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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: 10.00am Saturday: 10.30 am & 7pm (Vigil)

SACRAMENT OF RECONCILIATION With Fr Jozef Friday's, 6.00pm - 6.45pm

OFFERTORY COLLECTION 28th April - £3871.85 Donations - £35

Car Park - £467.40 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

MAY BANK HOLIDAY



The Parish Office will be closed on Monday 6th May for the Bank Holiday and will re-open on Tuesday 7th May at 10.00am

MAY DEVOTIONS - FR KINGSLEY Every Sunday in May General Theme: A journey with the Blessed Virgin Mary. PROGRAM

6pm Exposition of the Blessed Sacrament and Rosary 6.30pm Talk on the Theme for the week 7.pm Benediction & Final Blessing.

Weekly Theme Sunday 5th May - Mary: The Mother of God.

Sunday 12th May - Mary: The First Tabernacle.

Sunday 19th May - Mary: Our Model in Ordinary Life.

Sunday 26th May - The Virtues of Mary Wednesday 29th May - The 7 Sorrows of Marv.

ROSARY PROCESSION - Wed 29th May. There will be Rosary procession if the

weather permits otherwise the Rosarv will be said inside the Church and

conclude with Holy Mass. N.B During the month of May, if possible, the candles in our Lady's Altar should be lit at least during weekend Mass and parishioners should be encouraged to pray the Holy Rosary before or after Mass.





LOURDES CHURCH COLLECTION will take place next weekend the 11th/12th May at all the Masses. Anyone wishing to send petitions to Lourdes can leave them in the basket at Our Lady's Altar



POPE'S MONTHLY INTENTION For the formation of religious and seminarians: We pray that religious women and men, and seminarians, grow in their own vocations through their human, pastoral, spiritual and community formation, leading them to be credible witnesses to the Gospel.

Applications are welcomed for Seasonal Grounds person(s) for St. Paul's Church including Parochial Houses (54 Francis Street and 7 Old Portadown Road). Responsibilities would include maintaining lawns. trees, shrubs, flowers and trimming trees and hedges and shrubs and preventing and eliminating weeds in addition to keeping outside area clean and tidy. If you wish to be considered, please submit written quote on headed paper to include annual charge and submit to Parish Office via email on stpaulsparishlurgan@dromorediocese

lurgan.org

MAY ALTAR IN MISS O'GARA'S CLASS

May is the month to remember Mary in a special way. Mary was a very special person, because God chose her, above all women, to be the mother of his Son, Jesus. Here is a special prayer that you can say at home with your child during the month of May.

Thank you, Mary, for saying 'yes' to God. Help us to remember that you love us, and that your Son, Jesus loves us too. We know that he wants to be our friend. Bless us and keep us all safe. Amen

www.saintmarys.ie

Tannaghmore P.S. Applications are now open for

Live in Concert in St Peter's Church Sunday 1 December Tickets £30 on sale now from Skelton Travel 3832 4741 or online https://tommyfleming.com/concer t-tickets-uk/

ROSARY RALLY

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TOMMY FLEMING

Please join the 2024 'Ireland Needs Fatima Rosary Crusade'. Our nation is in great need of public prayer, repentance and conversion. We ask God to save Ireland through the Rosary of his Most Holy Mother. Please join us in praying for our nation on Saturday 11th May @4pm at Lurgan Town Centre. Contact Sandra 077 6290 9718 or Sheila 073 9534 1314 for more information.

> Adoration Chapel Monday 13th May Fatima Family Rosary 7-8 pm Everyone welcome

ALL IRELAND ROSARY RALLY Knock 2024/Sat 1st June. Return bus leaving St Paul's Car Park @ 5.45am sharp. Leaving Knock approx. 5.00pm. Names and £10 deposit to be left into The Divine Mercy, William Street. Call Mary 077 1853 10996 for further information

Southern Area Hospice Services are delighted to launch their 2024 Camino walking trips and are looking for participants to join them on the French Way in

September. Participants will take on the challenge of walking 113km which begins in Sarria ending in the beautiful city that is Santiago de Compostela to help raise funds for Hospice services.

The trip will take place from 2nd – 9th September 2024. With a fundraising target of over £3.6million, Southern Area Hospice Services rely heavily on the local community to help them reach their target so they can continue to provide the highest standard of specialist palliative care. To register your interest please contact Brian on (028) 3026 7711 or email hylandb@southernareahospiceser

vices.org

Tannaghmore After School Club September 2024. If you would like to apply, please contact tannaghmore.afterschool@gmail .com or phone 028 3832 1472 for an Expression of Interest Form.

LOURDES PILGRIMAGE

17th - 22nd May To include all travel and transfers on a full board basis with full Pilgrimage Itinerary £795pp sharing (£200 single room Supplement) Call 077 9631 0214 for more information.

Kildare & Wicklow

Get out and about Tour. Departing Monday 17 June One night Dinner B&B & entertainment Westgrove Hotel. £109 Local tours and excursions for info/booking Noel 079 5547 5650 Gerard 383 24741

PILGRIMAGE TO ASSISI & SAN **GIOVANNI ROTONDO** 16-23 October

Including visits to the tombs of St Francis of Assisi, St Clare of Assisi, Blessed Carlo Acutis & Padre Pio Accompanied by Spiritual Director Direct Flights from Dublin-Rome/Naples- Dublin 3 nights in Assisi with BB & D 4 nights in Giovanni Rotondo with breakfast, lunch & Dinner Full religious programme. Daily Mass & Spiritual activities. Luxury coach and all airport taxes & local city taxes. €1199pps, single room supplement €280. For further details and booking Ann 0035386 086 6467 Paul 0035386 828 1889

KNOCK SHRINE. Saturday 1st June All Ireland Rosary Rally. To book for coach call Catherina 07899 810181 or Gabrielle 07933 521105

Couch to Ceili!" St Peter's Parish Hall North St, Lurgan No partner/experience necessary 11am-12.30 each Thursday Info: 07788 730 429 www.annettecollins.com



RECENTLY DECEASED

John (Jack) Sharkey, Antrim Road Joan McKerr nee McConville, Shankill Street Gerry Murphy, formerly Hill Court

ANNIVERSARIES Sunday 5th May

Margaret Magill, Grattan Street Minnie Kelly, Castle Lane Eugene McConville, Albert Street Mark Geddis, Brownlow Terrace Jackie McKee, Edward Street Sean McCavigan, Tarry Drive Nellie Byrne, Shore Road Hannah Horgan, Tralee, Co Kerry

Monday 6th May

Aideen Brady, Tiscallen Lane, Aghagallon Fr Pat Towe, South Africa James McCabe, Deramore Drive John Eddie Campbell, Melrose Park Pauline Crothers, Kilmore Road Nola McCann, Lower North Street Francis Burns, Cypress Gardens

Tuesday 7th May

Michael Byrne, Liscorran Road Desmond Tipping, Woodville Gate Maureen Quinn, Linen Mews Billy Patterson, North Street Mary Ann Campbell, Oakleigh Fold/Derrytrasna Nora Hargreaves/McGeown, Liverpool/Kilmaine St

Wednesday 8th May

Kitty Filbin, Ashgrove Avenue James Burke, Ennis Close Peter Conlon, Dungannon Daniel J Harte

Thursday 9th May

Charlie Heaney, Oakleigh Fold Rosaleen Mulholland, Derrymore Douglas Reid, Drumglass James Gorman, Lisburn Fr Gabriel Harty O.P, Lurgan

Friday 10th May

Angela Ashe, Blair Drive John McConville, Brownlow Terrace Kathleen McKee, Allenhill Park Paul Baxter, Albert Street Meta Park, Lavery Avenue Francis McSherry, Lower North Street Cornellius (Neilly) McCabe, Edward Street

Saturday 11th May

Barry Smyth, Shankill Street David McAlernon, Cornakinnegar Road Liam Gallagher, Annesborough Park Basil Corey, Wellington Street Jim Venard, Donnelly Gardens Barney McCaffrey, Beaumount Square Kathleen Dolan, Island View, Kinnego

Eternal rest grant on to them O Lord

<u>Notice</u>

We are very sad to hear again of damage to graves in the upper part of St Colman's Cemetery. Consequently, one half of the gates will be locked to prevent car access at the upper end of the

cemetery. We are sorry that this may inconvenience some of our parishioners attending their family graves.