

St Peter's Catholic Church

NEWSLETTER



154 Braehead Road, Paisley.
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7th Sunday of Easter Year B

13th May 2018

WEEKLY COLLECTIONS

Offertory: 510.37

Building Fund: 358.86

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. Well done to Joe Shannon, the winner of this week's Lucky Stars draw with numbers 8 & 11.

PRAYER REFLECTION

St. Catherine of Siena - "Be who God meant you to be, you will set the world on fire". Wednesday 16th May at 7pm.

MAKING ALL THINGS NEW

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RCIA

The next two meetings will take place on Monday 21st May and Monday 28th May. Thereafter the group will break for the holiday period. Meetings will resume in September.

PARISH PASTORAL COUNCIL

The next scheduled meeting of the Parish Pastoral Council is Wednesday 23rd May at 7pm.

DIOCESAN PRIESTHOOD

Thinking about Diocesan Priesthood in 2018? For more information please contact Fr. John Morrison 01418895056 or e-mail vocations@rcdop.org

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TIMES OF MASSES

Morning Mass

at 10.00 a.m.

Tuesday, Thursday, Friday
(In the Parish house)

**NO MONDAY, WEDNESDAY
OR SATURDAY MORNING
MASSES**

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

ST PAUL'S FAMILY BINGO NIGHT

The next family night will take place in the parish hall on Friday 18th May at 7pm. Come along and have an enjoyable and relaxed evening.

WORLD COMMUNICATIONS

TODAY, Sunday 13th May, is World Communications Day and there will be a collection for the apostolate of communications. Please use the envelopes available at the back of the Church and put it in the second collection. Thank you.

MARRIAGE PREPARATION COURSES

Please see below the dates for next year's marriage preparation courses for engaged couples run by our Marriage Ministry couple John and Liz Holmes. <http://rcdop.org.uk/marriage-preparation-day-registration-form>

February:	Saturday	24
April:	Saturday	14
June:	Saturday	23
September:	Saturday	29

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, Nancy Heaton, Nan Clarke, John Allison, Tony Browning, Paul Moran, Collette Barret, Gussie Fisher, Christina Brooks, Christopher Kane, Frank McLaughlin, Thomas Parish, Ellen McGinlay, Jack Thorburn, Jerry Bisland, Janette Gillespie.

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FOR ALL WHO HAVE DIED

Derek Bunton, Mary Reid, Sadie McCreadie.

PLEASE PRAY FOR ALL WHOSE ANNIVERSARIES OCCUR AT THIS TIME

Michael Connick, James Muir, Marion Moohan.

Notice to Parishioners with Gift Aid Declarations: Your Parish Priest is in the process of preparing a Gift Aid Claim for your Parish for the tax year ending 5th April 2018. If you signed a Gift Aid Declaration but you did not pay tax in the 2017/2018 tax year, then please contact your Parish Priest before so that we know not to make a claim on your Gift Aid Declaration. The finance Office would like to thank all Parishioners for your financial support.

TIMES OF MASSES/SERVICES IN ST PAUL'S

Morning Mass:

Monday & Wednesday at 10 am

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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HALL TEAS

If you don't need to rush away, please stay and have some tea/coffee and spend some time getting to know your fellow parishioners.

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ROSARY

Monday & Wednesday: 9.40am

WEEKDAY MASS

Monday & Wednesday 10am

SATURDAY VIGIL MASS

6.00 pm

SUNDAY MORNING Mass

11.15 am

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Or on request.

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Sunday Mass at 10 am

Holy Days of Obligation:

(Vigil) 7 pm and 10 am

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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.

In God’s Image: Safeguarding Manual for the Catholic Church in Scotland: This week, along with his fellow bishops in Scotland, Bishop John signed into publication our new Safeguarding Policy for the years ahead. It will come into effect on the Feast of Mary, Mother of the Church, Monday 21 May. It is available online on our diocesan website. At this time, as we introduce further procedures to keep safe our children and vulnerable adults we continue to keep in our hearts and prayers those among us still presently surviving from historic abuse.

Diocesan Courage Apostolate for Catholics with Same Sex Attraction: Paisley Diocese has set up a *Courage* Chapter of pastoral ministry for those in our diocesan community with same sex attraction, who are looking to live faithfully their Catholic faith. Courage is an international apostolate with over 100 Chapters worldwide and endorsed by the Holy See. It aims to help members find peace through fellowship, prayer, the Sacraments, and an appreciation of Church’s teachings in chastity. It extends the Church’s invitation to a life of peace, and grace to grow in Christian maturity. For information or advice please email in confidence our diocesan priest chaplain at Courage@rcdop.org.uk

Diocesan Counselling Service for Catholics Married in the Catholic Church: Our diocese has arranged the services and pastoral ministry of our own Catholic Marriage Counsellor. If you are concerned about your relationship and feel you are both unable to reach a conclusion alone, it is likely that you will benefit from marriage counselling. The counsellor is there to maintain a neutral, non-judgmental position as the various problematic issues are discussed. Marriage counselling can help you gain perspective on your relationship. **Expect help with the following:** Communicate in a more constructive way; Learn why arguments escalate; Reflect on the past and how it presents in your current relationships; Learn the art of compromise. Negotiate and resolve conflicts in a healthier way. For information or advice please email in confidence counselling@rcdop.org.uk

Lourdes with the Jumbulance: There will be a bus to Lourdes, known as ‘The Jumbulance’, leaving from St.Mirins Cathedral on the **13th September** return on the **22nd September**. There are still a few spaces available for anyone who may be sick and require assistance. There will be a medical team and a priest traveling on the bus along with experienced helpers. Please contact Cormack on **07568401416** or Cormacksmith123@icloud.com

Be part of the SCIAF 6k Family Fun Run - Millions of people walk for hours every day in search of food and water. Others flee across continents to get to safety. The steps you take can help share their journey. Whether you’re old or young, running or walking, with SCIAF’s 6k Family Fun Run you can raise money and show solidarity with people in need around the world. Your entry fee will go towards our work helping people in poverty across 27 countries. With plenty of music, stalls and games this will be a perfect summer’s day out for the whole family. Whether you run, jog or take a stroll around the course we hope to see you at the starting line. Saturday 2nd June 2018 @ Strathclyde Country Park. Fun starts 10am, run starts at 11am. Adults £10 / Children £5 Sign up at www.sciaf.org.uk/sciaf-6k-fun-run or call Teresa on 0141 354 5555.

Young Adult Retreat 29th June -1st July: The retreat will be held at St. Mary’s, Kinnoull, Perth and facilitated by the Redemptorist Youth Ministry. The retreat costs £150.00. Discounts available for students and the unwaged. For more information please e-mail vocations@rcdop.org.uk

Lourdes Hospitalité - The pre pilgrimage meeting will take place on **17th June** at **2pm** in St Ninian’s hall, Gourrock. All pilgrims coming to Lourdes on the Diocesan pilgrimage are invited to attend. If you wish to book a place on the bus to the airport and are unable to attend please contact Anne Louise on 01475 638132

Celebrate Family Conference: 8th-9th September, St Ninian's High School -“See, I am doing a new thing!” (Isaiah 43:19) Following on from last year’s successful Celebrate family conference we’re delighted to tell you that this September it will be running again. It is a great faith-filled weekend with inspirational speakers and lots of fun with activity streams for children, teens and young adults. If you want to join us please follow the link and sign up, there is an early bird offer available right now! <https://www.celebrateconference.org/scotland>

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