

# St. Peter's Parish, Shankill

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# BULLETIN

8th March 2015 – 3rd Sunday of Lent



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## MASS SCHEDULE

Saturday 6pm (Vigil)  
Sunday 8am, 10am,  
11am (po polsku) & 12.15pm  
Monday, Wednesday & Thursday  
8am & 10.30am  
Tuesday & Friday 8am & 7pm,  
Saturday 10am

DROGA KRZYZOWA PO  
POLSKU W KAZDY  
PIAAATEK O GODZ. 18.00  
Z OKAZJA DO SPOWIEDZI

## SACRAMENT OF RECONCILIATION Saturday

9.15am - 9.50am & 5.15pm - 5.50pm

## OFFERTORY COLLECTION

1<sup>st</sup> March - £4680  
Donations – 1 X £50, 1 X £30 and  
£120 loose  
£100 from *Mary's Land*, the movie  
*Thank you for your continued support*



We welcome the following children into the Christian Community through the Sacrament of Baptism

Jamie Luke Christopher McCartan,  
Sloan Street

Mia Lilly Harte,  
Lough Road Lower

Aoife Rose Kelly,  
Northwood,

Ethan Cree & Simone Wren McConville,  
Gosselin Avenue

*Our prayers and good wishes are extended to their families*

All parents wishing to have a child baptised in St Peter's Parish, must notify the Parish Office in person. One month's notice is required. Parents/Godparents will have an opportunity to meet some members of the Baptism Team prior to the day of Baptism.

## LIFE PREGNANCY MATTERS

Provides a counselling service for people dealing with an unplanned pregnancy, miscarriage or abortion  
Contact 9043 4848



## LENT 2015



Tonight, Sunday, **Evening Prayer of the Church** from the *Divine Office*, will be prayed in St Peter's Church at **7pm**, followed by Benediction. This prayer will be offered each Sunday evening of Lent at 7pm.

This coming **Tuesday** evening, 10<sup>th</sup> March, **Fr Michael Dempsey** (CSSR) will be the preacher at 7pm Mass. There will be a visiting preacher from a Religious Order/Missionary background at Tuesday evening Masses of Lent: *Tuesday 24<sup>th</sup> March: Fr Francis Brady, SJ*

This **Friday** evening the **Stations of the Cross** will be prayed following the 7pm Mass (and on each of the Friday evenings of Lent)

## TROCAIRE LENTEN CAMPAIGN 2015

A representative of Trocaire, from their Belfast office, will speak at the 6.00pm Vigil Mass & 10.00am Mass in our parish this weekend, and highlight the focus of this year's campaign



## LANDS ADJOINING ST COLMAN'S CEMETERY

St Peter's Parish continues to be very concerned about the misuse of parish land adjoining St Colman's Cemetery and Tarry Lane. Scramblers and other vehicles have been regularly breaking entry, trespassing on this property and effectively using it as a form of racing circuit. These activities, and the noise generated because of them, have been a major annoyance to visitors to St Colman's, residents in the Tarry Lane area and, on occasions, those attending burial services at the cemetery. The Parish wishes to make it very clear that no member of the public has ever been given permission to use its property in this way and deplores the upset caused by these intruders. It has pointed this out on several occasions to those involved in the scrambling and has asked them, unsuccessfully, to end their activities. If you know any of the people involved and feel that you could persuade them as to the consequences of their unwanted, anti-social activity, the Parish would welcome your support and input in helping to resolve this difficult and distressing situation.

## SYNOD ON FAMILY LIFE - CONSULTATION OF LAY FAITHFUL

A Synod of bishops takes place this October on marriage & family life in the Church today. An Extraordinary Synod on this topic took place last year. The report from last year's synod – and questions arising from it – are available for public consultation at this time. You are welcome to view this document and the questions attached to it, online, by searching for: **synod lineamenta**

Irish dioceses are forwarding reports to the Holy See on any comments/feedback they receive from lay Catholics on these questions regarding support for marriage and Christian family life. If you would like to make a response, to be reflected in the report from our diocese, you should address your comments in writing to Fr Andrew McMahon c/o St Peter's Parish Office or by email [afmcmahon@hotmail.co.uk](mailto:afmcmahon@hotmail.co.uk)  
Comments/responses need to be with Fr McMahon by Sunday 22<sup>nd</sup> March

**DIOCESAN HISTORICAL SOCIETY**  
Wednesday 11<sup>th</sup> March 7.30pm in the Balmoral Hotel, Warrenpoint.  
**The Society's Annual Irish Night**, organised by Dean Anthony Davies, comprising of dinner and entertainment; £20 per person To book call Dean Davies 4173 9484 or Frank McCorry 3831 2943

## ST RONAN'S COLLEGE



Sixth Form Open Evening  
Monday 9<sup>th</sup> March 2015 3.45pm – 5.30pm

Cornakinnegar Road Campus  
Principal's Address – 3.45pm  
KS4 Open Evening  
Monday 23<sup>rd</sup> March 2015  
3.45pm – 5.30pm  
Francis St Campus  
Principal's Address – 3.45pm  
Students wishing to transfer to St Ronan's College for GCSE or post 16 courses and their parents are most welcome.

*Teachers will be available on both evenings to discuss your options*

## SUPPORTING CHRISTIAN RADIO

Premier Christian Radio broadcasts from the UK and brings prayer, worship and programmes of Christian interest to many thousands of listeners every day. They are currently carrying out an online campaign to have their digital broadcast licence extended beyond the end of March 2015, when it is due to expire. If you can spare a moment to support this petition then visit [www.premier.org.uk](http://www.premier.org.uk) and follow the link to the petition, highlighted on the home page of this site.  
*Thank you!*

## DRUMNAMOE NURSERY SCHOOL

*Forever Beauty Wellness and Coffee Morning.*

Consisting of Make-up Demo, Wrap Demo, and Showcase of all products from 'Forever Living'.  
Tue 10<sup>th</sup> March 2015 @10.30 am.  
Proceeds in Aid of PIPS  
*Everyone Welcome*

## MAKE A WILL, MAKE A DIFFERENCE

Eamonn McEvoy & Co. Solicitors of 22 Church Place, Lurgan is delighted to be supporting the Northern Ireland Hospice by participating in its "Make a Will Month", which will be taking place throughout March 2015 and will involve local solicitors firms from across Northern Ireland.

Eamonn McEvoy and Co. will not be charging any fee for their will-making services during this period, and will instead be encouraging clients to make a discretionary donation to the Northern Ireland Hospice or the Northern Ireland Children's Hospice.

Making a will is something which we should all do in our lifetime. It ensures that your final wishes are carried out, and that your family and loved ones are protected and provided for. As well as these benefits, The 'Make a Will' month gives members of the public a chance to make a real difference to the life of a hospice patient. For example a donation of £30 will enable the Hospice to fund one hour of specialist hospice care.

For more information or to make an appointment to discuss your Will, contact Eamonn McEvoy & Co. Solicitors on 028 3832 7734.

## LEGION OF MARY BOOKSTALLS

The booklet racks at the rear of the Church have been re-stocked with new material. Some of this material is suitable for Lenten reading, reflection and devotion. Visit the racks and select something which you may find helpful in celebrating the Season of lent. Consider taking home a Catholic paper each weekend

## Diocese of Dromore Pilgrimage to the Holy Land

Wednesday 21st October 2015 -  
Thursday 29th October 2015  
Under the leadership of  
Bishop John McAreavey  
Cost: £1,245 per person sharing.  
(Single supplement £52 per night)  
For booking forms and more information contact  
your parish office, parish priest, or  
Diocesan Office 028 3026 2444

## SEAGOE PARISH MISSION

The Vincentian Ember Team led by Fr Aidan Galvin CM is leading a Mission in Seagoe Parish (Derrymacash and Derrytrasna) starting on Monday 9<sup>th</sup>. See posters in St Paul's and St Peter's chapels for further details.

## Lurgan Library

Tues 10<sup>th</sup> March 2.30pm-3.30pm  
**VIOLEEN** – Nikolavy & Vessie Ivanov & Lee Lawson are a trio of professional musicians, performing music from various cultures.  
*Donations to Southern Area Hospice.*

## St Peter's Youth Club

Leader in Charge Opportunity now Available 3 hours paid work, 6pm to 9pm, 1 night per week only. For application form or more information contact: Jimmy Magee at 0790 545 6632 [jamesmagee5@aol.com](mailto:jamesmagee5@aol.com)  
**Closing Date - 16th March 2015**

## ARTIST UNITED, GILFORD

*Presents*  
*A Concert of Music, Song & Dance*  
Friday 13<sup>th</sup> March @ 8pm in  
Gilford Community Club, Castle Hill  
Admission £5 includes stew supper



## RECENTLY DECEASED

Noel Lennon, Brownlow Terrace  
Jim Blevins, Inglewood

## MONTHS MIND

**Sunday 8<sup>th</sup> March**  
Jennifer Griffiths, Sloan Street  
**Saturday 14<sup>th</sup> March**  
John Haughey, Dublin/North Street

## ANNIVERSARIES

**Sunday 8<sup>th</sup> March**  
Mary Ann McStravick, Sloan Street  
Sarah McConville, Sloan St/Edward St  
Mary Ellen Sharpe, Edward Street  
Kay Barlow, Lisburn/Castor Bay Road  
Molly McStravick, Derrymore  
Philip Coleman, Castor Bay Road  
Teresa McKeagney, Cornakinnegar Road  
Anne O'Mara, Blanchardstown, Dublin  
Josie McAvoy, Colane  
Desmond Brady, Shore Road  
Brian Brady, Canada  
Jack & Elizabeth Lavery, Islandview, Kinnego

## Monday 9<sup>th</sup> March

Nancy Keville, Caroline Avenue  
Lily McMahon, Oakleigh Fold  
Emma McKenna, Armagh  
Patrick McAlernon, Crumlin  
Bridget McCloskey, Avenue Road

## Tuesday 10<sup>th</sup> March

Josie McCann, North Street  
John McCorry, Shore Road  
Patrick McGeown, Kilmaine Street  
Daniel McKenna, Armagh  
Catherine & Arthur Toman, Bleary  
Charles McClean, Campbell Walk  
Daniel McAlinden, Lough Road  
Teresa Scullion  
Kathleen Topping, Manor Park  
Patrick McCann, Kelly Gardens

## Wednesday 11<sup>th</sup> March

Matilda Scullion, Spain/Glenavy  
Elizabeth (Lily) Lavery, Filbin Crescent  
Jerry Scullion, Ashgrove Gardens  
John Quinn, Derryadd  
Mary Duffy, Kilwilke Road  
Grace McDonald, Wellington Street  
Sheila Doherty, North Circular Road  
Sarah Campbell, Kilmaine Street

## Thursday 12<sup>th</sup> March

Mary Crossey, Grattan Street  
Carmel Wilsso (nee Haughey), Kilmaine St  
Betty McQuillan, Deerings Wood  
Ernesto Cafolla, Francis Street  
Barney Haddock, Mary Street  
Clara McEnoy, Castle Lane  
Una McDowell, Wellington Street  
Elsie McAlinden (nee McShane), Waringstown

## Friday 13<sup>th</sup> March

Joseph Doran (Snr), Mary Street  
Seamus Heaney, London  
Brendan Heaney, Francis Street  
Patrick McConville, Kilwilke Road  
Mary Ann Conlon, Tullylish

## Saturday 14<sup>th</sup> March

Maureen O'Neill, Leansmount Road  
Leonita O'Connor, Lurgantarry  
Geraldine Fearon, Deramore Drive  
Gertrude McAvoy, Shore Road  
Geraldine Fearon, Deramore Drive