

# SAINT PAUL'S PARISH, SHANKILL



## 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 talents are most welcome!  
May God bless all of us.

### OUR PARISH CLERGY

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Our Parish Deacon: Rev Kevin Devine (028) 3832

**SUNDAY 30 JUNE 2024**  
**13th SUNDAY IN**  
**ORDINARY TIME**



### ST PAUL'S PARISH MASS SCHEDULE

#### Sunday

Vigil 7:00pm (Saturday)  
9:00am and 10:30am.

#### Weekdays

Monday to Friday: 10:00am  
Saturday 10.30am

#### Saint Paul's Parish Office

Parish Secretary  
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#### Office Hours

Monday to Friday 9.00am to 12.30pm

#### Requests for Anniversaries/Month's Mind

Notices should be left into the Parish Office on or before  
**12 NOON EACH WEDNESDAY**  
of the week before if they are to be included in the Bulletin.



### ST PETER'S PARISH MASS SCHEDULE

#### Sunday

Vigil 6:00pm (Saturday)  
8:00am, 10:00am (po polsku)  
and 12 Noon

#### Weekdays

Monday to Friday: 8:00am  
Tuesday: and Friday 7:00pm  
Saturday 9.30am

#### Saint Peter's Parish Office

Parish Secretary  
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#### Office Hours

Monday 10:00am – 1:00pm and  
1:45pm – 4.00pm  
Tuesday–Thursday 9.00am – 1.00pm  
and 1:45pm – 4.00 pm  
Friday 9.00am–1.00pm  
and 1:30pm –2:30pm

**24-HOUR NUMBER FOR ALL  
SICK CALLS AND  
EMERGENCIES**  
**TEL: (028) 3832 3161**

Parish web: [www.lurganparish.com](http://www.lurganparish.com)  
Facebook: @lurganparish  
Parish App: Parish365  
Download App Store or Google Play

Saint Vincent de Paul  
William Street:  
(028) 3832 5725

SAFEGUARDING CHILDREN AND  
ADULTS WHO REQUIRE PROTECTION:  
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Saint Paul's Parish Safeguarding  
Representative and Parish Sacristan.  
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### FEAST DAYS DURING THE WEEK

**Monday 1st July St Oliver Plunkett, bishop and martyr** - He was appointed Archbishop of Armagh in 1669 and ministered there but was forced work in a covert way during the suppression of priests. He was found guilty of high treason for promoting the Catholic faith and was hanged on 1 July 1681 at Tyburn, London. He was canonized by Pope Paul VI on 12 October 1975, his head is venerated in St Peter's Church, Drogheda.

**Wednesday 3 July - St Thomas, Apostle** - is said to have preached the gospel in India where he was martyred. The faithful that led him to know Christ in his wounds also sent him to the farthest places to preach Christ.

**Thursday 4 July - St Elizabeth of Portugal** 1271-1336, of the House of Aragon, had an unhappy marriage with the King of Portugal. She persevered in prayer and good works and as a widow lived in poverty as a Franciscan tertiary.

**Friday 5 July - St Anthony Zaccaria, Priest** - 1502-39, was a medical doctor before becoming a priest in Milan, he founded the Barnabites.

**Saturday 6 July - St Maria Goretti, Virgin and Martyr** 1890-1902, stabbed to death in defence of her virtue **and**

**St Moninne of Killeavy, Virgin** was one of Ireland's early female saints. After instruction in the religious life, she founded a community, initially consisting of eight virgins and a widow with a baby, at Slieve Gullion, in what became County Armagh. They lived an eremitical life. She died in 517.

### SISTER BREIGE MC KENNA

Knock Shrine National Day of Intercession for Priests, Monday 5th August  
Coach £25  
Contact: Gabrielle 07933 521105 or Catherina 07899 810181

### ANNUAL WEEKEND TRIP TO KNOCK

Friday 2nd August till  
Sunday 4th August  
To book a seat contact:  
Ita 077 4251 8958.

### CEMETERY SUNDAY



### ROSARY AND PRAYERS FOR THE FAITHFUL DEPARTED ON SUNDAY 11th AUGUST 2024

Dougher Cemetery 3.00pm  
and St Colman's 5.00pm

### HAPPY SUMMER

### SCHOOLS OUT FOR SUMMER

Wishing all our school children a very Happy and safe summer holiday.

### GUIDED TOURS OF NEWRY CATHEDRAL RETURN FOR SUMMER 2024

We are pleased to announce that we will once again offer guided tours of Newry cathedral on the following dates:

**Wednesday 3rd July at  
2.00pm Wednesday 24th July  
at 6.45pm Wednesday 7th  
August at 2.00pm Wednesday  
21st August at 6.45pm**

Each tour will take approximately 90 minutes.

Please meet at the main door of Newry Cathedral.  
You will hear the story of the building of Newry Cathedral, 1825-1829, and of the later extensions. The history of its stained glass, marble altars, sculptures and magnificent mosaics will also be explained.

There is no charge for these tours.

### KILMAINHAM GAOL AND DUBLIN TOUR

Friday 19th July £36  
CORK and ALL THAT HISTORY  
5 day tour Dept Saturday 9th  
September  
Clonakilty Park Hotel £429  
Contact Noel: 079 5547 5650 Or  
Gerard 028 3832 4741

### THOUGHT FOR THE DAY

Suffering is part of the human condition. It is a mystery somehow bound up with the invasion of God's good creation by evil. But the God we see in the face of Jesus Christ is a God who always works to alleviate human suffering; he doesn't send it as a punishment.

It may be true that since the time of Jesus our prayers for the alleviation of human suffering have not always been answered in the way we would have liked; this again is part of the mystery.

But it should not cause us to doubt the basic desire of God is to deliver us from evil, not to inflict it on us.



### ADORATION CHAPEL

Edward Street  
Adoration 9am - 9pm

### FIRST FRIDAY OVERNIGHT

**ADORATION 5 JULY 2024**  
continuing from 9pm Friday through to 9am Saturday.  
All are invited to adore anytime between these hours

### LOUGH DERG

### 2024 PILGRIMAGE SEASON 3 Day Pilgrimages from Friday 31 May - Thursday 15 August

(any 3 days until Tues 13 August)  
Admission €80 Booking advised,  
concession for students, seniors and groups.

#### Quiet Day

**Friday 13 September.**

Booking essential. €35 per person.

#### Lakeshore Pilgrimage

*Along the pilgrim path*

Sunday 1 September. €25 per person.

#### Residential Retreat

Friday 21 - Tuesday 25 June  
*Called to love - Young Adult Retreat*

Sunday 21 - Thursday 25 July  
*To whom shall we go?*

Sunday 4 - Thursday 8 August  
*Life to the Full'*

€400 per person or €325 per person sharing. Full Board.

#### One Day Retreat

A day of guided prayer and reflection.

Sat 17, Tues 20, Sun 25 Mon 26  
and Sat 31 August

Wed 4, Sat 7, Tues 10, Sat 14,  
Sun 15, Sat 21 and  
Sun 22 September

Booking essential.  
[www.loughderg.org](http://www.loughderg.org)

### OFFERTORY COLLECTION

Sunday 23rd June 2024 £1,967.74  
Thank you for your continued  
generosity and support to your Parish

### MEDJUGORJE GROUP PILGRIMAGE 2024

3rd -10th July £695 stg  
Fully escorted trip with Marian  
Pilgrimages  
£200 deposit required  
For further details and booking:  
Mary Austin 07718 531 096  
Clare Thornton 07746 556 680



### REMEMBER THEM. O LORD

As parishioners we offer our sincere sympathy, prayers and support to the family members of those who have died recently:

### RECENTLY DECEASED

**Annie Cassidy (née McGeown)**

**Aughnacloy House formerly Silverwood Drive**

**Mark McKee, Lough Road**

**Louise Rose (née Green)**

**England, formerly Beaumont Square**

**Deirdre Clarke (née McKerr), Cherrytree Walk**

**SATURDAY 29th JUNE 10.30pm MASS**

**Sean David Conway (MM), Francis Street**

Terence McCaughley, Mansefield

Elezebeth Conway, Silverwood

**SATURDAY 29th JUNE 7.00pm VIGIL MASS**

Michael McAlinden, Wolfisland Terrace

Issac and Jerry Towe, Levin Road/Wellington Street

Kevin and Mary Coleman, Drumlin Drive

Brian Coleman, Ballinamoney Cottages

**SUNDAY 30th JUNE 9.00AM MASS**

Minnie Mahaffy, Waring Street

Raymond Downey Junior, USA

Corry/Reid Families, Kearny, New Jersey

**SUNDAY 30th JUNE 10.30AM MASS**

Angela McKeown, New Street

Eileen Martin, Silverwood Leaves/Banbridge

Josie Rowe (née O'Hanlon) Church Walk/England

**MONDAY 1st JULY 10.00AM**

James and May McAreavey, Manor Park

Gary McCusker, Hill Street

**TUESDAY 2nd JULY 10.00AM**

Joseph Patrick Blaney, Monbrieff Walk

Isobel Mallon, Cypress Gardens

James and Nan Haddock, Cafolla Gardens

Eugene Lavery, Edward Street

**WEDNESDAY 3rd JULY 10.00AM**

Mary McCann, Edward Street

Nuala King, Thornleigh

Eamon Mallon, Richmond Gardens

**THURSDAY 4th JULY 10.00AM**

Peggy Wallace, Ardglass, Co Down

George Smith, Ashwood

Jack McLearn, North Street

**FRIDAY 5th JULY 10.00AM**

Eamon and Paddy McCann, Rampart Street

**SATURDAY 6 JULY 10.30AM**

Patsy Magennis, Manor Park

Bernadette Breen, Loughview Terrace, Derrytrasna

**ETERNAL REST GRANT UNTO THEM O LORD.**

**Prayer for deceased relatives and friends.**

**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**

### NOTICE

Anniversaries and Month's Mind notices which occur up to Saturday 27th July need to be left into the Parish Office by Wednesday 10th July 12.00pm in order to be included in the Bulletin over the holiday period.