

# St Peter's Catholic Church

## NEWSLETTER



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**16th Ordinary Sunday Year A**      **23rd July 2017**

### WEEKLY COLLECTIONS

The Offertory collection last week was £458.98 and £410.49 for the Building Fund.

### VIDES UK VIDES HAS ARRIVED WELCOME!

An invitation is extended to children of P4-P6 to participate in a summer camp provided by VIDES UK in St. Peter's hall from 24-29th July from 10.30am-3.00pm, at a cost of £1 per day. Places are allocated on a first come basis by submitting one of the application forms available from Canon Eddie after Mass. P7 pupils and 1st & 2nd year students are invited to enjoy similar and other exciting activities on the same days from 7-9.10pm.

### SPUC SCOTLAND

In January of this year an appeal was made by a member of SPUC asking for prayers and financial and support towards their work in promoting Life from the moment of conception till its natural end. At the time a collection wasn't taken, so perhaps you will kindly contribute to the second collection at Masses on the weekend of 29/30 July. Envelopes are available at the back of the church for this purpose. Please give generously to this appeal because more than ever, in the present climate, our support of their work is greatly needed.

### RECRUITMENT FOR MINISTRY

Periodically I will invite you to consider volunteering for one or more ministries in the parish. Fortunately, a large number of parishioners are already involved in a variety of ways providing for the needs of the community but from time to time the numbers need to be replenished. I am truly grateful to those who are currently active in the parish through these ministries and appreciate their time. So that we can continue to benefit from such support it is essential that others get more involved, hence, the reason for the recruitment form which I ask you to take from the back of the church, complete it and return it to me before the cut-off date of Sunday 30 July. (Canon Eddie)

### EUCCHARISTIC MINISTERS

The new rota is available in the sacristy after Mass, please collect one before leaving church today.

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### TIMES OF MASSES

**Morning Mass**  
at 10.00 a.m.

(In the Parish house  
Monday-Friday)

### NO SATURDAY MORNING MASS

**Saturday Vigil Mass**  
at 4.45 pm.

**Sunday Morning Mass**  
10.00 am

### HOLY DAYS OF OBLIGATION

Vigil at 7.00pm. & 10am.

**RECONCILIATION**  
Saturday 4-4.30 pm.

### BAPTISM

By arrangement with  
Canon Eddie

### MARRIAGE

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

### APOSTLESHIP OF THE SEA

Thank you to everyone who kindly contributed to last week's appeal which totalled £107.00

### DIOCESAN DAY AT CARFIN

Anyone wishing to attend the annual Diocesan day at Carfin on 6th August is asked to put their details on the sheet at the back of the church so as to be guaranteed a seat on the bus.

### CLERGY APPOINTMENTS

Bishop John has appointed Fr. Matthew Carlin to St. Mirin's Cathedral and Fr. Jonathan Whitworth to St. Margaret's Johnstone temporarily from 7th August. We wish them every blessing as they begin their ministry as priests in the diocese.

**Parish Priest**  
Very Rev. Edward D. Canon Cameron

**Permanent Deacon**  
Rev. John Morrison

### 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, Lynn Smith, Jean Alison, Irene Baillie, Rhian Docherty, Tony Browning, Susan Mullen, Annie Hampson, Rona Kinnell, Drew Meiklejohn, Gavin Lanigan, Nancy Heaton, Nan Clarke, John Allison, Tony Browning, Paul Moran, Collette Barret, Gussie Fisher, Christina Brooks, Kevin Flanagan.

### PLEASE PRAY FOR ALL WHO HAVE DIED

Sharon Hicks, Josephine Green, Jan Merrick, Pat Smith, Kathleen McHale.

### PLEASE PRAY FOR ALL WHOSE ANNIVERSARIES OCCUR AT THIS TIME

### PARISH PASTORAL COUNCIL

In preparation for the next meeting of the Parish Pastoral Council on Wednesday 6th September at 7.30pm, members of the various groups are asked to come along to the presbytery on the following evenings:

Spirituality Group:  
Wed. 16 August at 7pm.  
Adult Education Group:  
Wed. 16 August at 8pm.  
Evangelisation & Mission Group:  
Wed. 23 August at 7pm.  
Youth Development Group:  
Wed. 23 August at 8pm.  
Social Activity Group:  
Wed. 30 August at 7pm.

### TIMES OF MASSES/SERVICES IN ST PAUL'S

**Morning Mass:**  
Monday—Friday at 9.15am.

### NO SATURDAY MORNING MASS

**Sunday Masses:**  
Vigil Mass on Saturday at 6pm.  
Sunday Mass at 11.15am.

**Holydays of Obligation:**  
9.15am. and 6.30pm.

**Confessions:** Saturday 10.30—11.30am.

# St Paul's Catholic Church

## NEWSLETTER

16th Ordinary Sunday Year A 23rd July 2017

### WEEKLY COLLECTION

The Offertory collection last week was £449.12 and £294.72 for the Building Fund.

### PLEASE NOTE!

*Commencing the first day of June, for a period of three months only, all calls to the presbytery will be diverted to St. Peter's. When calling, you will hear a pre-recorded message asking you to redial using the number 0141 884 2435.*

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### RECRUITMENT

Some weeks ago each parishioner was asked to take and complete a 'Recruitment Form' and return it to Canon Eddie, if you haven't already done so, please return it before the cut-off date of 23rd July. Spare forms are available in the sacristy for anyone who didn't get one.

### FUND RAISING COMMITTEE

Members of the fund raising committee are asked to attend a meeting in the parish hall after Mass on Sunday 13 August to discuss and plan ways of generating income for the building fund. Anyone wishing to be part of the group is invited to come along.

### MONDAY 24 JULY MORNING MASS

On Monday 24 July Mass will be celebrated at 11am **and not 9.15am** for the repose of the soul of Sharon Hicks. Please remember Sharon in your prayers and also her family at this difficult time.

On Wednesday 26 July Mass will be celebrated at 11am **and not 9.15am** for the repose of the soul of Josephine Green. Please remember Josephine in your prayers and also her family at this difficult time.

### TIMES OF MASSES/ SERVICES

#### ROSARY

Monday-Friday: 9.00am

#### WEEKDAY MASS

Monday-Friday: 9.15am.

NO SATURDAY MORNING MASS

SATURDAY VIGIL MASS  
6.00 pm

SUNDAY MORNING Mass  
11.15 am

### HOLY DAYS OF OBLIGATION

9.15am & 6.30pm.

### RECONCILIATION

Saturday: 10.30-11.30AM.  
Or on request.

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### APOSTLESHIP OF THE SEA

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### PARISH PASTORAL COUNCIL

The next meeting of the Parish Pastoral Council will take place on Monday 14 August in the hall at 7.00pm. This meeting will focus primarily on the new proposals by the Architect and Quantity Surveyor with respect to the church/hall/house provision for liturgy and pastoral care for the foreseeable future. The fruits of these discussions will be reported to parishioners at an open meeting in the hall on SUNDAY 27 AUGUST at 12 Noon.

### TIMES OF MASSES/SERVICES IN ST PETER'S

*Rosary at 9.40am.*

*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—4.30 pm

### **DATES FOR YOUR DIARY**

I would like to draw your attention to the upcoming events for our Primary, Secondary Pupils and Young Adults that are coming up in the next few months, at the start of the new School Session after the Summer Break. I would be grateful if you could put these dates in your Parish Diary. More detailed information on each event will follow at a later date.

DPY Fundraising Race Night, St Andrews, Greenock	2 Sep	7pm until late
CYSS National Pilgrimage to Iona	9-10 Sep	
OCTOBER Pilgrimage to Poland	9 Oct – 13 Oct	
CARITAS Catechesis 1, St Mirin's Cathedral, Paisley	19 Nov	2pm-4pm
DPY Fundraising Race Night, St Margaret's, Johnstone	3 Nov	7pm until late

### **CARFIN DAY**

The annual Diocesan Pilgrimage to Carfin, led by Bishop John Keenan, will take place on Sunday 6<sup>th</sup> August 2017. Mass of Anointing of the Sick will be celebrated at 3pm followed by the Rosary Procession which will take place at 5:30pm. Catering facilities are available at the shrine.

### **20-40 NETWORK JULY EVENT**

'Getting to know you' features activities to help you get to know yourself and others more. There is a quiz to help discover your personality type and strengths. There is also a Room 101 themed game and a buffet lunch. Everyone who comes to our event is coming on their own, into the unknown, and that takes a lot of courage. We know this and have been in this position ourselves so we understand and promise you a welcoming atmosphere. The event is on Saturday 29<sup>th</sup> July, 11am-3pm and being held in Eyre Hall of the Glasgow Archdiocesan Offices, 196 Clyde Street. Tickets are £10 (all profits are donated to Mary's Meals). Just email [2014network@gmail.com](mailto:2014network@gmail.com) to buy a ticket or join our mailing list to find out about future events if you can't make this one.

### **ROSARY PROCESSION**

A Rosary Procession will take place at St. Mirin's Cathedral on Sunday 13<sup>th</sup> August, gathering at the parish hall at 3pm with the procession starting at 3.30pm. The procession will conclude with Benediction in the Cathedral.

### **NATIONAL PILGRIMAGE TO CARFIN IN HONOUR OF OUR LADY OF FATIMA—3RD SEPTEMBER**

This year's national pilgrimage is very special in that the Scottish Bishops will consecrate Scotland to the Immaculate Heart of Mary on that day to mark the Centenary of the Apparitions of Our Lady to Sts. Jacinta and Francisco and to Sr. Lucia in the presence of the Fatima Statue. All are very welcome to attend.

### **NOVENA TO OUR LADY, UNTIERT OF KNOTS**

You are invited to attend the annual novena at St. John's Barrhead on Tuesday 1<sup>st</sup> August at 7pm and every Tuesday in August and September thereafter.

### **MERCY BUS**

The Mercy Bus advertised in the local press and the Scottish Catholic Observer will be visiting the following venues:

Monday 31 July, 11am-3pm, Paisley Cenotaph, Paisley Cross.

Tuesday 1 August, 11am-3pm, Coatbridge Shopping Centre, Coatbridge.

Wednesday 2 August, 11am-3pm, Greenock Town Centre.

Thursday 3 August, 11am-3pm, Asda, Main Street Barrhead.

Friday 4 August, 11am-3pm, Buchanan Street, outside Glasgow Royal Concert Hall.

Saturday 5 August, 11am-3pm, Paisley Cenotaph, Paisley Cross with Holy Mass celebrated by Bishop John Keenan and Fr. Joe Burke on the Mercy Bus at 2pm.

The sacrament of Reconciliation will be offered by priests or just a chance to have a chat with a priest. The Lord is waiting to offer you his Mercy of forgiveness; all you have to do is receive it with a penitent heart. The saying goes, "you wait ages for a bus and then two come along at the same time!" the Mercy Bus is the one you've been waiting on, so climb on board!

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