

St Peter's Catholic Church

NEWSLETTER



154 Braehead Road, Paisley.
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Second Sunday of Easter—Year C

28th April 2019

WEEKLY COLLECTIONS

Offertory: £698.67

Building Fund: £480.77

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. It's a rollover! £98.50 will be added to next week's prize money.

THE WINNING LUCKY STARS WILL NOW BE THOSE DRAWN IN THE EURO-MILLIONS ON A TUESDAY EVENING BEGINNING THIS TUESDAY 30 APRIL.

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 this stall next week and place them in the box provided at the back of the church. Thank you.

SPRED FIRST HOLY COMMUNION

For the second year, St Peter's parish will host the SPRED First Communion Mass on Sunday 19 May at 10am. You are invited to celebrate this Mass with the friends and their families. The BBC have commissioned a company to film this event as part of a year long documentary on First Holy Communions. This will be a respectful and discreet filming due to the venue and the nature of the ceremony. Your presence and support would be gratefully appreciated. Anyone who experienced the Mass last year will testify to the fact that it was a prayerful, joyful and moving celebration of Holy Communion, and indeed Communion of all present.

HOLY PLACES

Thank you to all for their generous contribution to last week's Appeal for the Holy Places totalling £301.33

RCIA

The next meeting will take place on Monday 29 April at 7.30pm in the meeting room.

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

SACRAMENTAL PROGRAMME

The children of primary 7 will celebrate the Sacrament of Confirmation in St. Mirin's Cathedral on Thursday 2nd May at 7pm. You are invited by Bishop John to celebrate this Mass with the children, their Sponsors and their families. To prepare for this big day, the children will come together with the children of St. Paul's Primary School for a Day of Retreat in the parish hall earlier on that day. Please remember the children in your daily prayers.

The children of primary 4 will celebrate the Sacrament of Holy Communion on Sunday 12 May at 12.30pm. This is a public Mass and open for all to attend. To prepare for this big day, the children will come together with the children of St. Paul's Primary School for a Day of Retreat in the parish hall on Friday 3rd May. Please remember the children in your daily prayers.

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Parish Priest

Very Rev. Edward D. Canon Cameron

Permanent Deacon

Rev. John Morrison

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Daniel Cameron, Nancy Roy, Mary Sullivan, Bill McAuley.

Special Collection

for Sick and Retired Clergy – 28th April

We remember our Sick & Retired Priests of the diocese with great love and affection. We have thirteen retired priests, still active in prayer and witness: one living in Rome, six in houses throughout the diocese, four in parish presbyteries, and two at the Residence of the Little Sisters along with Bishop John Cunningham. We thank God for the gift of these priests and keep them in our prayers. In 2017 our three special collections and Friends Campaign raised £69,580, which represents 54% of our expenditure of £128,385. i.e. a shortfall of £58,805, which was met by the Sick & Retired Priests Investment income. Thank you for your contribution. Please use the envelope provided.

CEMETERY MASS

The St Conval's Cemetery Mass will be celebrated on Sunday 28th April at 2pm. All are most welcome to come and pray for their deceased family and friends.

CHILDREN'S LITURGY

The Children's Liturgy will resume TODAY in the parish hall at 10am. Parents are asked to bring their children to the hall at least ten minutes before the Liturgy begins. Team members are asked to collect their text for the next session from the Sacristy before leaving church today.

READER'S ROTA

The new Rota for the next session is now available in the Sacristy for collection. Please take your copy, TODAY!

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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

Vigil at 6.30pm.

RECONCILIATION

Saturday: 10.30 -11.00AM.

Or on request.

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PRAYER OF THANKS

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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.

SCIAF’s WEE BOX 6K Family Fun Run: 4th 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 to show solidarity with people in need around the world.

The Marriage Counselling service for Paisley Diocese is approaching the end of it’s first year! We’d like to remind you that professionals working in this area (and evidence based studies) all give the same message – “don’t leave it too late, get along to discuss professional help if your difficulties are not going away”. The first session is a chance for you to meet with the counsellor and then go away and decide if it might work for you as a couple. To see the testimonials of some couples who have used the service please visit <https://rcdop.org.uk/marriage-counselling-service-1> Or contact the counsellor directly for a chat on **01786 469939** or send a brief email to she.dowds@gmail.com There are posters about the service in your church and your parish priest can also give you the necessary contact details.

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

20-40 Network Events: 20-40 Network organise social events for young Catholics aged 20-40. On **5th May** they are meeting for Coffee in Browns. On **19th May** they are doing an underground tour of Central Station. On **25th May** they have hired a table in slouch. It would be lovely to see some old and new faces at these events. If you fancy coming along just email 2040network@gmail.com for more info.

DIACONATE ORDINATION—Ryan Black: Next Sunday Ryan, one of our students for the Priesthood, will be ordained a deacon at the Scots College in Rome by Bishop John. Please keep Ryan and our other students in your prayers this time. If you’d like to know more about the Diocesan Priesthood please contact our Vocations Director, Fr. John Morrison, at e-mail vocations@rcdop.org.uk or tel: 01418895056.

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