

St Peter's Catholic Church

NEWSLETTER



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28th Ordinary Sunday Year A

15th October 2017

WEEKLY COLLECTIONS

The **Offertory** last week was £436.88 and £305.91 for the **Building Fund**.

Thank you for your generosity.

HOLY SOULS' MASS

Our annual Mass to commemorate all those who died in the Parish during the past year, will take place on Sunday 5th November at the 10 am Mass. The relatives of the deceased are especially invited to come along and to remember their them in a special way.

MISSION SUNDAY

Sunday 22nd October is World Mission Sunday when there will be a 2nd collection in aid of the work of MISSIO. Further information and envelopes will be available next Sunday.

LUCKY STARS FIFTY/FIFTY DRAW

A new initiative will be introduced on the first Sunday of November to raise funds for ongoing maintenance and improvements to parish property. A copy of the details for the new weekly fundraiser is available at the back of the church, please, take a copy today. If you would be willing to act as an agent to sell tickets among your family and friends, please, speak to Canon Eddie today. Your help and support is gratefully appreciated. Thank you.

PARISH PASTORAL COUNCIL

The next meeting of the Pastoral Council will take place on Wednesday 8th November at 7 pm in the Hall.

VISIT BY SYNOD TEAM

There will be a member of the Synod giving a very short talk at the end of each Mass on 28th/29th November. Please take a copy of the "Doing my bit, making it happen" booklet which will be given out at the end of Mass that weekend, and see how you can help.

MARTIN AELRED

By popular demand Martin returns to St Paul's Hall on 24th November at 7.30 pm, with a tribute to Bocelli and others. Entry by donation. All are welcome.

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

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After the Open Meeting last Wednesday, the Faith & Justice Group are making arrangements to hold several evenings over the next year. These will be on a selection of topics e.g. Divine Mercy, Peace and War, Answers to Atheism, Faith & Science, Scripture & Tradition, Christians & the State and more. The first meeting will be on Wednesday 1st November from 7.45—9 pm. We hope you will find something of interest to you and come along to find out more. For more information please, speak to Canon Eddie after Mass. Thank you.

Wednesday 1st November at 7.45-9pm.

Theme: Indulgences, Purgatory & the Last Things

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, 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

Amelia Jarman.

PLEASE PRAY FOR ALL WHOSE ANNIVERSARIES THAT OCCUR AT THIS TIME

Archie, Pat, & Trisha Larkin, William McGill, John Pratt, George McTaggart, Thomas Sloan, Bernard Flanagan, Archie Buchanan, James & Mary McGuire, Owen McGuire

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 CHRISTMAS FAYRE

This Christmas Fayre will take place on Saturday 2nd December from 10 am to 12 noon. If you have any unwanted gifts they would like to donate, please bring them along to the Church next week and place them in the boxes at the back. Thank you.

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The **Offertory** collection last week was £462.63 and £427.60 for the **Building Fund**.

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MISSION APPEAL

The Mission appeal last weekend amounted to £268.67. Thank you.

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Sunday 22nd October is World Mission Sunday when there will be a 2nd collection in aid of the work of MISSIO. Further information and envelopes will be available next Sunday.

SEWING GROUP

The sewing group meet every Thursday from 1-4pm. New members are very welcome to come along.

TOTE DRAW

This month's draw will be the last in order to make way for a new initiative starting on the first Sunday of November. A copy of the details for the new weekly fundraiser is available at the back of the church, please, take a copy. If you would be willing to act as an agent to sell tickets among your family and friends, please, speak to Canon Eddie after Mass. Thank you.

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HALL TEAS

The Hall teas last month raised the sum of £120 for Church funds. Thank you to all who helped organise this and to those who came along to support it.

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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Rosary at 9.40am.

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(Vigil) 7 pm and 10 am

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FOR THE ATTENTION OF ALL CHURCH VOLUNTEERS WITH PVG CERTIFICATES

The Diocesan Safeguarding Advisory Group has recommended that *all* volunteers doing regulated work with children and vulnerable adults *or both*, should do the Level 1 training by the end of 2017 and, with the agreement of Bishop John, this will now be implemented as diocesan policy. The next training sessions will take place in: St. Patrick's, Greenock on **Wednesday 27th September** at 7pm. St. Fergus', Paisley on **Thursday 2nd November** at 2pm. St. Colm's, Kilmacolm on **Tuesday 7th November** at 7pm. St. Conval's, Linwood on **Tuesday 14th November** at 7pm. Please contact Sarah Jane at the Diocesan Safeguarding office safeguardingadmin@rcdop.org.uk or **0141 847 6138** to register for a training session. There will be limited space at each session, therefore volunteers should register up to one week before the date of the training session.

IN REMEMBRANCE

At every Mass, we pray for our deceased relatives and friends but, in keeping with Catholic tradition, November is a month specifically dedicated to praying for the Holy Souls. On or near the Feast of All Souls, a special *Mass of Remembrance* is celebrated in our parish for all our deceased loved ones. As a Parish community, we now hope to commemorate our deceased parishioners in two very special and everlasting ways:

Firstly, we think it fitting to establish a dedicated *Altar of Remembrance* on which a *Parish Memorial Book* will be placed as a perpetual reminder of all our deceased parishioners.

Secondly, we also wish to provide families and friends of our deceased parishioners - and benefactors - the option to dedicate individual/family *Memorial Plaques* which will be permanently mounted on the walls around this Altar.

A "*Memorial Plaque*" brochure, available after Mass, contains more details of these plans. We hope you share our view that the Parish plans provide a befitting memorial to our deceased loved ones and that you will support our endeavours.

Prayer Reflection Evenings - 2017/18 - St. Peter's Parish Hall

- 15th November** - The role of remembering to help us move forward.
- 13th December** - The Role of Joseph in the Christmas Nativity and beyond.
- 17th January** - Resolutions in light of the joy of the Gospel.
- 21st February** - St. Ignatius and the Loved Sinner.
- 14th March** - St. Theresa of Avila - how her life and suffering can inspire us today.
- 18th April** - St. Francis of Assisi. How each one of us can be moved by what he did and what he said.
- 16th May** - St. Catherine of Siena - "Be who God meant you to be you will set the world on fire".

ALL ARE WELCOME!

There is a Leaflet giving all these dates, at the back of the Church. Please take one on your way out today. Thank you.

CLERGY CHANGES

Fr Stephen Baillie steps down as Parish Priest of St Charles, Paisley.

Canon Jim Duggan, Parish Priest of St Joseph's, Clarkston moves to become Parish Priest of St Charles Paisley, lead Chaplain to St Andrew's Academy and Chaplain to Accord Hospice.

Fr John Morrison steps down as Parish Priest of St Patrick's, Greenock and becomes Chaplain to the University of West of Scotland and Parish Priest of St Fergus and St James.

Mgr. Gerry Gallagher, Parish Priest of St Ninian's, Gourrock moves to become Parish Priest of St Patrick's, Greenock

Fr Gerry McNellis, Parish Priest of St Mary's, Paisley moves to become Parish Priest of St Ninian's, Gourrock

Fr Jude Okorie, Administrator of St Fergus and St James moves to become Parish Priest of St Mary's, Paisley

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