# St. Paul's Parish, Shankill Bulletin



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# Saint Paul's Church **Mass Schedule**

Monday to Friday: 10 am Saturday: 10.30 am

Saturday Vigil: 7 pm

## **Sunday:**

9 am 10.30 am 12 noon

# **Sacrament of Reconciliation** First Thursday of the Month:

6.15 pm to 6.50 pm Saturday:

11am to 11.30 am & 6.15 pm to 6.50 pm



# Saint Peter's Church **Mass Schedule**

Monday to Friday: 8 am

Monday and Wednesday: 10.30 am also Tuesday and Friday: 7 pm also

Saturday: 9.30 am and Vigil: 6 pm Sunday: 8am/10am/11am (po polsku)

& 12.15 pm

#### **Sacrament of Reconciliation**

**Friday:** 6.15 pm to 6.50 pm Saturday: 5.15 pm to 5.50 pm

# **Saint Peter's Office Hours** Monday 10am to 1pm and 1.45 pm to 4pm

**Tuesday to Thursday** 9 am to 1 pm and 1.45 pm to 4 pm Friday 9am to 1pm and 1.30pm to 2.30pm

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# The Knights of St Columbanus

The Knights of St Columbanus will be distributing St Brigid's Crosses at all the masses (including the Vigil) on (26<sup>th</sup> January) the Sunday before Ireland's patroness's feast - St Brigid's day 1st February. Voluntary donations will be appreciated. Last year the funds raised were used to provide a defibrillator for the church.

All funds raised will go towards our major project for this year which will be the building of a Shrine to Our Lady of Lourdes in the grounds of St Paul's church. Our plans are well advanced with the support and guidance of a local architect and specialist builder. The estimated cost will be between £8,000 and £10,000. The Knights of St Columbanus have already raised 20% of these funds to date themselves. A number of fundraising events will be forthcoming this year.

We will update parishioners fully about the progress of this project regularly through this bulletin.

The Knights of St Columbanus have been in existence in Lurgan, since 1920. We are proud to be an Order of Catholic Laymen committed to supporting our Catholic faith and to do good works in a spirit of fraternity and Christian charity. In the past we have supported the establishment of the Catholic Scout movement, the Credit Union in Ireland as well as the John Paul II Awards and also making a major contribution to the organisation of the World Meeting of Families in Dublin. We were honoured to have organised the adoration of the relics of St Therese of Lisieux and St Teresa of Calcutta in recent years. We continue to support all our local schools through the annual distribution of children's prayers booklets to all First Holy Communicants. The Knights continue to support youth pilgrimages and retreats, as well as the parish radio and web services in the Deanery and of course the annual distribution of Easter Holy Water. We have also supported overseas parish development projects in Central America and Asia. If you wish to help or support our work or you would like to know more about the Knights of St Columbanus please contact:

Eugene 07818886822, Malachy 07900608657, Paul 07850092050 www.knightsofstcolumbanus.ie

## **Community Outreach Group** sponsors:

Christian Unity Week Worship Service on Wednesday 23 January

The guest speaker is Rev. Andrew Irvine of the East Belfast Mission.

at 7:30pm at St. Paul's Church,

The theme of Christian Unity this year is **JUSTICE**. Please come and pray together for peace and justice in our land and in our world

# WORLD YOUTH DAY IN DROMORE

The parish will be holding a Youth Mass next Sunday at 10:30am in St Paul's to coincide with World Youth Day in Panama. This Mass will celebrate the wonderful role young people play in our parish. All young people will be blessed at the Mass, and are invited to wear an emblem of any youth club/organisation of which they are a member.

## DIOCESAN YOUTH PILGRIMAGE TO LOURDES

25-30 June 2019, for 18-25-year-olds. Cost £595 includes travel, etc., Places are limited, so book early.

#### Overseas Volunteers Required!

This enjoyable course, run over 4 weekends from February to May. Carpenters, Builders, Media Specialists, Practitioners, Teachers, etc. required for placements on Missions in Africa, SE Asia & the Caribbean. No previous overseas exp. required, no upper age limit!

Begins 22<sup>nd</sup> September in Dublin – open to all. Tel: Viatores Christi **353-1-8689986.** or

apply@viatoreschristi.com

# Lough Derg 2019 - £49 Monday, 26<sup>th</sup> August

Contact parish office if interested.

Life In The Spirit - Growth Seminars



You are invited to attend a series of three talks presented by guest speakers on Thursday, 24<sup>th</sup> Jan., & 31<sup>st</sup> Jan., in St. Peter's Hall, 8 pm. Everyone welcome.

#### Lifeline

Crisis response helpline service for people who are experiencing distress or despair. Tel: FREE on 0808 808 8000.

## **Taking Time to Make Memories**

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 gives practical support, ranging from household chores like ironing, making meals to moving 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@vahoo.com Or telephone: 028 3885 1911

# Lourdes 2019 Tuesday, 21st May – Sunday, 26th May £660

If interested, contact the parish office.

Lourdes Pilgrimage 2019 21st-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.

Goodyear Sports & Social Club Charity Gala Bingo Saturday, 26th January, 8 pm in aid of the 'Acute Care at Home Team.' Raffle Prizes galore kindly supported by many Irish businesses. £5 entry and everyone is welcome to support this worthy local cause!

# Found

Wedding Ring, contact parish office.

#### OFFERTORY COLLECTION

£2,285. Thank you

Adoration Chapel :: 9 am - 9 pm

# **First Holy Communion**



# Ceara School

First Holy Communion and Confirmation Saturday, 23<sup>rd</sup> March, 11.30 am

#### Bunscoil

Saturday, 11<sup>th</sup> May, 11.30 am

St. Francis' School Saturday, 18<sup>th</sup> May, 11.30 am

Carrick & King's Park Schools Saturday, 25<sup>th</sup> May, 11.30 am

Confirmation St. Francis' School

Thursday, 11 April, 6 pm

Bunscoil (In St. Paul's Church) Thursday, 2<sup>nd</sup> May, 6 pm.

#### **AUTUMN BREAK 2019**

In sunny Portugal from Sunday 20 – Friday 25 October. Staying at the beautiful 'Luna Da Oura' hotel, Albufeira (half board). Flights from Belfast with coach transfers and local tours. Optional day trip to Fatima, visit the Moeda Caves, see the four apparition sites & attend Mass in the Chapel of Apparitions Easy payment plan available-to book a place contact Noel 079 5547 5650 or Gerard 028 3832 4741

# **Lurgan Library** :: FREE EVENTS Adult Health Fair

Friday 25<sup>th</sup> January 10am – 3pm **Review Relax Unwind** Monday 11<sup>th</sup> February 10am – 12pm Lest We Forget - A Lurgan Man's Story of the Great War by Eamon Wright Tuesday 12<sup>th</sup> February 7pm

Anam Cara Armagh, the organisation that supports bereaved parents, is holding a Parent Evening for bereaved parents on Wednesday 30th of January at 7:20pm in the Armagh City Hotel, Armagh, BT60 4FR. This event is free and open to all bereaved parents regardless of the age your child died, the circumstances of their death, or whether their death was recent or not. Tel:02895213120.

# **Old Style Irish Step Dancing**

Lurgan Town Hall, Union Street New term starting in January T: 07788730429 www.annettecollins.com

# RECENTLY DECEASED

Basil Hoy, Ashwood, Jimmy Treanor. Thornleigh. Francis Martin Burns, Cypress Gardens, Raymond McMullan, Cypress Gardens.

# **ANNIVERSARIES**

# **SATURDAY 19 JANUARY**

Mary McIntyre, Portadown Road, Mary McMahon. Knockramer Meadows. David McConaghy, Killough Gardens, Ambrose Smyth, St. Winifred's Terrace, Margaret McKerr, Monbrief Walk, Sheila Smyth, Oakridge, Sandra McCartan, (Brown)Lawerencetown Ester Saldanha Pereira-Do-Amaral M.M.

# **SUNDAY 20 JANUARY**

9 am

Mary Connell (McKerr) Brownlow Tce, Joseph Duff, Antrim Road, Harry Lavery, Ulster Street.

#### 10.30 am

Peggy Anderson, Waringstown

#### 12 noon

Cassie Fitzpatrick, Oakleigh Fold, Seamus Casey, Ailsbury Gardens.

# **MONDAY 21 JANUARY**

Felix O'Hagan, Turmoyra, Kathleen McCann, Oakleigh Fold, Cecelia Greene. Albert Street. Jacqueline McGeown, Derrymacash.

#### **TUESDAY 22 JANUARY**

Joseph (Joey) McConville, Lower Nth St, Paul Creaney, Beech Court, Billy Dummigan, Derrytrasna/Shankill, Tony Wedlock, Taghnevan Close, John Toman, Monbrief Walk.

# **WEDNESDAY 23 JANUARY**

Eamonn Hamill, Francis Street. Bernadette Heaney, Cafolla Gds, M.M.

# THURSDAY 24 JANUARY

Mary McAliskely, Turmoyra, Arthur McSherry, Edward Street, Margaret Ann Carville, Oakfield Terrace, Bernadette France, Oakleigh Heights, May McGeown, Downshire Avenue.

# FRIDAY 25 JANUARY

Jim Brady, Parkview Street, Samuel McCrory, Edward Street, Shane O'Hagan, Francis Street, Mary Finnegan, Antrim Road.

#### **SATURDAY 26 JANUARY**

Alice & Henry McCourt, North Street, Donald McCrory, Silverwood Drive, Sharon McConville, Drumlin Drive, William & Cecilia Toal, Sloan Street.