

# St Peter's Catholic Church

## NEWSLETTER



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**Pentecost Sunday Year B**

**20th May 2018**

### WEEKLY COLLECTIONS

Offertory: £505.64  
Building Fund: £421.55

First Communion: £414.76

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. This week we have two lucky winners in the Luck Stars Draw with numbers 3 & 6: Janet Greenlees, No. 01455 and J. Burke, No. 01560. Each winner receives £26.75. Well done!

### MAKING ALL THINGS NEW

You are invited to attend the first Open Meeting for the St Andrew's Cluster Group scheduled to take place in St. Andrew's Academy on MONDAY 4 JUNE at 7pm. Please return your reply slip before the cut-off date of Sunday 13th May. It is important that as a parish community we are well represented at the Open Meetings to engage in the whole process. Your opinions and ideas are integral to the entire process, so please make these meetings a priority for you.

### 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](mailto:vocations@rcdop.org)

### VIDES CATERING TEAM

The VIDES Catering team are having a meeting on Saturday 26th May at 11 am.

### 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

### 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> Saturday 23 June: Saturday 29 September

### SAFEGUARDING

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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, 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.

### PLEASE PRAY

#### FOR ALL WHO HAVE DIED

Patricia McQuade.

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

David Orr, Mary McLaughlin.

### VOCATIONS NEWS

Congratulations to Ryan Black who received Candidacy for Holy Orders at the Scots College, Rome on Thursday evening. Candidacy is a very important milestone in the journey towards priestly ordination. In addition to Ryan, we also currently have another student in Rome. We also have two students currently going through the Propaedeutic period at the Scots College in Salamanca. Please keep them in all your prayers.

### 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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## NEWSLETTER

**Pentecost Sunday Year B**

**20th May 2018**

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Building Fund: £291.49

First Communion: £282.37

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### LUCKY STARS FIFTY/FIFTY DRAW

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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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### TIMES OF MASSES/SERVICES

#### ROSARY

Monday & Wednesday: 9.40am

#### WEEKDAY MASS

Monday & Wednesday 10am

#### SATURDAY VIGIL MASS

6.00 pm

#### SUNDAY MORNING Mass

11.15 am

#### HOLY DAYS OF OBLIGATION

11.00 am & 6.30pm.

#### RECONCILIATION

Saturday: 10.30-11.00AM.

Or on request.

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#### MARRIAGE

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#### PRAYER OF THANKS

Thanks to St Rita of Cascia and  
St Philip Neri for favours granted.

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

*Rosary at 9.40am.*

#### *Morning Mass:*

Tuesday, Thursday, Friday at 10 am

#### *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.

**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](mailto: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 **22<sup>nd</sup> 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](mailto: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](http://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](mailto:vocations@rcdop.org.uk)

**Lourdes Hospitalité - The pre pilgrimage meeting** will take place on **17<sup>th</sup> June** at **2pm** in St Ninian's hall, Gourock. 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>

**Prayers for Irish Referendum:** This Friday, 25<sup>th</sup> May, Ireland holds its Referendum in the Eighth Amendment to its Constitution. It is a Yes/No vote as to whether abortion will be legalised in Ireland. Please pray that Ireland votes No to abortion and that their unborn children continue to be safe in their mothers' wombs.

**Society of St. Vincent de Paul Recruitment Campaign -Diocese of Paisley** – The SSVP are holding a Recruitment Campaign and inviting parishioners to join the Society. The SSVP, as part of an ongoing Recruitment Campaign, have published information leaflets and posters which will be available in those parishes where the SSVP currently operate. For more details on how parishioners can get involved, please speak to a local SSVP member or your parish Priest.

**May Devotions:** On each of the Sundays in May, there will be a 'Marian Holy Hour', from **4.30pm to 5.30pm**, in **St Laurence's, Greenock**. Anyone who wishes to come along and join us is most welcome to do so.

**FRAUD ALERT:** An alert has been raised from an elderly couple in Erskine who received a visit from someone purporting to be a member of the SVDP and tried to get them to sign up for a lottery and get Bank details from them. The SVDP would like to let people know that they **do not collect door to door in this way, ever!** SVDP members always carry ID cards. Also to remind people **NEVER** to reveal their Bank details to anyone either at the door, on the phone or in the street.

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