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BULLETIN

6th January 2019 – The Epiphany of the Lord




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MASS SCHEDULE
Saturday 9.30am, 6pm (Vigil)
Sunday 8am, 10am, 11am (po polsku) & 12.15pm
Monday & Wednesday 8am & 10.30am
Thursday 8am
Tuesday & Friday 8am & 7pm
ST PAUL'S CHURCH
Sunday: 9am, 10.30am, 12 noon
Monday–Friday: 10am
Saturday: 10.30 am & 7pm (Vigil)

SACRAMENT OF RECONCILIATION
Friday 6.15pm - 6.50pm
Saturday 5.15pm - 5.50pm
ST PAUL'S CHURCH
Saturday
11 - 11.30am & 6.15 - 6.50pm


OFFERTORY COLLECTION
Sunday 30th December £4301.43
Car Park - £532.30
Thank you for your continued support

 We welcome the following children into the Christian Community through the Sacrament of Baptism
Jude Alfie Carolan, Sperrin Park
Zara Rose Lavery, Allengrove
Joseph McCorry, Derrylodge Manor
Nadia Amelia, Walkosz-Zmarzly, Lakeview Court
Alanna Rose, Lavery, Riverglade Meadows

BAPTISM
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. Parents/Godparents will have an opportunity to meet some members of the Baptism Team prior to the day of Baptism. *Baptisms take place on the first, third and fifth Sundays of the month @ 1.00pm*

FÁILTE CHUIG AN LORGAIN
We warmly welcome Dalton Short to the parish for the next few weeks. Dalton is one of our seminarians studying for the priesthood, and he is on pastoral placement in January as part of his training. Dalton will accompany and assist the priests in their various pastoral roles, and hopefully will get to meet many of our parishioners during his time here.

POPE JOHN PAUL AWARD
There will be a meeting for students in the second year of the award (year 14s) in St Peter's Meeting Rooms this Monday, 7 January, at 7:00pm. We will focus on help for completion of your award and presentations. *All welcome.*

 The Parish office will re-open tomorrow Monday 7th January @ 10am

The Community Outreach Group is sponsoring the third talk by Eamon Phoenix: **Ireland Divided 1922-23: Two Irish States, The Craig-Collina Pacts, Sectarian Conflict and Civil War.** On Wednesday, 9th January at 8 pm in the Jethro Centre.

The **Christian Unity Week Service** will be held on Wednesday, 23rd January at St. Paul's Church @ 7.30pm

AUTUMN BREAK 2019
In sunny Portugal from Sunday 13 – Friday 18 October. Staying at the beautiful 'Luna Da Oura' hotel, Albufeira (half board). Flights from Belfast with coach transfers and local tours. Easy payment plan available. To book a place contact Noel 079 5547 5650 or Gerard 028 3832 4741

PRAYER FOR FAMILIES
'If we grow up in a loving family we are ready for the world'. Lord keep me close to you this New Year. Help me to reflect your glory always. Lord bless my family and all families. Help us to grow rich in what matters most of all; love, unity and joy

LOURDES 2019
Please note new date for Annual Lourdes Pilgrimage 2019 21st to 26th May
Applications now being considered for Assisted Pilgrims (sick) to travel 2019
Please apply in writing to:
Rosemary McGuinness
29 Hunters Lodge
Lurgan BT66 6NB
Applications for Nurses, Brancardiers and handmaids are also being considered. Please apply as above.

COME & PRAY
Starting back Tuesday 8th Jan
11am – 12 noon
Rosary & Divine Mercy Chaplet
1st class Relic of St Faustina available
For all our needs and the Pope's intentions.
Upstairs in St Peter's Parish Offices
Everyone welcome

ACCORD MARRIAGE PREPARATION COURSE
Planning to get married in 2019/2020?
Book your Marriage course with ACCORD, Newry Parish Centre, The Mall, Newry BT34 1AN 028 3026 3577 newry@accordni.com
ACCORD also offers a safe, professional and confidential process facilitating couples and individuals to explore, reflect upon and resolve difficulties in their marriage and relationship.

GAELIC LEAGUE
Ian Malcolmson will be giving a talk on Irish language in the Protestant Community in the Gaelic League, North Street on Thursday 10th January @ 7.30

TANNAGHMORE PRIMARY SCHOOL
'Open Afternoon'
Wednesday 9th January 3pm -7pm
For all new children starting Tannaghmore Primary School in 2019. *All welcome*

DRUMNAMOE NURSERY SCHOOL
will be holding its open day on Tuesday 8th January 2019 from 2.00pm until 4.00pm for all children born between 2nd July 2015 and 1st July 2016 i.e. turning 3 before 1st July 2018. The principal and staff will be available to show all prospective parents around the school and answer any questions they may have. We look forward to meeting you. The application process is changing this year and is now being completed digitally online. The Parent Portal is available to make an online application for admission to pre-school from Wednesday 2nd January and will close at 12.00pm on Thursday 31st January.

COOK IT
Fun, fast food for less
Learn more about healthy eating? Improve your cooking skills? Learn more about cooking on a budget
Cook It is a group which will run for 6 weeks
For Individuals who want to improve their cooking skills especially where cost is a consideration!
The next 6 week session in your local area will begin on Monday 21st January 2019, 10.30 am in Lurgan Park Tennis Pavilion.
Contact – Leanne on 07766 740427 or Jane on 07870 423716 for more information

PARISH BINGO
Each Sunday @ 8.30pm in the Parish Hall
Everyone welcome

LOUGHSHORE CARE PARTNERSHIP'S FAMILY CHOICES PROJECT
supports families where a loved one has received a terminal diagnosis and has chosen to remain or return home for end of life care. Family Choices offers practical support connecting to our Willing Hands volunteer network. Our volunteers give practical support, ranging from household chores like ironing, making meals to mowing the lawn, school runs, homework assistance, or being someone to talk to, and befriending after bereavement. There are roles for men and women and if you have free time you could become one of our Willing Hands Volunteers, and as such, you will be fully supported. For further information please Email: Loughshorecarepartnership@yahoo.com Or telephone: 028 3885 1911

WIND RAIN SNOW AND MOON
a new book of poetry by Fr Michael Maginn
Available through Parish Office: Cost £5.

CHOOSE TO LOSE
A community Weight Management Programme
Choose to Lose is a 12 Week community-based, peer support, weight loss programme for adults who are overweight or obese. It empowers people to achieve and maintain a healthy weight. Each session involves 75 minutes of combined nutrition education and physical activity.
Drumellan Community Centre
Tuesday 15th January @ 10.30am
Contact Mandy or Jane 028 38 321415 / 07870423716

CRAIGAVON SAMARITANS VOLUNTEER INFORMATION EVENING
We are holding an Information Evening in the Branch for new prospective volunteers:
Wednesday 16th January @ 7.30pm
162 Thomas Street, Portadown, BT62 3BD
This event aims to provide individuals with an opportunity to find out more about who we are, what we do and how they can get involved. Our volunteers are vital to enable us to; increase our capacity, raise awareness, raise funds and be available 24 hours a day to provide emotional support to those in distress and at risk of suicide.

ADORATION CHAPEL
Edward Street
9.00am – 9.00pm
'Come to adoration, for all your choices to discern, in the quiet of your heart, the truth you will learn'

Old Style Irish Step Dancing for Adults
Events in Lurgan:
12 Jan: Free taster session
12 Jan: Dance Workshop
16 Jan: New Term
T: 07788730429
Facebook: [stepwithannette](https://www.facebook.com/stepwithannette)
www.annettecollins.com

RECENTLY DECEASED
Ethna McCorry, Thornleigh
Anthony Maguire, Rectory Park

MONTH'S MINDS
Tuesday 8th January
Mary McVeigh, Colane
Friday 11th January
Kathleen McCrory, Deeny Drive

ANNIVERSARIES
Sunday 6th January
Noreen Wright, Francis Street
Pat & Joyce Toman, Luton
Nora Rooney, Portadown
Edel Scarlett, nee Greene, Kilmore Rd/ Scotland
John Haughian, Wellington Street
Ellen Lavery, Lake Street
Ellen Catherine McCaffrey, North Street
Patsy Magee, Hawthorne Avenue

Monday 7th January
Joe Maxie Brady
Patrick Magill, Grattan Street

Tuesday 8th January
John Lavery, Mary Street
Patrick McKavanagh, Castor Bay Road
James McKenna, Shore Road
Bernadette Bann-Lavery, Aghagallon

Wednesday 9th January
Violet McGlynn, Annesborough Park
Pat McStay, Cornakinnegar
Barney McCusker, Oakleigh Fold
Eileen Loughran, James Street

Thursday 10th January
John Jackson, Albert Street
Josephine Magennis, Lurgantarry
Rita Donnelly, North Street
Eileen Owens Francis Street
Robert McEvoy, Shore Road

Friday 11th January
Agnes Magee, Deeny Drive
Patrick McGeown, Wheatfield Drive
William John Cinnamond, Shore Rd/Aghagallon
Madge Goff, Mary Street

Saturday 12th January
Eileen Geary, Clare Street
Paul Mallon, Inglewood
Maurice McGeown, Kilmaine Street
Rita Lavery, Wellington Street

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 £7.50. As we have a booking system anniversaries can be booked in advance.
Please use the anniversary envelopes at the back of the Church