

# St Peter's Catholic Church

## NEWSLETTER



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**Fourth Sunday of Lent Year C**

**31st March 2019**

### WEEKLY COLLECTIONS

**Offertory: £481.91**

**Building Fund: £353.63**

**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's winners with Lucky Stars 6 & 10 are: T. Hallan(03295) and H. Kyle(03447), each winning £24.50. Well done!

### EASTER EGG APPEAL

You are invited to work with Steven Cameron Funeral Director's in providing Easter Eggs to be donated to Children's Services, Elderly Groups, Local Charities, Hospices and the Local Children's Hospital. Please place your Eggs in the box provided at the back of the church. Thank you for your support. Last year's appeal was very successful thanks to your wonderful response.

### AFTERNOON TEA & CRAFT FAYRE

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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

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 preparation**

### LOURDES FUND

In an effort to increase revenue for the Lourdes Fund it was proposed that we collect for a tombola/bottle stall over the coming weeks. Please bring unwanted gifts and bottles for these stalls next week and place them in the box provided at the back of the church. Thank you.

### LEGACY

This past week I received a gift of £13,391.67 to the parish in the form of a legacy from the Estate of Helen & Brian O'Donnell. I am truly grateful to them both for their kindness and thoughtfulness, and humbled by the amount received. It was my pleasure to attend to them both in the final years of their lives by visiting them at home to provide for them the Sacraments of the Church. Over the years Helen and Brian contributed materially and spiritually to this community and wanted to support the parish beyond their final days. May the Lord bless them for their goodness and commitment to St Peter's.

### Parish Priest

Very Rev. Edward D. Canon Cameron

### Permanent Deacon

Rev. John Morrison

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Susan Mullen, Thomas Parrish, Fiona Lamond, Lena Lockhart, Catriona Burnett, Jim Galbraith, Iain Paul Hagan, Terry Bisland, Andy Jones, Grace Taylor.

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Jimmy Gallagher, Maureen Rennie, Maureen Nelson, Hugh Nelson, Mgr. Jack Sheridan.

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

Mary Sullivan, James O'Hare.

### SCIAF

The annual collection for SCIAF will take place at Mass today. Please use the envelope provided for this purpose and place it in the second collection. Thank you for your generous contribution.

### LENT SERVICES

The final evening Reflection will take place in the parish hall on the Wednesday 3rd April at 7pm. All are welcome to attend.

### Talks @ UWS. Back to Basics. Lent Wednesdays Chaplaincy Talks:

Our talks continue this week with our next topic 'Do Catholics Worship Mary'. Speaker – Fr. Jim Duggan. Talk is on **Wednesday 3<sup>rd</sup> April** beginning at **7pm** at St. Mirin's Chaplaincy centre, 45 High Street, Paisley. All welcome! #back2basics - All welcome!

### 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.

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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

#### HOLY DAYS OF OBLIGATION

Vigil at 6.30pm.

#### RECONCILIATION

Saturday: 10.30-11.00AM.

Or on request.

#### BAPTISM

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#### PRAYER OF THANKS

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

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**Glasgow's 40 Days for Life Vigil at the OEUH** will come to an end on Saturday 13<sup>th</sup> April with our traditional silent candle lit hour at 7pm. Our formal Closing Event will take place in George Square the following day at 3pm, Sunday 14<sup>th</sup> April, Palm Sunday. Jamie McGowan a member of Glasgow Students for Life is the Guest Speaker. Opposition is expected on Sunday 14<sup>th</sup> April. Please come along and be a witness to hope for a culture of life here in Scotland.

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**Rosary at 9.40am.**

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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.

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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.

**The Diocesan Priesthood**— Thinking about Diocesan Priesthood in 2019? The Catholic Church in Scotland is now inviting enquiries from those considering applying for seminary. For more information please contact Fr. John Morrison. Tel: 0141 889 5056 or email [vocations@rcdop.org.uk](mailto:vocations@rcdop.org.uk)

**Are you a Teacher Open to becoming an RE Specialist in our Catholic High Schools?** The University of Glasgow is offering courses to enable qualified teachers to gain an Additional Teaching Qualification in Religious Education (ATQRE), leading to GTCs 'Professional Recognition' and allowing you to become an RE specialist in the Catholic secondary school. Currently our Catholic schools in Scotland are short of around 50 RE specialists. If you are interested please contact the diocese at [Education@rcdop.org.uk](mailto:Education@rcdop.org.uk) or go to: <https://www.gla.ac.uk/schools/education/cpd/atqre/>

**Are you an RE specialist teacher, recently qualifying or other, seeking employment?** Paisley diocese is compiling a list of RE specialists, qualifying or qualified and looking for employment in our schools, temporary or permanent, full time or part time. With your permission we will make this list available to our diocesan Head Teachers, most of whom are currently looking to engage RE specialists. Please contact [Education@rcdop.org.uk](mailto:Education@rcdop.org.uk)

**You are warmly invited to join St Aidan's parish for the following Lenten services:**

- On Tue 16th April at 7pm Stations of the Cross: Meditations on the Way of the Cross: St Aidan's Church
- On Fri 19th April: Good Friday Walk with the Cross from Johnstone Station at 11.30am to Houston Sq. Johnstone at 12pm with readings from the Passion Narratives.

**Diocese of Paisley – Youth Pilgrimage to Salamanca:** We're holding a Race Night to raise funds for our pilgrimage to Salamanca in July 2019. The Race Night will take place at **St. Fergus, Paisley on Saturday 30<sup>th</sup> March** beginning at **7pm**. All welcome! If you'd like to sponsor a horse or contribute a raffle prize please contact Fr. John Morrison on 0141 889 5056 or e-mail [vocations@rcdop.org.uk](mailto:vocations@rcdop.org.uk)

**Let's Meet:** Would you like to meet someone special? Let's Meet is sort of like speed dating and is a very friendly, relaxed way to meet fellow single Catholics (Aged 21-40). We need good, strong Catholic couples and families for the future of our Church. So please, give our Catholic Speed Dating event a go. Browns Brasserie & Bar, Glasgow. **7pm, Saturday 6<sup>th</sup> April**. To buy a £10 ticket email [letsmeetscotland@gmail.com](mailto:letsmeetscotland@gmail.com).

**SCIAF's WEE BOX 6K Family Fun Run:** 4<sup>th</sup> May 2019, Strathclyde Country Park, 10am for 11am run start. Let's unite to end poverty. Millions of people around the world continue to struggle to support themselves and their families because of extreme poverty, war and natural disasters. Your entry fee and sponsorship will help fund our life changing work. Every step you take will bring someone living in poverty a step closer to supporting themselves and living with dignity. Whether you're old or young, running or walking, with family, friends or going solo, SCIAF's WEE BOX 6K Family Fun Run can help raise money so the poorest can survive and thrive. Sign up online at [www.sciaf.org.uk](http://www.sciaf.org.uk) to show solidarity with people in need around the world.

***FILM NIGHT Fundraiser HCPT Group 19 Lourdes Easter Pilgrimage. Sister Clare Crocket*** was killed during an earthquake in Ecuador. As a youngster her life was heading for spiritual destruction. Then she opened her life to Jesus, changed her ways and joined the *Sisters of the Home of the Mother*. In this 80 mins film she talks about her life in a fitting reflection for Lent and Easter. **St Patrick's Church Hall, Coatbridge, Thursday evening 11<sup>th</sup> April 7.30pm. Pay at door: £3. All money raised to HCPT Group 19 Lourdes Pilgrimage this Easter.**

**UWS Chaplaincy:** Our present program of Masses will be suspended after this Sunday until Monday 15<sup>th</sup> April due to University holidays.

**Summer Camp:** The Diocese of Paisley is offering a summer camp for secondary school pupils in the present s1 and s2 this summer at Alton Castle near Birmingham. Come along for a 5-day program of faith-filled fun: Holy Mass, prayer, games, activities, Alton Towers & SO MUCH MORE! Transport from Paisley and back. The trip will be from the 4th to the 8th August and costs £350.00. Places are limited. To reserve a place or find out more please contact Fr. John Morrison tel 0141 8895056 or e-mail [vocations@rcdop.org.uk](mailto:vocations@rcdop.org.uk)

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