

St Peter's Catholic Church

NEWSLETTER



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1st Sunday of Advent Year B

3rd December 2017

WEEKLY COLLECTIONS

The **Offertory** last week was £409.91 and £289.06 for the **Building Fund**.
Thank you for your generosity.

LUCKY STARS FIFTY/FIFTY DRAW

Tickets for the Lucky Stars Draw are available before and after Mass opposite the stall. All proceeds from the draw will help fund ongoing maintenance and improvements to parish property. Thank you for your support. The winning Lucky Stars for Friday 1st December were 11 & 12. One lucky winner wins £54 with ticket number 192, Laura McClure. Well done! Tickets are now on sale. Good luck!

CHRISTMAS SHOW STOPPER

Songs from musicals & Christmas Favourites LIVE. Tenor, Baritone and Accompanist. Join us to enter the festive spirit in St. Peter's Church hall, Paisley, Sunday 3rd December at 2pm. Proceeds to allow Mairi McLean to take part in St. Andrew's Academy Uganda Project 2018. Tickets £5.

RITE OF ENROLMENT

Next Sunday's 10am Mass will be the Rite of Enrolment for primary 4 pupils preparing for the Sacraments of Reconciliation and Holy Communion. Please keep the children and their families in your prayers.

SVDP

You are invited to support the SVDP Advent Appeal to collect food for distribution to families at Christmas. Please place your non-perishable items in the boxes provided beside the St. Anthony statue. Thank you for your kindness and support.

New Years Eve bash at St Paul's Church Hall

Sunday 31st December - A fun filled evening with laughter, dancing, raffles and celebrating with friends and family. 7.30pm - late £5 for adults and £3 for children, BYOB. We ask that you contact the church about tickets to avoid disappointment as these will sell fast.

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

VIDES

The VIDES Friends Club for young people from P7 to 3rd Year has now commenced on Monday evenings at 6.30 pm. New members are encouraged to come along and find out about VIDES and what we do. Discussion, games and fun!

ADVENT PRAYERS

Morning Prayer of the Church for Advent will take place Monday-Friday at 9.45am, prior to the Rosary which will begin at 9.30am.

Prayer Reflection Evening
St. Peter's Parish Hall
Wed. 13th December
The Role of Joseph
in the Christmas
Nativity and beyond.

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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, Nancy Heaton, Nan Clarke, John Allison, Tony Browning, Paul Moran, Collette Barret, Gussie Fisher, Christina Brooks, Kevin Flanagan, Christopher Kane.

PLEASE PRAY

FOR ALL WHO HAVE DIED

Robert Bisland, Anne McArthur, Anna McCool, Harry Doherty, Joe Basler, Julia Taylor, Kathleen Kane.

PLEASE PRAY FOR ALL WHOSE ANNIVERSARIES THAT OCCUR AT THIS TIME

Nancy & Peter Daly, Jessie Tracy, George McEwan, Helen Cridge, Victor Phelps, Robert Bryson Snr, Canon William Harkins, Helena Hall.

MARY'S MEALS

Between now and 31st December 2017, every donation to their Double the Love Appeal will be matched, penny for penny—up to a total of £1.9 million—thanks to the kindness of three amazing donors! For more information or to make a donation, please go to www.marysmeals.org.uk and click on Double the Love or call 0800 698 1212

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:

11.00am. and 6.30pm.

Confessions: Saturday 10.30—11.00am.

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MARTIN AELRED

Thank you to everyone who attended the Martin Aelred concert on Saturday evening helping to raise £168. Well done!

SUNDAY TEAS

Tea, coffee etc. are available after each Sunday Mass in the hall, if you don't have to rush away, please come along for a chat and get to know your fellow parishioners. Last months teas raised £70. Thank you to all who come along regularly.

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

11.00am & 6.30pm.

RECONCILIATION

Saturday: 10.30-11.30AM.

Or on request.

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FAMILY NIGHT

Thank you to all who worked hard for the family night which raised £185 for the building fund. Well done!

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

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 in the sacristy, contains more details of these plans. We hope you share our view that these 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

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".

DY YOUTH—Salesians Advent Primary School Event— This youth event is open to all P5-P7 school pupils from across the diocese. On Sunday 10th December from 2.30pm-6.30pm, in St. Joseph's Greenock. See notice for further details.

St. Mirin's Chaplaincy Centre: First Talk of the New Year. Anthony Gielty – Out of Darkness:

Prior to a dramatic conversion experience, Anthony, now a young Christian author, was regarded as one of Scotland's most violent prisoners. Assessed as virtually unmanageable by prison authorities, Anthony's life was changed through an encounter with a priest and a profound experience of God's grace. Since then he has dedicated his life to bringing others to Christ. Come and hear his remarkable testimony! Tuesday 5th December at St. Mirin's Chaplaincy Centre, 45 High Street, Paisley at 7pm For further information please see @paisleyvocations on fb & twitter!

Meeting of Youth to Lourdes 2018 – Change of time - After several requests, this Sunday's meeting (the 26th) meeting has been moved back from 2pm to the slightly **earlier time of 1.30pm**. Remember the meeting is at the St. Mirin's Chaplaincy Centre, 45 High Street, Paisley directly above Hamish's Hoose!

All night vigil - in Honour of the Sacred Heart of Jesus and the Immaculate Heart of Mary. **Friday 8th December 2017** (Feast of the Immaculate Conception) in St. Andrew's Cathedral, Clyde Street, Glasgow, G1 4JY. **8pm** Opening Mass, 10.30pm Examination of Conscience, Confession, Midnight Stations of the Cross, **1.30am** The Sacraments of the Church, Litany of Joseph. **3am** Rosary Mysteries of Light. **6am** Closing Mass.

20-40 Network December Event - Are you aged 20-40 and would you like to meet and socialise with other young Catholics? Why not join us for our next event a trip to explore the Edinburgh Christmas market? We're going at 3pm on **Saturday 16th December** and would love it if you could join us. Everyone who comes to our events is coming on their own, into the unknown but we all will be and we promise you'll be made more than welcome. Email 2040network@gmail.com to register for a ticket or join our mailing list to find out about future events if you can't make this one. We're also on Facebook at facebook.com/2040network

MARGARET SINCLAIR—Monthly Mass to pray for the Beatification of The Venerable Margaret Sinclair at the National Shrine located at St. Patrick's Church, Cowgate, Edinburgh EH1 1TQ—Every Monday of the month at 7pm.

Mary's Meals Rosary Beads – Liz Grant of Mary's Meals has made some lovely Rosary Beads in boxes together with little reflections which go with the Mysteries. These are available at £5 each or £7 gift wrapped. A perfect stocking filler. Each Rosary would come with a little certificate saying how the purchase of such will now provide a meal for a child for six months. Contact Liz at liz.grant6111@gmail.com or by phoning 0141-316-5079

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