

# St. Peter's Parish, Shankill

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# BULLETIN

6<sup>th</sup> OCTOBER 2024 – Twenty-Seventh 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**  
29<sup>th</sup> September - £33463.26  
Plus, Standing Orders £350.60 weekly  
Donations – £25  
*Thank you for your continued support and generosity.*

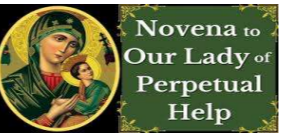
  
*We welcome the following children into the Christian Community through the Sacrament of Baptism*  
Oisín Sean & Rían James Gallery, Deerings Grove  
Ella Lavery, Cherrywood  
Daisy-Mae Ann Crutchley, Hill Street  
Lucah Geddis, Drumellan Court  
Rían Sean Higgins, Oakfields  
**Our prayers and good wishes are extended to their families.**  
*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*

**ANNUAL CHURCH GATE COLLECTION FOR SOUTHERN REGIONAL HOSPICE**  
Next weekend, 12th/13th October



**"PRAISE AND WORSHIP NIGHT"**  
Featuring:  
Adoration • Engaging talk • Praise and worship songs  
Benediction • Light Refreshment & Social Time  
Date: 16/10/2024  
Venue: St Peter's Chapel, North Street Lurgan, BT 67 9AH  
Starts: 6:30pm (There will be tea & coffee in the hall)  
Ends: 7:30pm  
For Enquiry Contact: Fr. Kingsley - 07761075336  
*Come now is the time to Worship*

**Sacramental Preparation Classes for children in State Schools in Lurgan:**  
Classes for First Confession and Holy Communion (children in P4) and Confirmation (children in P7) will be held this year at **Lurgan Model Integrated Primary School, 72 Brownlow Terrace, Lurgan BT67 9AT**. In order to register your child you will need to contact the school to find out the date, day and time the classes will be held each week. The telephone for the school is 028 3832 1003. Mr O'Hagan is the teacher who is the coordinator of the Sacramental Preparation Programme. It is important that your child attend these weekly classes in order to make the Sacraments.

  
The Novena in **St Peter's** will commence Tuesday 15<sup>th</sup> October and will continue for nine weeks concluding on the 10<sup>th</sup> December. The Novena prayers will be recited at the 8.00am and 7.00pm Masses.  
The Novena in **St Paul's** will commence on Monday 14<sup>th</sup> October and will continue for nine weeks concluding on Monday 9<sup>th</sup> December. The Novena prayers will be said at the 10.00am Mass

**ST POPE JOHN XXII (1881-1963) Memorial 11 October**  
Already dying and in response to many who had asked him for the secret of his priesthood, Pope John XXII said, 'I had the supreme grace of being born in a modest and poor but God-fearing Christian family, and of being called to the priesthood. Since I was a child, I have thought of nothing else, I have desired nothing else. My earthly day is at its end, but Christ lives on, the Church continues. And what other word is more suitable than to extort you to never take your eyes of the Cross of Jesus...? Look at the cross, beloved children, in your sufferings. This bed is an altar, the altar needs a sacrifice; here I am. I am ready. I offer my life for the Church, the continuation of the Ecumenical Council, the peace of the world, the unity of Christians. The secret of y priesthood lies in the crucifix that I wanted to place in front of my bed, he looks at me and I speak to him. Those outstretched arms say that he died for everyone.; no one is rejected by his love for him, by his forgiveness...'

**Where is God calling you to in your Parish?**  
What are your gifts and talents that He is asking you to use for the service of His people? We need new members on the Parish Pastoral Council, Finance Committee and other groups within the Parish. Listen to God's call for you and answer Him by speaking to one of the Clergy or a member of the Parish Council or Finance Committee, and together let's help build up the Kingdom of God here in Lurgan.

**World Rosary Day: United in Prayer for the Jubilee of Hope**  
Join Catholics worldwide on Monday 7<sup>th</sup> October 2024, for World Rosary Day as we pray the Holy Rosary for the success of the Jubilee Year 2025. Inspired by Pope Francis' call for a global "symphony of prayer," this initiative will see the Rosary recited across the globe at 7 PM local time. Let us unite in prayer through the intercession of Our Lady, Mother of Hope, for a Jubilee of grace and renewal! Save the date: Monday 7<sup>th</sup> October 2024, at 7.00pm local time. Register at [www.worldrosaryday.com](http://www.worldrosaryday.com) to join. #WorldRosaryDay #Jubilee2025 #CatholicPrayer

**LURGAN LOURDES COMMITTEE World Rosary Day**  
The committee members will be reciting the Rosary at Our Lady of Lourdes Grotto in St Paul's on Monday evening (7<sup>th</sup>) @ 7.00pm. *Everyone welcome to join in*

**ADORATION CHAPEL**  
Edward Street  
9am – 9pm  
*'Come to adoration, don't leave the gift unwrapped, open it and feel his presence, I promise you will never look back'*

**POPE'S MONTHLY INTENTION**  
*For a shared mission:* We pray that the Church continue to sustain in all ways a Synodal lifestyle, as a sign of co-responsibility, promoting the participation, the communion and the mission shared among priests, religious and lay people.


**Couch to Ceill!**  
St Peter's Parish Hall North St, Lurgan No partner/experience necessary 11am-12.30 each Thursday Info: 07788 730 429 [www.annetecollins.com](http://www.annetecollins.com)

**Community Outreach Group** is sponsoring two events in October: The first one is on Thursday 10<sup>th</sup> October, **The Human Library**, from 11:00am to 2:00pm at the Jethro Centre. This event will offer a unique opportunity to challenge stereotypes, build cultural understanding, and foster connections within our diverse community. To register please contact Polina Malcheva on [polina.malcheva@jethrocentre.org](mailto:polina.malcheva@jethrocentre.org) When booking, please give the following information: Full name, Contact details (email/phone number), any special requirements (dietary restrictions, accessibility needs) More information is posted on the Church bulletin boards.  
The second event is on Wednesday 16<sup>th</sup> October in the Jethro Centre at 7:30pm. **God's Gifts:** A Foraging talk by Paul May. Everyone welcome

**DROMORE DIOCESAN HISTORICAL SOCIETY: ANNUAL GENERAL MEETING**  
The Society will hold its Annual General Meeting on MONDAY 14<sup>th</sup> OCTOBER @ 7:00pm. 2024 in St Peter's Hall, Lurgan. After the formal business of Reports and election of officers, there will be a lecture at 7:30 by Dr Niall Comer, lecturer at the University of Ulster, entitled "Cardinal O'Faich and the Irish language": *Everyone very welcome.*

**KNOCK SHRINE PILGRIMAGE**  
Saturday 7<sup>th</sup> December to Sunday 8<sup>th</sup> December – bus departing early in the morning from Newry, calling on route at St Teresa's Church Banbridge and St Paul's in Lurgan. Cost £145 includes Bus, B & B accommodation, and Saturday evening meal, plus tea and coffee on arrival. This Pilgrimage is open to all – You are welcome – It offers a great way to prepare for Christmas in the spirit of prayer and friendship. To secure a place email [youthdirector@dromorediocese.org](mailto:youthdirector@dromorediocese.org) or phone Frances 028 30833898

**JOLLY BOYS & LADIES OUTING**  
Join us on Wed 02 July 2025 For our Daytrip to Dublin to the hilarious hit West End Theatre Show **Only Fools and Horses** only £59 including show ticket call Noel or Gerard 079 5547 5650 / 38324741

  
**RECENTLY DECEASED**  
Margaret McKee, Edward Street  
**ANNIVERSARIES**  
**Sunday 6<sup>th</sup> October**  
Kathleen Fagan, Lake Street  
Kathleen Ferris, Clara Street  
Tommy Maher, Ashgrove Avenue  
Mary McGeown, Waring Street  
Martin Lavery, Lake Street  
Eleanor McCready, Kilwilke Road  
Mary Skeffington, Garland Avenue  
Sally Haddock, Shankill Street  
Bernard McGibbon, Castor Bay Road  
Donald Findon, Edward Street  
**Monday 7<sup>th</sup> October**  
Mary Ann McCabe, Deramore Drive  
Kathleen McConville, Kilwilke Road  
Vincent McGuigan, Rampart Street  
Katherine McVeigh, North Street  
**Tuesday 8<sup>th</sup> October**  
Una McCorry, Edward Street  
Maureen Smyth, Antrim Close  
Liam McConville Jnr, Donnelly Gardens  
Betty Smyth, Oakleigh Fold  
Dan Haughian, Charlestown Road, Derrytrasna  
**Wednesday 9<sup>th</sup> October**  
Annie Smyth, Waring Street  
Hannah Jane Haughey, Mary Street  
Desmond Mackle, Shore Road  
Mary Hughes, Shore Road  
Joseph Canniffe, Craigavon  
**Thursday 10<sup>th</sup> October**  
Maureen Hoy, North Circular Road  
Dr Donnell Deeny, Church Place/Kilmore Road  
Sr Colette Douglas, Port Elizabeth/Aghagallon  
Michael John Breen, Victoria Gardens  
Kenneth Nugent, Woodville Avenue  
**Friday 11<sup>th</sup> October**  
Kay Williamson, Drumbeg North  
Annie McCorry, Glenavy  
Gerard Ranaghan, Killough, Co Down  
Billy McNally, Aghagallon  
Dan McNally, Kinnego  
Nuala Henderson, Castor Bay Road  
George Hatchell, Newry  
**Saturday 12<sup>th</sup> October**  
Grace McMahon, Cypress Gardens  
Peter McConville, Lurgantarry  
*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.