

St. Peter's Parish, Shankill

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BULLETIN

23rd FEBRUARY 2025 –SEVENTH SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME




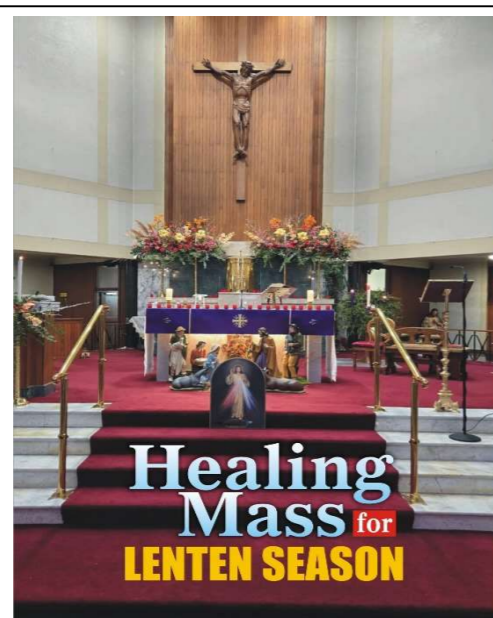
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MASS SCHEDULE
Saturday 9.30am, 6pm (Vigil)
Sunday 8am, 10am, (po polsku) & 12.00 noon
Monday, Wednesday & Thursday 8am
Tuesday & Friday 8am & 7pm
ST PAUL'S CHURCH
Sunday: 9am & 10.30am
Monday-Friday: 10am
Saturday: 10.30 am & 7pm (Vigil)

SACRAMENT OF RECONCILIATION With
Fr Jozef
Friday 6.00pm - 6.45pm

OFFERTORY COLLECTION
16th February - £3164.70
Plus, Standing Orders £350.60 weekly
Donations –£32.00
Thank you for your continued support and generosity.


Holy Baptism
We welcome the following children into the Christian Community through the Sacrament of Baptism
Lochlainn Malachy McCorry, Viewfield
Cáhir Tony McKavanagh, Rectory Park
Maisie Magaret McCleery, Whitehall Gate
Casper & Carson Ferreira De Jesus, Wellington Street
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.
Baptisms take place on the first, third and fifth Sundays of the month @ 1.30pm



"If only I could touch his cloak, I shall be healed"
Matthew 9:21
HEALING MASS
FEATURING:
Confession, Adoration, Rosary with Music, Benediction, Holy Mass with anointing.
@ St Paul's Church, Lurgan, 50 Francis Street, Lurgan, BT66 6DL
6th March, 2025
Starts: 6:00pm
(Please invite friends, neighbours, families and all in need of prayerful support and healing both in body and spirits)
Fr Kingsley, SMMM

ACKNOWLEDGEMENT
I would like to take this opportunity to thank all of you who offered their condolences, support and love during these past difficult couple of weeks through prayer, cards, visits or in any other way; it was very much appreciated by me and my family. Please could I ask that you continue to keep us all in your prayers at this time and know that we are also praying for you.
Míle buíochas go léir.
Fr Colum Murphy

LURGAN LOURDES COMMITTEE
Dromore Diocesan Lourdes Pilgrimage
9th June - 5 Nights Full Board
£850pp
Anyone who would like to be considered as an Assisted Pilgrim
Please contact Rosemary (Secretary)
077 9631 0214
Or any Committee Member


UPCOMING DATES FOR SACRAMENTS
Thursday 27 February @ 11.30am -First Confession, St Teresa's P.S.
Friday 28 February @ 11.00am – Confirmation, Tannaghmore P.S.
Thursday 13 March @ 11.30am – Confirmation, St Teresa's P.S., Lurgan Model P.S.& Carrick P.S.
Thursday 20 March @ 11.30am – First Confession, Lurgan Model P.S.
Friday 21 March @ 11.00am – First Confession., Tannaghmore P.S.
Friday 16 May @ 11.00am – First Communion, Lurgan Model P.S.
Friday 30 May @ 11.00am – First Communion, Tannaghmore P.S.
Thursday 22nd May @ 11.30am – First Communion, St Teresa's P.S.

Day of Prayer for Survivors of Abuse in the Catholic Church 2025
The Irish Bishops have designated the first Friday of Lent each year as a special day of prayer for victims and survivors of abuse in the Church. This year that day will happen Friday 6th March.
All Churches across Ireland are invited to offer prayers on that day for all those who have been impacted by the terrible sins and crimes of abuse in the Church. In many churches a Candle of Atonement will be lit, and the Prayer of Atonement offered as we acknowledge the wrongs of the past and pray for the assistance and guidance of the Holy Spirit as we work to ensure they cannot be repeated.
This initiative and the prayer were instigated by a survivor of abuse in the Church, and I ask that everyone remembers victims of abuse in their personal and family prayers, and most especially in this coming Friday.
Most Rev Eamon Martin
Apostolic Administrator, Diocese of Dromore

One fervent Hail Mary with love and thought said, is better than volumes of prayers poorly read. If time and one's duties prevent a long prayer, just say one Hail Mary with fervour and care.
The 'Golden Hail Mary' which from the heart springs, the greatest of blessings from Mary it brings. And we never will know 'til before Mary's throne, how that daily Hail Mary brought us to her home.

THE SILVER WHITES
Starting: Monday 3rd March 2025
11:00 AM - 12:30 PM
St. Peter's GAC, Lurgan
We are introducing our programme for our older members and local community: Join us for a cup of tea, activities, and a friendly chat.
Everyone is welcome.
For more information, contact:
Anne-Marie: 07717204788 or
Eilish: 07787433484

People 1st Open Night.
Calling all school leavers - come along to the Open Night at People 1st (People First) Lurgan, and find out more about getting PAID to learn on our post-GCSE, school-leavers course for 16 - 18-year-olds, called 'Skills for Life and Work'. Held on Wednesday 26th February from 6pm to 8pm. People 1st, 62-64 High Street, Lurgan. Meet Sarah, Lurgan Student Support Officer, tutors, speak to current students, and tour the facilities.
www.people-1st.co.uk

YORK EASTER TOUR 2025
Departing Easter Monday, 21st April. Return coach & ferry 4 nights D, B&B in the Elmbank Hotel, York
£50pp non-refundable deposit required on booking £529pps - single supplement applies
Last few seats available
To book call Gerard 3832 4741 or Noel 079 5547 5650

NOTICE
Requests for Anniversaries and Month's Mind notices should be left into the Parish Office on or before 12 noon on the Wednesday of the week before if they are to be included in the Bulletin.
The minimum diocesan stipend is £10. As we have a booking system, anniversaries can be booked in advance.
Please use 'Anniversary Envelopes' at the back of the Church

St Peter's Parish now accepts ONLINE DONATIONS
Just scan the QR code with your phone camera to donate.

Or visit <https://donate.mydona.com/st-peters-parish-lurgan>.
Scan the QR code. Enter your amount. Input your card details. Please do not forget to Gift Aid



RECENTLY DECEASED
Kevin O'Connor, Ashgrove Crescent
Maureen Harte nee Seeley, Kiln Road

MONTH'S MIND
Tuesday 25th February
Peter McCrory, Grattan Street

ANNIVERSARIES
Sunday 23rd February
Raymond McNally, Albert Terrace
Malachy Derby, Brownlow Terrace
Eddie Mallon, North Circular Road
Lily McInerney, Antrim Road
Eamon Hagan, Stonebridge
Kathleen Lavery, Oakfield Terrace
Theresa McEntee, Gosselin Avenue
Eddie Catney, Wellington Street
William Henderson, Tannaghmore North
John McDonald, Oakleigh Fold
Francis Ryan, Moortown
Sean McGeown, Ashgrove Park
Charles McGuinness, Shankill Street
Molly Patterson, Wellington Street
Monday 24th February
Jim & Mary Geary, Portadown
Edward (Ted) Breen, Brownlow Terrace
Francis Blaney, Deramore Drive
Una Magee, Windsor Avenue
Sarah Jane McGeown, Kilmaine Street
Tuesday 25th February
James Hughes, Allenhill Park
Joe Lavery, Grattan Street
Tommy Mulligan, Arva, Co Cavan
Vincent McDowell, Filbin Crescent
Anna Harte, The Brambles
Margaret Haughey, Lower North Street
Wednesday 26th February
Nora McLearnon, North Street
Antoinette Murray, Castor Bay Road
Patrick Lennon, Drumlin Drive
Tommy & Annie Henderson, Castor Bay Road
Thursday 27th February
Bobby McGivern, Desmond Avenue
William Robinson, Brown Street
Margaret McCaffrey, Beaumont Square
Edwin Mincher, Levin Road
Ruth Blaney, Hill Court
Friday 28th February
Joe McCann, Beech Court
Archie & Tess Rae, Brett Avenue
Frances Maxwell, Garland Heights
Richard (Dick) Lavery, Filbin Crescent
Seamus Walsh, Kinnego
Jack Hughes, Woodville Street
Barry Plumb, Sperrin Drive
Maurice & Rosaleen Toland, Cafolla Gardens
Saturday 1st March
James Heaney, Ennis Close
Gertrude O'Hagan, Mary Street
William Fox, Wesley Place
Sean Magee, Antrim Road
John Harbington, Wellington Street
Patsy McKeown, Cornakinnegar Road
Deirdre Bourn nee Gallery, Antrim Rd/Ballinasloe
Eternal rest grant onto them O Lord.