

St. Peter's Parish, Shankill

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BULLETIN

4th AUGUST 2024 – 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)

SACRAMENT OF RECONCILIATION
With Fr Jozef
Friday 6.00pm - 6.45pm

OFERTORY COLLECTION
14th July - £3982.99
Plus, Standing Orders £350.60 weekly
Donations - £20
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


We wish all our Parishioners a very enjoyable and restful time during the summer holidays.
Welcome to friends and family who are home for the holidays
Going on holiday?
Please don't forget me. Call at my House and say a prayer!
Find a Mass at your destination at www.masstimes.org

CEMETERY SUNDAY – 11th August
Rosary and Prayers for the Faithful Departed
The Dougher 3pm – St Colman's 5pm
The Ceremony will include Scripture Readings, Prayers and Blessing of the Graves.
Each family is asked to bring a bottle of water. The water will be blessed, and individual family members will be invited to sprinkle Holy Water on the family plot after the Prayer of Blessing.
Relatives and visitors are asked to help maintain the sacred character of the Cemetery by ensuring all waste is put into the skip or taken away for disposal. To help with maintenance costs of the cemetery, collection baskets will be available at the exit gates to enable anyone who wishes to contribute to do so.

PROPOSED SPIRITUAL ACTIVITIES IN THE MONTH OF AUGUST
15th August: Feast of the Assumption
Rosary Procession 6pm
Benediction 6.45pm
Mass of the Feast of the Assumption 7pm


THE GAELIC LEAGUE
will be holding the Annual Irish Language Collection after all Masses next weekend, 10th & 11th August

PRAYER FOR SAFE HOLIDAY TRAVEL
Loving Lord, as we prepare to leave for our journey, we pray for travelling mercies over land and sea, and place ourselves under your protective care. Be with us as we set out for our holiday, and we ask that you keep us safe every step of the way, as we journey to our destination. Go ahead of our route we pray, as we ask that you would prevent any unnecessary hindrances or delays on our travel arrangements. Guard us from the evil one we pray and stand guard over our home while we are away. Father, into your hands we commend ourselves and place our lives, our journey and our home into your safe keeping. This we ask in Jesus's name. Amen

FEAST OF THE TRANSFIGURATION 6 AUGUST
This feast invites us to 'go up the mountain', to set aside time and space to listen to God's Word, as we are asked to do by the voice from the cloud. Our encounter with God's Word inspires us to 'come down the mountain' and meet God's presence in all those whose lives are blighted by worry, fear, injustice, poverty – materially and spiritually.

DON'T QUIT
When things go wrong as they sometimes will, when the road you're trudging seems all uphill, when the funds are low and the debts are high and you want to smile, but you have to sigh.
When care is pressing you down a bit, rest if you must, but don't you quit. Life is queer with its twists and turns, as every one of us sometimes learns and many a failure turns about when he might have won had he stuck it out:
Don't give up though the pace seems slow. You might succeed with another blow.
Success is failure turned inside out-the silver tint of the clouds of doubt and you never can tell how close you are, it may be near when it seems so far; so, stick to the fight when you're hardest hit. It's when things seem worst that you must not quit.

POPE'S MONTHLY INTENTION August: For political leaders:
We pray that political leaders be at the service of their own people, working for integral human development and for the common good, especially caring for the poor and those who have lost their jobs

ADORATION CHAPEL
Edward Street
9am – 9pm
'And where does one find the spring of living water, this perpetual light, this inexhaustible force of renewal, if not in adoration of the Blessed Sacrament?'


ITALY TOUR 18 September
1 space has come available on tour. Contact Noel / Gerard.
LURGAN'S JOLLY BOYS OUTING
Wed 02 July 2025
Only Fools and Horses musical day outing ... £ 59
call Noel or Gerard
079 5547 5650 / 38324741

GRAND CHARITY NIGHT In Aid of Chest, Heart & Stroke
The Ashburn Hotel
Friday 16th August
Get your dancing shoes on the big night is back!!!
Dancing to 'Country Harmony' With special guests:
Owen Mac
The Indian, Kevin Kearney
Geri Kane from Luv Bug
Gene Fitzpatrick
William George
And back by popular demand
Host and compere, Hugo Duncan
Doors open at 8.00pm
Show starts 9.00pm
Admission £13
To be sure of seat get your tickets early at Ashburn Hotel and Colleen's Kitchen or pay at the door


'FAN THE SPARK'
Conference for Young Adults (18-40)
Saturday August 24, 9.30am-5.30pm in Legion of Mary, Brunswick St., Dublin.
Cost €15. Talks on art, faith, tour of Frank Duff House, Mass, adoration and more. To book visit www.eventbrite.ie or contact deusetpatria@gmail.com


ST TERESA'S PRIMARY SCHOOL
'Summer Activity Camp'
29th July-16th August 2024
Tel: 075 4181 9642
(to book a place)
and
'Music Summer Camp'
12th
12th -16th August 2024
Tel: 075 2565 7762

MEDJUGORJE IRISH CENTRE PILGRIMAGES APRIL - OCT 2024:
7 Nights Apartment B&B from €273 per person sharing. Airport transfer available on request. Contact us for details and book the dates that suit you.
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The next
DAY OF PRAYER
at
KERRYTOWN ROCK
Thursday 15th August @ 3.00pm
In honour of the Assumption
Everyone welcome
Contact Kathy 0773 4345 1851
Coach will be leaving from St Paul's Church @ 12.00 noon
Bring a packed lunch & stool if required.

Guided tours of Newry Cathedral return for Summer 2024
We are pleased to announce that we will once again offer guided tours of Newry cathedral on the following dates:
Wednesday 7th August at 2.00pm
Wednesday 21st August at 6.45pm
Each tour will take approximately 90 minutes.
Please meet at the main door of Newry Cathedral.
You will hear the story of the building of Newry 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.


RECENTLY DECEASED
Malachy Burns, Grattan Street
Maura McAtasney, nee Guckian, Oakridge
Terence Loughran, Stevenson Park
MONTH'S MIND
Sunday 4th August
Marie McInerney, Ashgrove Avenue
Tuesday 6th August
Rory Fagan, Lake Street
Friday 9th August
Martin Hamill, Beech Close, Bleary

ANNIVERSARIES
Sunday 4th August
Jack McConville, The Grange
May Doyle, Gilford
Jimmy Kerr, North Street
Josephine McCabe, Shore Road
Dermot Mitchell, Donnelly Gardens
Meta McNally, Aghagallon
Monday 5th August
Desmond Lennon, Lavery Avenue
Lily McAreavey, Ennis Close
Sean Kerr, Hill Street
Tuesday 6th August
Malachy O'Hagan, Mary Street
Patricia McAvooy, Allenhill Park
Wednesday 7th August
Kieran McDonald, Lake Street
Thomas McConaghy, Shore Road
Charlie McCann, Ulster Street
Ronnie Totton, Inglewood
Eileen Murray, Ulster Street
John McSherry, Sperrin Drive
Thursday 8th August
Annie Thompson, North Street
William (Gerry) McGibbon, Ashgrove Avenue
Jim Murray, Grattan Street
Jim Blaney, Oakleigh Fold
Kathleen Bunting, Elmwood Terrace
John Mulligan Arva, Co Cavan
Gertrude Creaney, Tannaghmore North
Barry McDonald, Hill Street
Sheila Mulholland, Taghnevan Close

Friday 9th August
Sean Harbinson, Lurgantarry
Saturday 10th August
Elizabeth (Lily) Furphy, Tannaghmore North
Ann & Paddy Mongan, Castlevew Park, Moira
Patrick Mallon, Clara Street
Sarah McStravick, Drumnamoe Avenue
Patricia McConville, Oakleigh Fold/Princes Street
Michael McKernan, Derrylodge Manor
Finbar McCann, Kelly Gardens
Eternal rest grant onto them O Lord.
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