

St Peter's Catholic Church

NEWSLETTER



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Thirtieth Sunday of Year C

23rd October 2016

CHURCH HEATING FUND BALANCE STILL TO PAY

Initial Cost £40,000
August £10,735.

WEEKLY COLLECTIONS

The offertory collection last week was £394.79 and £289.09 for the Building Fund. Thank you.

MISSION SUNDAY

TODAY is Mission Sunday and there is a collection today for Missio.. At the back of the Church there are envelopes for you to use for the collection. If you are a tax payer, please complete the Gift Aid form on the envelope as this allows Missio to claim money from the Tax Office.

MONTH OF THE HOLY SOULS

November is the month of the Holy Souls, a special time of the year when we pray for deceased family, friends, parishioners and priests who have served the Parish. Lists and envelopes are now available at the back of the church. If you wish to make a donation, please put this in the envelope also and seal it. Please place them in the collection basket or return them to one of the Priests. Mass will be offered each day for your loved ones throughout the month of November and in a special way at the Mass of Bereavement. Please pray for all who have died, in your daily prayers.

ANNUAL BEREAVEMENT MASS

Mass will be celebrated for all deceased parishioners who died in the past year, on Sunday 13th November at 10 am. Relatives of the deceased will be invited to attend this Mass and to participate in the remembrance of their loved ones in a special way as part of the Mass.

“AMORIS LAETITIA”

The Adult Education Group of the Parish Council held the second of the evenings studying the outcomes of “Amoris Laetitia”, on Wednesday of this past week. Those who attended seemed to find it informative and interesting. The next evening will take place on Wednesday 9th November at 7 pm. All welcome.

REFLECTION EVENINGS

The Spirituality Development Group of the Parish Pastoral Council invite you to spend a short time in prayer to reflect and pray on a variety of themes. The first of these will take place on Wednesday 2nd November at 7 pm. All welcome.

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

HOLYDAYS OF OBLIGATION

10.00 am. & 7.00 pm.

RECONCILIATION

Saturday
10.30-11.00 am.
4.30-5.00 pm.

BAPTISM

Sunday at 12 Noon.

MARRIAGE

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

RCIA

The next meeting of the RCIA will be on Monday 24th October at the usual time.

CHRISTMAS CARDS

Christmas Cards are now available at the Stall.

FEAST OF ALL SAINTS

Tuesday 1st November is the Solemnity of All Saints and is a **Holyday of Obligation.**
Mass times are:- 10 am & 7 pm

PARISH COUNCIL AGM

The Annual General Meeting of the Parish Pastoral Council will take place on Wednesday 16th November at 7 pm. If you have any questions or suggestions for the Parish Council to consider, please give them to Canon Eddie, **in writing**, by **Wednesday 9th November** at the latest.

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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, Nancy Heaton, James Flanagan, Nan Clarke, Joseph Donnachie, Kirtsy Roache, John Allison, Tony Browning, Paul Moran, Kenneth Ward.

PLEASE PRAY

FOR ALL WHO HAVE DIED

Hughie McShane.

PLEASE PRAY FOR ALL WHOSE ANNIVERSARIES OCCUR AT THIS TIME

Kathleen McDonald, Joe Crapnell.

TIMES OF SERVICES IN ST PETER'S AND ST PAUL'S PARISHES WITH EFFECT FROM 27TH NOVEMBER 2016

St Peter's:

Morning Mass: Monday—Friday at 10 am

No Saturday morning Mass.

Sunday Masses:

Vigil Mass on Saturday at 4.45 pm

Sunday Mass at 10 am

Holy Days of Obligation: (Vigil) 7 pm and 10 am

Confessions: Saturday 4—4.40 pm

St Paul's:

Morning Mass: Monday—Friday at 9.30 am

No Tuesday or Thursday evening Mass.

No Saturday morning Mass.

Sunday Masses:

Vigil Mass on Saturday at 6 pm

Sunday Mass at 11.15 am

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Thanks to help from Missio Scotland, the Franciscan Missionary Sisters of the Immaculate Conception are providing vital help to the most abandoned children in Kericho, Kenya. By supporting the work of Mission Scotland today, you will be helping these sisters to look after children with disabilities, and their families. In this way you will be helping to share the mercy of God in Kenya and in many other places in the world.

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INFORMATION PACKS

Spare packs, distributed at the open meeting on Sunday 10th October, are available at the back of the Church for those who didn't get one.

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WEEKDAYS

Monday-Saturday - 9.30 am

SATURDAY VIGIL
5.30 pm

SUNDAY MORNING
11 am

HOLY DAYS OF
OBLIGATION

9.30am & 6.30pm.

RECONCILIATION

Saturday
10 am

4.45—5.15 pm

Or by request at any time.

EXPOSITION OF THE
BLESSED SACRAMENT
Mon—Fri - before Mass

with Rosary & Prayer
for Vocations

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Sunday at 12 Noon.

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PARISH PASTORAL COUNCIL

At the moment Canon Eddie is making preparations for the formation of a Parish Pastoral Council. If you, or anyone you know, would be suitable for membership of the Council, please take a nomination form and return it next week.

PARISH RECORDS

In order to update parish records, I ask that ALL FAMILIES in the Parish complete one of the Census Forms on the table at the back of the Church and return it next week. Thank you.



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George McTaggart, George Higgins.

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LIGHT UP A LIFE 2016 St Vincent's Hospice

Once again this Christmas St Vincent's invite you to sponsor a light on their tree in memory of a loved one or to honour a special person or occasion. Every light sponsored will help provide specialised care and services to all those affected by life-limiting illness in the local community. To sponsor a light, please complete and return a dedication card and leaflet with your donation. These cards are available from 91595 705635 or at info@svh.co.uk or you can dedicate online at www.svh.co.uk/lightupalife. You are warmly invited to 'Light up a Life' on Sunday 27th November at 5 pm at St Vincent's Hospice, Midton Road, Howwood. Christmas Cards are also available—see website or phone for leaflet.

SAFEGUARDING TRAINING

The Scottish Safeguarding Service has released new Safeguarding Training as part of a suite of several levels of training to assist and inform all who are involved with vulnerable groups in our parishes. Level 1 is a 90 minute safeguarding training session for volunteers and forms a mandatory part of safe recruitment which also includes membership of the PVG Scheme (or a PVG Update). Safeguarding Training Level 1 for the Diocese of Paisley is offered in:

St Mirin's Cathedral, parish hall on Tuesday 8 November 2016 at 7pm - register by 28 October 2016.

To register, please e-mail safeguardingadmin@rcdop.org.uk or telephone 0141 847 6130 stating your name and parish.

Could ALL volunteers working with children or vulnerable adults in the Parish, please note that they MUST attend one of these training days to meet the requirements of the Diocesan Safeguarding Criteria.

DIocese OF PAISLEY YOUTH

Salesians Primary School Youth Event

30th October 2016 at St Francis, Port Glasgow

Led by the Salesians Youth Ministry Team, this event is open to ALL P5-P7 SCHOOL PUPILS from across the Diocese. ALL PARTICIPANTS MUST BRING A SIGNED CONSENT FORM which can be obtained from your Parish Priest. The event will be fun and relaxed and will explore themes surrounding New Evangelisation and the Year of Mercy. Dinner and refreshments will be provided. The event will run from 2.30—6.30 pm (mass at 4.30 pm which family members are free to attend.) Transport will be provided - departing from St Mirin's Cathedral at 2 pm. If you are interested in coming, please contact Fr Frank Hannigan, Youth Director at youth@rcdop.org.uk or text or phone 07944343494/01505 320198

CYSS PILGRIMAGE TO WHITHORN

In this Year of Mercy our National Youth Pilgrimage to St Ninian's Cave in Whithorn takes place on Sunday 18th September. It is a time to pray, celebrate mass, fellowship and meet young people from all across Scotland. There will be transport and food provided throughout the day. Full details are on the attached poster and consent form which MUST be completed, signed and brought on the day for all young people under 18, wishing to participate. Bring small packed lunch for the bus journey. Bring outdoor shoes and clothing for walking along the beach to the cave. **Bus pick up times are as follows: St Mary's Greenock 7.45am; Coronation Park, Port Glasgow 8.00am; St Mirin's Cathedral, Paisley 8.30am; Costa Coffee at Darnley 8.45am.** We will be returning home between 9 and 10 pm. Fish and Chips dinner will be provided on the way home stopping in Girvan. If you are interested in coming along then please contact Fr Frank Hannigan (07944343494) to secure your place on the bus.

PILGRIMAGE TO ROME AND ASSISI

St. James' Parish Renfrew is organising a pilgrimage to Rome and Assisi is being organised for the week beginning 15th October 2017 (next year). The cost will be approximately £1050.00 (5 nights in Rome and 2 nights in Assisi. A deposit of £150.00 non-refundable will need to be paid. If you are interested in coming please get in touch with Fr. John Eagers. E-mail stjamesrenfrew@btconnect.com: tel. 01418862022.

PRAYING FOR YOU

New prayer request ministry on our diocesan website please visit: <http://rcdop.org.uk/prayingforyou>

EVENINGS OF REFLECTION AND PRAYER

The Spirituality Development Group of the Parish Pastoral Council invite you to spend a short time in prayer to reflect and pray on a variety of themes. Over the next year there will be 7 of these evenings as noted below:-

2nd November 2016—Year of Mercy.

11th January 2017—New Beginnings.

8th March 2017—Lenten Reflection on the Trinity-Father.

15th March 2017—Lenten Reflection on the Trinity-Son.

22nd March 2017—Lenten Reflection on the Trinity-Holy Spirit.

3rd May 2017—Mary Our Mother.

DIOCESAN CENSUS

The Diocesan Census, when each Parish is asked to count all who attend Mass on a Sunday, will take place on the weekend of 5th/6th November.

JOHN PAUL RETREATS

At least five parents lose their children to death or tragedy every day. John Paul Retreats is a registered charity that aims to help families cope with bereavement, especially the loss of children. They provide a relaxed accommodation for grieving families and a peaceful space to reflect and share. They are based at Flat 1-3, 1 The Terrace, Ardbeg Road, Rothesay, PA20 0NP. For more information call them on: 07974 454856

SECONDARY SCHOOL YOUTH EVENT

Remembrance - Why do We Remember?

This event will take place in St Charles' Parish, Paisley on 6th November and will be led by Fr Paddy Duffy SX from the Conforti Institute Youth Ministry Team. It is open to all Secondary School Pupils from the across the Diocese. All participants MUST bring a signed consent form which can be obtained from your Parish Priest. The event will be thought provoking, challenging and relaxed. There will also be dinner and refreshments. The event will run from 3.30—7.30 pm (joining parish mass at 5.30 pm which family members are free to attend. If you are interested, please contact Fr Frank Hannigan, Youth Director at youth@rcdop.org.uk or text or phone 07944343494/01505 320198

MONTHLY DIVINE MERCY DEVOTIONS

Monthly Divine Mercy Devotions and Holy Mass will take place on Friday 30 September 2016 at 7.00 p.m. in St Margaret's Church, 49 Graham Street, Johnstone, PA5 8RA and will be celebrated by Father Frank Hannigan. The Divine Mercy devotions will begin with Adoration of the Blessed Sacrament, Rosary and Divine Mercy chaplet followed by Holy Mass. Light refreshments will be available afterwards. All are welcome.