

St Peter's Catholic Church

NEWSLETTER



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17th Ordinary Sunday Year A **30th July 2017**

WEEKLY COLLECTIONS

The Offertory collection last week was £468.52 and £487.24 for the Building Fund.

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SPUC SCOTLAND

In January of this year an appeal was made by a member of SPUC asking for prayers and financial 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 Mass TODAY. 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 for SPUC's work is essential, if they are to challenge the proposal of those wishing to decriminalise abortion.

EUCCHARISTIC MINISTERS

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

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

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

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. The bus will be shared by St. Mary's, St. Peter's and St. Paul's parishioners.

SOLEMNITY OF THE ASSUMPTION

Tuesday 15th August is the Solemnity of the Assumption, a holyday in which we are obliged to attend Mass. The Vigil at St. Peter's will be on Monday 14th August at 7pm and 10 am on the day of the Solemnity.

MASS IN ST. PAUL'S will be on the day at 9.15am and 6.30pm.

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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

Agnes Garrett, Robert Murray, Craig McClelland

PLEASE PRAY FOR ALL WHOSE ANNIVERSARIES OCCUR AT THIS TIME

Thomas Duffy, Janet Traynor, John & Kathleen Carroll, Bernard Kelly, David McCready.

MARY'S MEALS

A rags to riches clothing collection will take place in St. Peter's and St. Paul's on Saturday 26th and Sunday 27th August. You will also have the chance to support the charity by purchasing tickets for their annual prized draw. Mary's Meals works to provide a daily meal in schools for some of the world's poorest children. Thanks to the generosity of wonderful supporters such as you, they are now reaching more than 1.2 million children every school day in 14 countries. Thank you for your continued support.

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.

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The Offertory collection last week was £383.74 and £243.02 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.

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.

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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.

SOLEMNITY OF THE ASSUMPTION

Tuesday 15th August is the Solemnity of the Assumption of Our Lady, a holyday in which we are obliged to attend Mass. The times of Masses are 9.15am and 6.30pm. (The times of Masses at St. Peter's: Monday 14th August at 7pm and 10 am on the day of the Solemnity.)

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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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HALL TEAS

You are invited to come together after Mass for tea etc. in the parish hall where you get to meet fellow parishioners on a social level. This is one of a number of simple ways in which we get to know parishioners within the community at a different level and as such it helps to build a stronger, caring community. If you can, please come along TODAY! Thank you to those parishioners who come along regularly to the hall after Mass. The hall teas this month raised £100. Thank you!

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 6th 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 29th 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 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 13th 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 1st 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!

ACROSS Scottish Jumbulance

Cormack Smith will take part in the Helensburgh 12k run on 10th September to raise money for ACROSS Scottish Jumbulance (a charity dedicated to helping sick adults and children enjoy the pilgrimage of a lifetime to Lourdes) You can help Cormack Smith raise money for this great cause by donating directly to their fundraising page - https://www.justgiving.com/Cormack-Smith5?utm_source=Sharethis&utm_medium=fundraisingpage&utm_content=Cormack-Smith5&utm_campaign=pfp-email. Thank you for your support!

Want to know about Franciscan Spirituality?

St Francis and St Clare youth prayer group warmly invites you to come and join them on Thursday 17th August at 7pm in the Diocesan Offices, Ince Street, Paisley. All ages welcome on our opening night as there are other alternatives.

SCIAF

You are invited by SCIAF to attend two important events taking place in August. On Tuesday 15th August, at the SCIAF office, 19 Park Circus, a Mass to celebrate the Feast of the Assumption will take place at 12.30pm. The Mass will be celebrated by Bishop Joseph Toal, Bishop President of SCIAF. At the conclusion of the Mass, SCIAF will formally adopt Blessed Oscar Romero as patron in addition to our existing patron, Saint Margaret of Scotland. Mass will be held in the Board Room which will, in future, be known as the 'Oscar Romero Room'. On Wednesday 16th August you are invited to the Scottish premier screening of the film/documentary 'The Claim—Archbishop Romero, his people and Pope Francis.' Venue: 1st Floor Theatre, CCA, 350 Sauchiehall St, Glasgow. 6.30pm for 7pm, screening until 9.30pm. Tea and coffee will be served, and a discussion will follow the film. Blessed Oscar Romero is remembered for his courage, his faith and his love for the poor and he has been recognised by Pope Francis as a martyr. On 23rd May 2015, Oscar Romero was beatified.

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