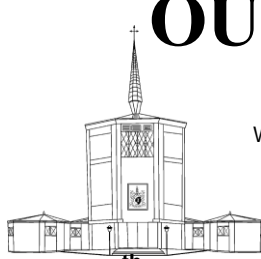


OUR PARISH BULLETIN



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.

ST. PAUL'S PARISH SHANKILL

29th MARCH 2020
FIFTH SUNDAY OF LENT

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who require protection
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Mrs Patricia Carville. Tel. 077 8991 7741

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Representative and Parish Sacristan
Ms Fionnuala Hamill. Tel. 028 3832 1289

OFFERTORY PROMISE

If you've been wondering what to do with your weekly envelope, we appreciate you keeping us in mind. Please know your contribution is needed now more than ever. Kindly fill your envelope each week and put aside until you're back at Mass or, when it is safe to come out, you can also drop them any time through the letterbox of the parish office. **Thank you.**

DROMORE DIOCESAN HISTORICAL SOCIETY

Due to the present circumstances, the lecture in St Peter's Hall, Lurgan in association with the "Lurgan & North Armagh George Russell Festival Society" scheduled for Wednesday 8th April 2020 is **CANCELLED**.

The events planned for May and June are also **cancelled**.

UPDATE Regarding Covid-19 Measures

Dear parishioners,

Following on from the UK government's instruction on Monday, the following measures now apply in our parishes:

- Baptisms are postponed until after the current 'stay at home' measures are lifted
- Funerals may continue with only family and close friends attending to a maximum of 100 people, and social distancing observed in the church
- The Adoration Chapel is temporarily closed until further notice
- The Parish Offices are closed to face-to-face visits but remain open to phone calls and e-mails for anniversaries and any other business.
- Confessions are available by phoning either parish and asking to see or speak to a priest.
- St Paul's church and St Peter's church remain open from 11:00am-6:00pm Monday to Saturday for *solitary prayer only*.

Masses, rosary and Stations of the Cross continue as normal and all are streamed on our webcams at www.lurganparish.com.

Follow us on facebook @lurganparish for the latest updates; restrictions will be relaxed as soon as public health measures allow.

REMEMBER CLOCKS GO FORWARD BY ONE HOUR
THIS WEEKEND

MASS ON TELEVISION

Each morning, at 10:30am from Monday to Friday, Mass from the Cathedral of Saints Eunan & Columba in Letterkenny, Co Donegal is broadcast on the RTÉ News Now channel. This broadcast is in response to the restrictions on public gatherings due to Covid-19. Following the broadcast of Mass, a religious message from representatives of Ireland's other faith communities and Christian denominations is also aired.

EUCCHARISTIC ADORATION
The Adoration Chapel is temporarily closed until further notice



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RECENTLY DECEASED

As parishioners we offer our sincere sympathies, prayers and support to the family members of:

May Doran, New Street

Anne McAlinden (nee Hagan),
Derrymacash.

May they rest in peace.

PARISH ANNIVERSARIES
SATURDAY 28 MARCH (Vigil Mass)
Thomas John McAlinden Killough Gardens
Jemmie Doran, Lake Street

SUNDAY 29 MARCH – 9am Mass
Jim McCaffrey Beaumont Square

SUNDAY 29 MARCH – 10:30 Mass
No Anniversaries

SUNDAY 29 MARCH – 12 noon Mass
Bill, Norah and Paul Clarke
Eileen Read, Manor Park

MONDAY 30 MARCH
Eileen Scullion, formerly Edward Street
Elsie McGrann, Manor Park

TUESDAY 31 MARCH
Jim O'Neill, Ailsbury Gardens
Mary Catherine Conway, Drumlin Drive

WEDNESDAY 1 APRIL
Claire Harmon, London
Gerald Byrne, Taghnevan Close
Hugh and Mary Ann Magee, Silverwood

THURSDAY 2 APRIL
Bernice Lavery, Conor Park
Edith and James Craig, Silverwood Drive

FRIDAY 3 APRIL
Gertie McGivern, Cafolla Gardens
Victor Lavery, Downshire Avenue
Lily McConville, Shankill Street

SATURDAY 4 APRIL - 10.30am
Marion Grimes, Regency Court
Sarah Greene, Ashwood

As the Parish Office is closed to visitors until further notice, please telephone or email the Parish Office to let us know of Anniversaries:

Telephone number: (028) 3832 1289
E-mail: office@stpaulsparishlurgan.org

Many thanks for your patience and understanding at this difficult time for everyone. Remember
KEEP YOUR DISTANCE and STAY AT HOME

SAINT PAUL'S CHURCH MASS SCHEDULE

Sunday

Vigil 7:00p.m. (Saturday)
9:00a.m., 10:30a.m. and
12:00noon.

Monday to Friday 10:00a.m.
Saturday: 10:30a.m.

Sacrament of Reconciliation
On request by contacting the
parish office

Saint Paul's Parish Office
Parish Secretary – Patricia McCann
(028) 3832 1289

Office Hours

Monday, Tuesday
Thursday and Friday
9.00a.m.–12.30p.m.
Wednesday 1.00p.m.–4:30p.m.

SAINT PETER'S CHURCH MASS SCHEDULE

Sunday

Vigil 6:00p.m. (Saturday)
8:00a.m., 10:00a.m.,
11:00a.m. (po polsku) & 12:15p.m.

Monday to Friday: 8:00a.m.
Monday and Wednesday:
10:30a.m.

Tuesday and Friday: 7:00p.m.
Saturday: 9:30a.m.

Sacrament of Reconciliation
On request by contacting the
parish office

Saint Peter's Parish Office
Parish Secretary – Marie Brady
(028) 3832 3161

Office Hours

Monday 10.00a.m. – 1.00p.m.
1:45p.m. – 4.00p.m.
Tuesday to Thursday
9.00a.m.– 1.00 p.m.
1:45 p.m.–4.00 p.m.
Friday 9.00a.m.–1.00p.m.
1:30p.m.–2:30p.m.

USEFUL WEBSITES

The Divine Mercy Chaplet will take place every Friday in Saint Paul's Church at 9.45a.m. Log onto Lurgan parish website: <http://www.lurganparish.com> and click on 'St Paul's webcam'

As well as Mass at the usual times, also tune in for **ROSARY**: Monday – Friday St Peter's 8.30am, St Paul's 10.30am.

Stations of the Cross will take place on Sundays in Saint Paul's Church at 6.00p.m., and each Friday in Saint Peter's Church at 7.30p.m. . <http://www.lurganparish.com> Stations are also streamed in Polish at 6:00pm from St Peter's.

The Rosary followed by Night Prayers is celebrated in the Priests' Oratory, Newry each night 9.00p.m. Log onto Newry Parish Facebook page and join with them.

Father Brendan Kearns has set up a YouTube channel and is uploading videos of weekday and weekend Masses. Search for 'Fr Brendan Kearns'. Fr. Brendan will also be uploading other forms of prayers for us to pray along with.

A Short Children's Liturgy will be broadcast on Facebook <https://www.facebook.com/ChildrensLiturgyBallela/> on Sunday mornings at 10.00a.m. While it goes out live, the video will also be available afterwards on the website.

Prayers Each Day: Simply type 'Sacred Space' into google, or download the app, so that a gentle prayer and reflection can wing its way to you each day.