

Saint Paul's Parish, Shankill Bulletin



Twenty-Third Sunday in Ordinary Time ~ 8 September 2019

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Saint Paul's Church Mass Schedule

Sunday:
Vigil 7:00 pm *Saturday*
9:00 am, 10:30am and 12:00 noon

Monday to Friday: 10:00 am
Saturday: 10:30 am

Sacrament of Reconciliation
Evening before First Fridays:
6:15–6:50 pm *Thursday*

Saturdays:
11–11:30 am and 6:15–6:50 pm



Saint Peter's Church Mass Schedule

Sunday:
Vigil 6:00 pm *Saturday*
8:00 am, 10:00am,
11:00am (*po polsku*) and 12:15pm

Monday to Friday: 8:00 am
also
Monday and Wednesday: 10:30 am
Tuesday and Friday: 7 pm
Saturday: 9:30 am

Sacrament of Reconciliation
Fridays: 6:15–6:50 pm
Saturdays: 5:15–5:50 pm

Saint Peter's Office Hours
Monday 10am to 1pm and 1.45 pm to 4pm
Tuesday to Thursday

8 SEPTEMBER: NATIVITY OF MARY



8 September marks the Nativity of Our Lady, that is, Our Lady's birthday.
Nine months ago we celebrated Mary's Immaculate Conception on 8 December, and today marks the birth of the little girl kept free from Original Sin by God's grace. Her birth to her parents Anne and Joachim marks an important stage in the long wait for the Jewish people of the coming of the Messiah. In Mary, we see the perfect person whom God made to be the Mother of his Son. Her arrival is a prelude to the Saviour himself. God had begun to work in the world in a manner never seen before.

Lily of Paradise, lovable Mary, the Holy Spirit takes delight in your birth for he sees in you the soul never stained by sin, which would forever be his worthy Spouse.

May your birth give joy to my soul also, by asking the Holy Spirit to fill me with his divine gifts that I may draw many people to know God by the fruits of joy, kindness and love.

**The new rota for all Ministers
of the Word is now available from the
sacristy.**

POPE FRANCIS' PRAYER FOR VICTIMS AND SURVIVORS OF ABUSE

Lord, forgive us our many sins.
We grieve and repent with all our hearts for having offended you, for our great failings and neglect of the young and vulnerable.
We place all of those who have been hurt by the Church in any way into your loving hands and under the protection of Our Blessed Mother.
Lord, bring peace to their broken lives and show us all the way out of darkness and into the light of your Word.
May we as the people of God be more fully human, more fully Christ-like and more fully your people, that we may see the errors of the past and go forward with renewed hope and faith in Christ and in our Church.

ADORATION CHAPEL

Anyone who has received a parking charge while at the Adoration Chapel should contact The Consumer Council.
Please note advice to consumers about what to do in the event that they receive a Parking Charge Notice (PCN).
Contact the Consumer Council first.
The Consumer Council telephone number is **028 9025 1600** or **0800 1216022**.
The Consumer Council need the PCN fine number, car registration and your contact telephone number.
They have a help sheet regarding this which is available in the Adoration Chapel Foyer.
The Adoration Chapel Committee

The 2020
Dromore Diocesan Lourdes Pilgrimage
will take place from

BAPTISMS



We warmly welcome the children who have been recently baptised in the parish as our new sisters and brothers in faith.

Riah Margaret Campbell, Larkfield Meadows
Dathi Gearóid Campbell, Glenholme Park
Owen Christopher Maughan, Drumlin Drive
Jack Daniel Ryan, Riverglade Manor
Noah Pio Bell, Ailsbury Park
Ella Nicole Kerr, Sperrin Park
Mae Martin, Kiln Avenue
Conor James McCrink, Crozier Park
Jaxon Jacob Rice, Hawthorne Avenue
Iga Izabella Sliwiak, Darling Avenue

Congratulations to their parents and families; may God help you as raise your children in faith.

**The committee of the Gaelic League
would like to thank all those who
generously donated to their Irish
language collection, and also those who
took part in their annual Siúl Fada.
Go raibh maith agaibh.**

FOOD BANK: Volunteers Needed

From the start of September, volunteers would be needed to help with delivering our food bank items to the food bank warehouse in Carn Industrial Estate in Portadown. The role would entail collecting the items from the sacristy and bringing them out to the food bank on a Monday morning. If you are interested in helping to keep this fantastic initiative running in our parish please contact Cathy on 07856169677. *Many thanks.*

Are you aged between 16 and 18?
**THE POPE JOHN PAUL II AWARD NATIONAL
PILGRIMAGE TO KNOCK SHRINE** will take place on Friday 27 September 2019. Over 1,100 young people from across the country attended this youth pilgrimage last year.
Our theme is
'Life To The Full' - Positive Friendships.
Your parish needs you now!
Guest speaker will be Elma Walsh from the #LiveLife Foundation. Music by Elation Ministries.
The pilgrimage will start at 11:00am and will conclude after 3:00pm Mass, celebrated by Award patron, Bishop Donal McKeown.
For more information visit www.ipaward.com

PARISH WEBCAM REMINDER

A webcam runs continuously in St Paul's live-streaming all events that take place in the church, including weddings and funerals. Only the 7:00pm Mass on Saturdays is routinely recorded, plus other special occasions. These may be viewed online at
www.churchservices.tv or
lurganparish.com for 30 days following the ceremony. After that time recordings will be destroyed, however exceptions may apply and recordings may last longer if the parish requires it.

SVP Hallowe'en Break at Ozanam

Holiday Centre Mornington.
3 nights full board from 30 October 2019.
Cost £100 per person sharing.
Nightly entertainment and transport provided.
**To book, contact Sheila
at 028 38322500 after 6pm.**
Non-refundable deposit of £50 is required to confirm booking.

Golf Classic Memorial

(*Godfrey Martin*)
Friday 20th September, 12 noon
In aid of KBRT



The **Kevin Bell Repatriation Trust** aims to alleviate the financial hardship of bereaved families repatriating the body (bodies) of loved one(s) who have died abroad in sudden or tragic circumstances back to Ireland.

Fantastic prizes for nearest the pin and longest drive.
On-course refreshments plus 2 course meal.
Details on the notice boards at the back of the church.

Dromantine Retreat

Saturday 28th September
Fr. Joseph Ralph OP, Lectio Divina
An introduction to the ancient practice of Lectio Divina:
Together we will read, recognise, respond, rest in and reflect on the Sunday Gospel, culminating in a celebration of the Eucharist.

RECENTLY DECEASED

Michael Potterton, Derrymacash
Shane Devlin, Belfast,
formerly Derrymacash
Sonya Furphy, Dingwell Park
Kenneth Fortune, Downshire Avenue
Elizabeth McGeown (née Scullion), Carrickmacross, formerly William St

ANNIVERSARIES

SUNDAY 8 SEPTEMBER
Vigil Mass
Maureen Dunwoody, Lurgantarry
Anna Heaney, Francis Street
Karen McKeag, Oakridge
Francis O'Neill, Downshire Avenue
Terry Doyle, Riverglade Manor

9:00 am
Nellie Harbinson, Prospect Way
Doris Rooney, Rampart Street
Elizabeth McCluskey, Lurgan

10:30 am
Barbara McCaughley, Silverwood Drive

12 noon
Sheila Furphy, Oakridge

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MONDAY 9 SEPTEMBER
David Atkinson, Taghnevan Close

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TUESDAY 10 SEPTEMBER
Berndaette McGeown, Ulster Street
Angela Connolly, Cypress Gardens
Vincent McConville, Ulster Street

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WEDNESDAY 11 SEPTEMBER
Mary Anna Thornbury, Shankill
Paddy McAlinden, Mary Street
Gerard McGowan, Belfast
Paul McSherry, Hawthorn Avenue
Moirá Farrell, Derrycor

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THURSDAY 12 SEPTEMBER
Leigh Coghlan, Drumbeg

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FRIDAY 13 SEPTEMBER
Sr Teresa Rice, Convent of Mercy
Mary Lavery, New Street

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SATURDAY 14 SEPTEMBER
(M.Mind) Maureen McCrory, Downshire Avenue
Maureen O'Hagan, Francis Street
Donald Findon, Edward Street
Kevin Murphy, Bleary
Tommy Nash, Waring Street

*Eternal rest grant unto them, O Lord,
and let perpetual light shine upon them*