge for these tours.
Participants are asked to please wear a mask and observe social distancing.


RECENTLY DECEASED
Patrick (Tony) McGuigan, Sloan Street
Carl Welsh, formerly Lake Street
Rosaleen McCaughley, Garland Avenue

MONTH'S MIND
Tuesday 2nd August
Rosemary Stewart, Inglewood
Ian Stewart, Chicago/Inglewood

ANNIVERSARIES
Sunday 31st July
James McMahon, Allenhill Park
Gertie Howard, Antrim Road
Gerard Martin, Silverwood Court

Monday 1st August
John Watts, Kiln Lodge
Michael McCaughley, Aldervale
Ann McGeown, Lake Street

Tuesday 2nd August
Gerry McAlernon, North Wood
Rita Geary, Clara Street
Sinead Nic Eoin, Kildare/O'Neill's Terrace
Thomas Hesketh, Brownlow Terrace
Jack Creaney, North Street

Wednesday 3rd August
Baby Oliva O'Hare, Ashgrove Crescent
Hugh Brady, Manor Park/Beech Court
Imelda McGowan, nee McIluff, Furlong Avenue
Lally Crossey, Grattan Street
John Burns, Wellington Street

Thursday 4th August
Jack McConville, The Grange
Dermott Mitchell, Donnelly Gardens
Josephine McCabe, Shore Road
Jimmy Kerr, North Street

Friday 5th August
Lily McAreavey, Ennis Close
Desmond Lennon, Lavery Avenue
Patrick Kelly, Edward Street
Paul Cairns, Bleary

Saturday 6th August
Declan Haughey, Antrim Road
Malachy O'Hagan, Mary Street
Charles & Elizabeth Breen, Ashwood/Magheralin

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

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.
Please use the anniversary envelopes at the back of the Church