

St Peter's Catholic Church

NEWSLETTER



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Permanent Deacon: Rev. John Morrison.

Eighteenth Sunday—Year B

2nd August 2015



**CHURCH HEATING FUND
BALANCE STILL TO PAY**
Initial Cost £40,000
May £18,167.70

WEEKLY COLLECTIONS

The offertory collection last week was £520.11 and £410.52 for the Building Fund. Thank you.

SYNOD ON THE FAMILY

There will be a National Gathering to pray for the success of the Synod on the Family. at 3pm on Sunday 6th September at Carfin .

CHARISMATIC RENEWAL

Bishop John will be Principal Celebrant at Mass in St. Mirin's Cathedral on Thursday 13 August at 7.00pm, to dedicate Charismatic Renewal in the Diocese to Our Lady of Paisley. All are welcome.

EDINBURGH YOUTH ORCHESTRA

There will be a Concert by the Edinburgh Youth Orchestra with Conductor—Julian Lloyd Webber and Soloist—Jiaxin Lloyd Webber on Saturday 15th August at 7.30 pm in Paisley Abbey. Tickets £15/Conc. £10. All proceeds will go to the Accord Hospice. Tickets available from ACCORD Hospice on 0141 581 2000. Email: fundraising@accord.org.uk

OUR LADY UNTIER OF KNOTS

St John's, Barrhead will hold a 9 week Novena to Our Lady Untier of Knots every Tuesday in August and September at 7 pm. Various Priests will lead the Novena. The first one will be led by Deacon Matthew Carlin, newly ordained for the Diocese. More details on www.stjohns-barrhead.org; facebook—stjohnsbarrhead or call 0141 876 1553. All welcome.

MARY'S MEALS

Mary's Meals have sent us a letter thanking everyone for their contributions to the Raffle and Rags to Riches collection last week-end. There were 88 bags collected and £130 of raffle tickets sold. Thank you very much.

FOOD JUSTICE WEEK ON IONA

Would you like to spend a week on the lovely island of Iona to reflect on the challenges in creating 'just food' systems globally. Accommodation in the MacLeod Centre—delicious food! More info from Liz Dowler on email: e.dowler@warwick.ac.uk

TIMES OF MASSES

Morning Mass
at 10.00 a.m.

(In the Parish house Monday-Saturday inclusive, except for funerals and First Fridays.)

Saturday Vigil Mass
at 5.15 pm.

Sunday morning
10.00 am. & 12 Noon.

**HOLYDAYS OF
OBLIGATION**

10.00 am. & 7.00 pm.

RECONCILIATION

Saturday
10.30-11.00 am.
4.30-5.00 pm.

BAPTISM

Sunday at 1.00 pm.

MARRIAGE

Arranged by appointment.
At least six months notice is
required for preparations

HOLY YEAR OF MERCY

Pope Francis has announced an extraordinary Jubilee, a Holy Year of Mercy, to highlight the Catholic Church's "mission to be a witness of mercy." The formal document presenting the proposal for a Holy Year (the Papal Bull of Induction) with the latin title "Misericordiae Vultus—The Face of Mercy, is yet another of Pope Francis' lucid explanations of Church teaching—it is both comforting and challenging. This Holy Year will run from 8th December 2015 until 20th November 2016. As a first step to getting into the spirit of the year Misericordiae Vultus could hardly be bettered. As a resource for use during the year, however, the study pack 'Rediscovering Mercy' produced for the Just Faith project, gives a structured programme for groups and can be found on the resource page at www.justfaith.org.uk/resources

PLEASE PRAY

FOR ALL WHO ARE SICK

Jim McIntosh, Christine Clark, John Ward, Anne Craig, Peter Smith, Christine McPherson, Eileen Knowles, Janet Ferguson, Elizabeth Lomas, Allister McNeill, Jonathon Arthur, Christine Hughes, Lynn Smith, Jean Alison, Irene Baillie, Rhian Docherty, Tony Browning, Susan Mullen, Annie Hampson, Rona Kinnell, Drew Meiklejohn, Gavin Lanigan, Mary Shannon, Christine Dickinson.

PLEASE PRAY FOR ALL WHO HAVE DIED

Graham Campbell.

PLEASE PRAY FOR ALL WHOSE ANNIVERSARIES OCCUR AT THIS TIME

Thomas Duffy, Patrick Dolan, Owen McGuire, Mark O'Hare, Margaret Bryson.

6 MONTH MIND

Frances MacEwan.

FR. GERRY HUGHES

There will be an ecumenical service on Monday 17th August in memory of Fr Gerry Hughes who was Chaplain at Glasgow University from 1967-1975. The Service will begin at 6 pm in the University Chapel. There will be a buffet in the Chaplaincy after the service.

PASTORAL COUNCIL REMINDER

The next Parish Pastoral Council meeting will take place on Wednesday 9th September. Prior to that there is a series of meetings for each Individual Group as follows:-

Ecumenism	Thur 6th Aug
Liturgy & Spirituality	Tue 11th Aug
Youth Participation	Thur 13th Aug
Adult Formation	Tue 18th Aug
Evangelisation	Thur 20th Aug
Social Justice	Tue 24th Aug
Social Events	Tue 27th Aug

The time for each meeting is 7 pm

CHILDREN'S LITURGY

There will be a Meeting for all members of the Children's Liturgy Teams at 11 am on Saturday 29th August in the meeting room, to discuss the plans for the coming year. Could all members please try to attend. Thank you.