

# St Peter's Catholic Church

## NEWSLETTER



154 Braehead Road, Paisley.  
PA2 8NG. 0141 884 2435

**Solemnity of Christ the King Year B 25th November**

### WEEKLY COLLECTIONS

**Offertory: £518.71**  
**Building Fund: £351.40**

### 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. We have three lucky winners this week with star numbers 3 & 10: C McNab (02735), M. Gannon (02520) and A. McKinnon (02605), each winning £19.50. Well done!

### CATHOLIC EDUCATION

A collection will be taken at Mass TODAY for the work of SCES, the official body of the Church which promotes and supports Catholic Education in Scotland. Please use the envelope provided for this purpose. Thank you for your support.

### CARITAS SENIOR PARISHIONERS PARTY ST. PETER'S HALL ON SUNDAY 16 DECEMBER FROM 2-4PM.

For weeks the Caritas Students have been fundraising to provide a Christmas lunch for senior parishioners. I am happy to announce that the tickets are now available TODAY. Please collect your ticket before leaving. We look forward to enjoying your company.

### RCIA

The next meeting of the RCIA will be on Monday 3rd December at the usual time.

### MASS BOOK - Page 160

#### 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:*

Vigil Mass at 6.30pm.

*Confessions:* Saturday 10.30—11.00am.

### 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**

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**

### CHRISTMAS FAMILY PARTY

There will be a Christmas Family Party on Saturday 15th December from 7pm - 9pm. There will be music and games and "Santa" will be coming! Tickets will be available from next weekend. All welcome - it will be great fun! We will be having a raffle on the night and would be grateful for any donations for the raffle. Please bring them to the Church and leave them in the box at the back of the Church, marked 'Family Party Raffle.'  
Thank you.

### BREAKFAST SUNDAY CARITAS PROJECT

TODAY after Mass we have our second 'Breakfast Sunday'. On offer today are filled rolls (Choose from Bacon, Sausage, Eggs, Potato Scones), scones and biscuits with tea, & coffee—Black Friday prices. Thank you to everyone who supported the first one. The funds raised from the venture will provide a lunch for senior parishioners.

### Parish Priest

Very Rev. Edward D. Canon Cameron

### Permanent Deacon

Rev. John Morrison

### PLEASE PRAY FOR THE SICK

Susan Mullen, Thomas Parrish, Fiona Lamond, Lena Lockhart, Catriona Burnett, Jim Galbraith, William Muir, Iain Paul Hagan.

### PLEASE PRAY FOR ALL WHO HAVE DIED

John Black, Mrs Gillies.

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

Julia Duffy, Bridget McGrath, George Delaney.

### 6 MONTH MIND

Eileen Brown.

### CHRISTMAS HAMPERS

As part of our initiative to send a parishioner & carer to Lourdes in 2020, we are having a little competition. "How much?" You are asked to estimate the total cost of the Hamper/The contents/The wrappings—only £1 per entry. There are three Hampers, one for a child and two for adults. Please support this venture. Tickets available TODAY!

### SPRED MASS

Next Sunday 2nd December, the 10 am Mass will be a SPRED Mass.

### ADVENT/CHRISTMAS

Next Sunday is the first Sunday of Advent, a time of preparation for Christmas. A leaflet is available TODAY with the times and services/Masses available throughout the season. Please take one before leaving.

### SSVP

We ask you kindly to donate unwanted donations of food to make up Christmas hampers for the poor and needy—Tins of any kind, tea, coffee, biscuits, anything you could give would be gratefully appreciated. Please put your donations in the boxes provided beside the St Anthony Statue at the back of the church. Thank you for your generous offerings.

### PARISH COUNCIL

The next meeting of the Parish Council will take place at 7 pm on Wednesday 28th November in the Church Hall.

# St Paul's Catholic Church

## NEWSLETTER



118 Brediland Road, Paisley. PA2 0HE.

**0141 884 2435**

**Parish Priest**

Very Rev. Edward D. Canon Cameron  
**Permanent Deacon**  
Rev. John Morrison

### PLEASE PRAY FOR THE SICK

Susan Mullen, Thomas Parrish, Fiona Lamond, Lena Lockhart, Catriona Burnett, Jim Galbraith, William Muir, Iain Paul Hagan.

### PLEASE PRAY FOR ALL WHO HAVE DIED

John Black, Mrs Gillies.

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

Julia Duffy, Bridget McGrath, George Delaney.

### 6 MONTH MIND

Eileen Brown.

### OPEN MEETING

You are invited to a meeting in the parish hall after Mass next Sunday, to discuss plans affecting the church and in particular new information on the heating system. Your attendance at this meeting would be gratefully appreciated. Thank you.

### CARITAS SENIOR PARISHIONERS PARTY ST. PETER'S HALL ON SUNDAY 16 DECEMBER FROM 2-4PM.

For weeks the Caritas Students have been fundraising to provide a Christmas lunch for senior parishioners. I am happy to announce that the tickets are now available TODAY. Please collect your ticket before leaving. We look forward to enjoying your company. **ANYONE WISHING A LIFT TO AND FROM THE VENUE ARE ASKED TO PUT THEIR DETAILS ON THE FORM PROVIDED.**

**Solemnity of Christ the King Year B**

**25th November 2018**

### WEEKLY COLLECTION

**Offertory: £524.37**

**Building Fund: £404.42**

**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. The numbers for this week's Lucky Stars were 3 & 10. IT'S A DOUBLE ROLLOVER!. £74.50 will be added to next week's prize money. **GET YOUR LUCKY TICKET NOW!**

### PARISH FETE

The annual parish fete will take place in the parish hall on Saturday 8th December (NOT Saturday 1st December as first proposed) from 10am—NOON. We are urgently in need of unwanted gifts, pledges of home baking, Bric-A-Brac etc. and volunteers to work at the fete. Please give generously of your goods and your time, all of which will be gratefully appreciated.

### CHRISTMAS FAMILY PARTY

There will be a Christmas Family Party on Saturday 15th December from 7pm - 9pm in St Peter's Church Hall. There will be music and games and "Santa" will be coming! Tickets will be available from next weekend. All welcome - it will be great fun! We will be having a raffle on the night and would be grateful for any donations for the raffle. Please bring them to the Church and leave them in the box at the back of the Church, marked 'Family Party Raffle.' Thank you.

### 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:**

10am.

**Confessions:**

Saturday 4—4.30 pm

### 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

**Vigil at 6.30pm.**

#### RECONCILIATION

**Saturday: 10.30-11.00AM.**

Or on request.

#### BAPTISM

By arrangement with Canon Eddie

#### MARRIAGE

**Arranged by appointment.  
At least six months notice is required for preparations**

#### PRAYER OF THANKS

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

#### CATHOLIC EDUCATION

A collection will be taken at Mass TODAY for the work of SCES, the official body of the Church which promotes and supports Catholic Education in Scotland. Please use the envelope provided for this purpose. Thank you for your support.

#### ADVENT/CHRISTMAS

Next Sunday is the first Sunday of Advent, a time of preparation for Christmas. A leaflet is available TODAY with the times and services/ Masses available throughout the season. Please take one before leaving.

**MASS BOOK - Page 160**

## 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.

**FOR THE ATTENTION OF ALL CHURCH VOLUNTEERS WITH PVG CERTIFICATES OR PENDING PVG CERTIFICATES:** volunteers doing or planning to do regulated work with children and vulnerable adults *or both*, *should* complete the Safeguarding Training Induction Part 1 (formerly known as Level 1). The next sessions will be held in St. Mirin’s Parish Hall, Paisley on **Monday 26<sup>th</sup> November at 10am**. Please contact Sarah Jane at the Diocesan Safeguarding office [safeguardingadmin@rcdop.org.uk](mailto:safeguardingadmin@rcdop.org.uk) or **0141 847 6138** to register.

**Advent Day for Primary School Children:** The Diocese of Paisley will be holding an Advent reflection day for Primary school pupils in **p 4,5, 6 +7 on Sunday 9<sup>th</sup> December 2018** at St. Joseph’s, Clarkston **2-6pm**. To attend the event, facilitated by the Salesian Sisters, the children must bring with them a consent form. This can be obtained from your parish, school or by contacting Fr. John Morrison e-mail: [vocations@rcdop.org.uk](mailto:vocations@rcdop.org.uk)

**Advent Day for Secondary School Pupils s3-s6:** The Diocese of Paisley will be holding an Advent reflection day for Secondary school pupils s3-s6 on **Sunday 2nd December 2018** at the St. Mirin’s Chaplaincy Centre, 45 High Street, Paisley 2-6pm. To attend the event, participants must bring with them a consent form. This can be obtained from your parish, school or by contacting Fr. John Morrison e-mail: [vocations@rcdop.org.uk](mailto:vocations@rcdop.org.uk)

**Christmas Charity Dinner:** There will be a Christmas Charity Evening in St. Mirin’s Cathedral Halls on **Saturday 1<sup>st</sup> December 7.30pm to 11.30pm**. Three course dinner with entertainment and a paying bar will be available. All proceeds raised will be donated to the Diocese. £25 per person. Email [stmirinscathedral@rcdop.org.uk](mailto:stmirinscathedral@rcdop.org.uk) or telephone 0141 889 2404.

**Diocesan Choir:** If you would like to join the Diocesan Choir as we prepare for the annual Carol Concert on December 27th, please come to join us in our first rehearsal in St Charles’, Paisley on **Sunday 25th November at 2.30pm**. All welcome!

**New. St Mirin’s Fund:** The Diocese of Paisley has set up a St. Mirin’s Fund to disburse the funds of the Episcopal Charities and the Bishop’s Fund. The Fund will begin on the First Sunday of Advent and then the Fund team, chaired by Canon Peter McGarry, will make around £10,000 worth of grants annually to projects in the diocese or led by parishioners of the diocese that help to build up the Kingdom of God or alleviate special need. Applications will be considered quarterly. If you want to make an application we encourage you to go to our diocesan website and download the forms.

**Medjugorje Evening:** There will be an evening of prayer, adoration and talks about Our Lady and Medjugorje on **Wednesday 28th November** in St Mary’s Parish Paisley. Speakers include: Deacon Eddie Macdonald, Joe Livingston and some priests. This will take place after mass in the church at 7:30pm. There will be Tea & Coffee in the sacristy after. Come and know more about Medjugorje and Our Lady’s apparition.

**MONTHLY DIVINE MERCY DEVOTIONS AND HOLY MASS – Tuesday 27 November 2018 - 7 p.m.** in **St Mary’s Church, 163 George Street, Paisley, PA6 7EL** and will be celebrated by Father Joe Burke. The Divine Mercy devotions will begin with Adoration of the Blessed Sacrament, Divine Mercy chaplet followed by Holy Mass. Light refreshments will be available afterwards. All are welcome. The next monthly mass will be on Tuesday 29 January 2019 at 7 p.m.

**A Quiet Morning for Advent: Saturday 8<sup>th</sup> December 2018**, The Feast of the Immaculate Conception. **St Columba’s Ren-frew 10.30 am – 1.30 pm**. Sharing scripture, prayer and reflection. *All welcome*. Coffee/tea will be available from 10 am. The morning will close with Mass followed by lunch which will be provided.

**An Evening of Sacred Chant:** The chants of Gregorian and Byzantine choirs have been re created with advanced technology in a live performance by Scottish classical singer Martin Aelred whilst projecting HD graphics of ancient Holy sights across the globe. **Thursday 13<sup>th</sup> December at 7pm** in St. Aidan’s Church, Johnstone. Special guests are St. Mirin’s Cathedral Choir who will feature the TAIZE chants. Free entry with a donation to the concert fund.

**Hospital Chaplaincy Services:** Thanks to our hospital chaplains and on-call local priest for continuing to provide outstanding pastoral care for us when we are in our local hospitals. Please remember to let our hospital chaplains know if you or a relative are going into hospital or have been in hospital for any length of time. Our chaplains do not get to see everyone and very much appreciate you letting them know directly. For the RAH you can contact Mgr. Tormey at [staidan@rcdop.org.uk](mailto:staidan@rcdop.org.uk) or tel: 01505 320 900 or for the IRH Mgr. Gallagher at [stpatrick@rcdop.org.uk](mailto:stpatrick@rcdop.org.uk) or tel: 01475 720223. There is always a priest on call 24/7 for emergency call outs, in which case families can ask the nursing staff on the ward to contact the on-call priest.

*Today’s Newsletter is kindly sponsored by*

**Steven Cameron Funeral Directors  
Caplethill Road, Paisley. PA2 7TE.  
Tel: 0141 887 0000**