# Saint Paul's Parish, Shankill

We extend a warm welcome to all who attend our Church.

We hope you will find our parish community a place where your life of faith will be nourished. Your prayers, your presence, and your talent are most welcome. May God bless all of us

## Our Parish Bulletin

Mission Sunday ~ 20th October 2019

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#### SAINT PAUL'S CHURCH OUR MASS SCHEDULE

#### Sundays

**Vigil** 7:00 pm Saturday 9:00 am, 10:30 am and 12:00 noon **Monday to Friday:** 10:00 am

Saturday: 10:30 am
Monday: 7.00pm (Novena)

**SACRAMENT OF RECONCILIATION Evening before First Fridays:** 

6:15–6:50 pm Thursday

Saturdays:

11.00am-11:30 am and 6:15-6:50 pm

#### SAINT PETER'S CHURCH OUR MASS SCHEDULE Sundays

Vigil 6:00 pm Saturday 8:00 am, 10:00 am, 11:00 am (po polsku) and 12:15 pm. Monday to Friday: 8:00 am

Monday and Wednesday: 10:30 am Tuesday and Friday: 7:00 pm Saturday: 9:30 am

SACRAMENT OF RECONCILIATION

Fridays: 6:15–6:50 pm Saturdays: 5:15–5:50 pm

#### **SAINT PETER'S PARISH OFFICE**

(028) 3832 3161

**Monday** 10am - 1.00pm and 1:45pm - 4pm

#### **Tuesday to Thursday**

9am to 1 pm and 1:45 pm to 4 pm **Friday** 9am to 1.00pm and 1:30pm to 2:30pm

#### **ALTAR AND MISSION SOCIETY**

Annual display and sale of work at Saint Paul's Church this weekend.

Everyone Welcome!

#### Parish Office: Saint Paul's Church, 50 Francis Street, Lurgan, BT66 6DL (028) 3832 1289

Parish Sacristan: Fionnuala Hamill (028) 3832 1289
E-mail: office@stpaulsparishlurgan.org Parish Website: www.lurganparish.com

Saint Vincent de Paul, William Street: (028) 3832 5725 Bethany Bereavement Team: 075 4899 1681

Safeguarding Children and Adults Who Require Protection

Dromore Diocesan Designated Liaison Person - Mrs Patricia Carville. Tel. 077 8991 7741 Saint Paul's Parish Safeguarding Representative - Ms Fionnuala Hamill. Tel. 028 3832 1289

\*\* Emergency number for sick calls (weekends included) Tel: (028) 3832 3161 \*\*

### OUR ANNUAL NOVENA TO OUR LADY OF PERPETUAL HELP

Begins in Saint Paul's Church tomorrow, Monday. The 10.00 am will include novena prayers). The Novena Mass will take place at 7.00 pm.

### SAINT PAUL'S PARISH CHURCH DATES FOR YOUR DIARY

#### Monday 11th November at 7.00p.m.

Mass for all those from our parish who have died during the last 12 months

**Sunday, 17th November at 7.30p.m.**Concert - Dana and Cantable Choir

Donations towards refurbishment of the floor in Saint Paul's Church.

Tuesday, 26th November at 11.00a.m

First Confession for the pupils of Saint Francis' Primary School and Bunscoil Naomh Proinsias

#### Sunday, 1st December at 7.00p.m.

Treble Clef Choir

Donations towards Lurgan Lourdes
Fundraising Group.

Sunday, 8th December at 7.00p.m.
Carols by Candlelight

**16th December at 7.00 p.m. – 8.00p.m.**Penitential Service and Exposition of the Blessed Sacrament

Tuesday, 17th December at 7.00p.m.

Carol Service by Saint Francis Primary School

#### 25th December 2019

Christmas Masses
Vigil at 7.00p.m. 9.00a.m.
10.30a.m. 12.00noon
New Year's Eve

Vigil with Exposition of the Blessed Sacrament – 11.00p.m. to 12.15a.m.

#### PARISH OFFERTORY COLLECTION Sunday 6th October 2019

£2101.17

**Sunday 13th October 2019** £2456.96

Thank you so much for your kindness and generosity!

# THE KNIGHTS OF ST COLUMBANUS CK11 We need your help!

Are you a good cook? Do you know how to cook the prefect stew? or maybe you have a favourite family recipe that has been handed down over the years. Have people asked you to write that recipe down? or maybe you have a recipe of a loved one that by sharing you could keep their memory alive. Well here is your opportunity and in doing so help raise funds for Our Lady of Lourdes Shrine at St. Pauls Church Lurgan. The Knights of St Columbanus CK 11 are proposing to publish a book of recipes and they would love the people of Lurgan and beyond to write down and share their favourites to be included in the book: The recipe book will be published and available for sale just before Christmas which could make the perfect Christmas present for a loved one, teacher, friend or secret Santa. If you have a recipe please print or write the details, drop it off at the back of the church, into the parish office or email directly office@stpautsparishlurgan.org (your name or the recipe owners name will be printed beside each recipe but is optional)

#### SHANKILL GRAVEYARD

Jim Conway will give a talk in the Gaelic League, North Street, entitled: 'Shankill Graveyard' on Thursday 24th October at 7.30p.m. All welcome!

#### **COMMUNITY OUTREACH**

The Community Outreach Group is pleased to sponsor Roland Sewell of the Salvation Army who will speak on **Moments That Make A Difference.** Rowland has worked in Ethopia, Bosnia, and Rowanda during these nations' troubled times on peace efforts and he will share the lessons learned from his experiences there. The talk is on Wednesday, 23rd October at 8 pm in the Jethro Centre, Flush Place.

#### **NEWRY HOSPICE COLLECTION**

Sincere thanks to all the generous people from Saint Paul's Parish who donated £1795.30 to Southern Area Hospice at the church collection last Sunday.

#### RIGHT TO LIFE info@righttolife.org.uk

English, Welsh and Scottish MPs have voted to force one of the most extreme abortion regimes in the world on Northern Ireland without the people of Northern Ireland or their elected representatives having any say.

This can all be stopped if the Northern Ireland Assembly returns by October 21st. The power to reconvene the Assembly sits with your local MLAs, MP and the seven party leaders.

Many of you have emailed your MLAs/MP/party leaders – Thank you!!! Time is now running out and we need to increase pressure on all involved to ensure the Northern Ireland Assembly reconvenes.

Please find the phone number for your MLAs/MP and please call them.

Below that, we have written a short guide outlining what to cover in a conversation with your MLA.

Íf you have more time, we recommend you also ask to meet with your MLA.

Dolores Kelly MLA 028 3832 2140
John O'Dowd MLA 028 3834 9675
Doug Beattie MLA 0754 552 7257
Carla Lockhart MLA 028 3831 0088
Jonathan Buckley MLA 028 3889 4477
David Simpson MP 020 7219 8533

Short guide - What to cover with your MLA over the phone.

Introduce yourself and ask to speak with them directly on the phone. If they are not available, ask that a message is left with them covering that you called.

Once you have the MLA on the phone, politely introduce yourself and say that you live in their constituency. Then cover the following points in your own words:

Westminster MPs have voted to impose an abortion regime on Northern Ireland that removes any explicit protection in our law for unborn children until 28 weeks gestation. Northern Ireland would be left with the most extreme abortion regime in Europe. I am deeply concerned about the introduction of this extreme regime, preventing this is

the most important issue to me.
As my elected representative, I am asking that you do everything in your power to restore a power-sharing Executive ahead of October 21. This includes meeting with your party leader to impress this upon them.

I should stress that your conduct and that of your party will impact how I vote in future elections.

### ST JOSEPH'S YOUNG PRIESTS' SOCIETY

Our next meeting will take place on Monday October 21st at 7.00pm in St Peter's Parish Meeting Rooms, North Street. The Society continues to pray for vocations to the priesthood and religious life and to raise funds for the education of priests at home and abroad. Sincere thanks to all our members and promoters. Saint Joseph, pray for us.

#### ADRIATIC TOUR, MEDJUGORJE AND DUBROVNIK

22nd September 2020 8-day tour £720 Please join us on our tour to visit peaceful & spiritual Medjugorje for 4 days, and then spend 3 days in one of Europe's most beautiful cities – Dubrovnik, set on the Adriatic coast. Easy payment plans available. Contact Noel 0795 547 5650 or Gerard 028 3832 4741

#### **ANAM CARA ARMAGH**

The organisation that supports bereaved parents, is holding a Parent Evening for bereaved parents on Wednesday 30th October at 7:20pm in The Armagh City Hotel, Armagh, BT601E. 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. Contact us on info@anamcara.ie or 085 2888 888 for any queries.

### LURGAN LIBRARY HOSPICE MUSICAL NIGHT

Tuesday 5th November at 7.00 pm Featuring Karl McGuckin and many local talented singers.Donations to Southern Area Hospice Services

#### **BOOK LAUNCH**

Come along and enjoy a night of original poetry and song where Brendan Prunty will launch his new book: 'Echoes and Reflections from Grateful Hearts' Date: Thursday 24th October 2019 Venue: The Stables Complex. Tea and Coffee will be available - Time: 7.00p.m. Charites to benefit from the sale: The Kevin Bell Repatriation Trust and S.V.D.P.

### OLD STYLE IRISH DANCING FOR ADULTS

New Term, 2 levels - Beginners welcome Lurgan Town Hall T: 07788730429

#### **CLANN EIREANN YOUTH CLUB**

Come and join the Halloween fun Sat 26th October, 2.00pm to 6.00pm Come dressed for the parade. Lots of prizes to be won on the day.

#### **NOVEMBER DEAD**

Lists and envelopes are now available at the back of Saint Paul's Church. You are invited to take one home, and complete it with the names of all those you have loved and lost and wish to pray for. It would be a kind thought to perhaps name an old neighbour, acquaintance or workmate who are never mentioned now, and who have no one left to pray for them now.

The envelopes can be placed either in the boxes at the back of the Church, or in the weekend collection baskets!

Eternal rest grant unto their Soul O Lord......

#### RECENTLY DECEASED

Doreen Toman, Antrim Road Terence Doonan, Stevenson Park, formerly Ederney Patricia McGibbon, Lurgan Road, Aghagallon

#### ANNIVERSARIES SUNDAY 20TH OCTOBER VIGIL MASS 7.00PM

Lily McCaughley – Ashwood Sean and Paddy Toman Elmwood Terrace Lily Haughey – Lower North Street

Mary-Ann McConville Thornleigh and Ballinary **9.00AM** 

Sheila Magee – Grattan Street Frankie Baxter – Thornleigh John Muirhead – Oakridge

Patricia Curran – Killough Gardens
10.30AM MASS

Agnes and Bernard McNammee Derryadd

Sheila McConaghy – Cherrytree Walk Jim B. and Charles Seeley – Beech Court Tommy McDonald – Downshire Avenue

**12.00 NOON MASS**Seamus McAnnallen

MONDAY 21ST OCTOBER 10.00AM

Brendan and William Leathem North Street

#### TUESDAY 22ND OCTOBER 10.00AM

Gerald, Joan and Barry Gaskin London

Kathleen McKinstry – Avondale Green Rosaleen Shanks – Silverwood Drive Minnie Hamill – Edward Street

Phyllis Magee – Cornakinnegar Road
WEDNESDAY 23RD OCTOBER

### **10.00AM**Donal Kerr Snr – Taghnevan Drive

Jane McVeigh

Joseph Corey – O'Neill's Terrace Josie Green – Drumlin Drive Paddy Kerr – Brookvale Walk

### THURSDAY 24TH OCTOBER 10.00AM

Mamie McEvoy (nee McAliskey)
Dundalk M.M.
Siobhan Mullan – Old Portadown Road

Denis Armstrong Alex Thornbury – Francis Street Margaret and Patrick Quinn

## Stonebridge FRIDAY 25TH OCTOBER 10.00AM

Kathleen Kerr – North Street Kathleen O'Hara – Oakridge Paddy McAlinden – New Street

Eternal rest grant unto them, O Lord, and let perpetual light shine upon them. Requiescant in pace.

#### SAFEGUARDING INFORMATION

An Adult Safeguarding Awareness Sessions will take place in Newry Parish Centre, The Mall, on Saturday 19th October and Saturday 26th October from 11.00 am until 1.00 pm. This awareness is for volunteers who bring the Eucharist to Nursing/Residential homes, and to those in our parish who are housebound. There will also be a one day training for Child Safeguarding on Saturday November 30th in Seapatrick Parish Centre, Scarva Road, Banbridge. This training is mandatory for volunteers whose role is supervising/ teaching /instructing children and young people, or who has contact with children in their role. Please inform your parish representatives or Fionnuala Hamill Andrea Mc Carthy if you wish to attend. These sessions are on a first come first serve basis, and numbers for each are 25 to 30 maximum.