

St Peter's Catholic Church

NEWSLETTER



154 Braehead Road, Paisley.
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18th Sunday of Year C

4 August 2019

WEEKLY COLLECTIONS

Offertory: £538.84

Building Fund: £355.96

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 lucky winners with Lucky Stars 3 & 6: J. Burke, 04109 & J. Greenlees, 03949, each winning £24.25. Well done!

SOLEMNITY OF THE ASSUMPTION

Thursday 15th August is a Holy Day of obligation in honour of Our Lady. A Vigil Mass will take place in St. Paul's on Wednesday evening at 6.30pm, and a morning Mass will be celebrated on the Thursday morning in St. Peter's at 10am and in St Paul's at 11am.

MARY'S MEALS

The annual Mary's Meals textile collection (of unwanted clothing, rags and other textiles for recycling) will take place in the parish on the weekend of 10th & 11th August. The group will give a brief talk and invite you after Mass to support their annual raffle. Last year the textiles raised £100,000 and the raffle also raised £100,000.

VIDES UK

I am delighted to say that the Summer Camp provided by VIDES UK was a great success from the outset, with a huge number attending the family barbecue and an increase in the number of children and teenagers taking part in the week's activities. A VERY BIG THANK YOU to VIDES UK for their time, their talents, and their incredible enthusiasm in bringing so much joy and pleasure to our young people. We look forward to their return visit in the summer of 2020. We wish the team a safe journey home and every success for the future.

Thank you to everyone who kindly supported the family barbecue last Sunday, all who worked hard to prepare for the event and help at it. And to Phelps the Butchers for kindly donating the burgers—Delicious!

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Website: www.stpeterspaisley.org

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

VOLUNTEERS REQUIRED

The cost of maintenance of parish properties is very expensive, unfortunately. Some of the costs can be reduced if parishioners kindly volunteered to do some voluntary work. I am looking for parishioners to give some of their time to do some painting in the parish hall and external areas. The work will begin **on SUNDAY 4 AUGUST at 1.30pm**, and continue each day throughout the day until the job is done. If you wish to help, please come along at anytime from Sunday afternoon onwards.

PRAYER GROUP

Please join us for an evening of prayer and praise with Maranatha prayer group in St Mirin's hall on Tuesday 5th August at 7:30pm. We meet weekly and pray, sing and reflect on scripture and finish with a cup of tea!! You would be most welcome and we look forward to seeing you.

Parish Priest

Very Rev. Edward D. Canon Cameron

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Rev. John Morrison

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Susan Mullen, Fiona Lamond, Catriona Burnett, Terry Bisland, Andy Jones, Henry McKinney, Helen Doyle, Willie McMillan.

PLEASE PRAY FOR ALL WHO HAVE DIED

Elizabeth Broadie, Iolanda McGarrity, Lena Lockhart, Catherine White, John McLeod, Elizabeth Broadie, Margaret Clay, Mary Kane.

PLEASE PRAY FOR ALL WHOSE ANNIVERSARIES OCCUR AT THIS TIME

Isa Dickson, Robbie Bryson, Margaret Bryson, Mark O'Hare, Mary Wilson, John Thomson.

DIOCESAN DAY PILGRIMAGE TO CARFIN

This year the Diocesan Day Pilgrimage to Carfin will join the Annual National Pilgrimage on Sunday 1st September 2019. By a happy coincidence it coincides with the presence of the relics of St Therese of Lisieux. Mass will be celebrated at 3 pm. There will, however, be no procession afterwards as large numbers from Scotland and beyond, are anticipated to be present. All parishes in the Diocese are invited to attend. Unfortunately, due to the large numbers, there will be no catering available. Parishioners are therefore encouraged to bring a packed lunch. Any parishioner wishing to attend this day is asked to put their name on the sheet at the back of the church.

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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HALL TEAS

Thank you to everyone who kindly support the parish building fund by staying behind after Sunday Mass for tea/coffee etc., last months takings totalled £75. Thank you to all who work hard to provide hospitality each week.

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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

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: (Oratory)

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

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 RELICS OF ST THERESE OF LISIEUX

The relics will be in Scotland for two weeks in September. They will be in our Diocese from **14-16th September 2019**. The relics will mainly be at St Mary's Church, Greenock from the evening of Saturday 14th September until the morning of the 15th. The relics will then be taken to St Mirin's Cathedral on Sunday 15th September until the afternoon of the 16th September 2019. All welcome to come and pray before the relics of the “Little Flower”.

ST VINCENT HOSPICE

You are invited to take part in the St. Vincent's Hospice sponsored walk on Sunday 1st September, Castle Semple, Lochwinnoch. To register: email info@svh.co.uk or call 01505 705635. £10 for adults, £5 for under 16's. Minimum sponsorship applies. The fun starts at 11am.

ALPHA COURSE

This will take place in St. Joseph's & St. Patrick's, Wemyss Bay. **Starts Monday 26th August for ten weeks**. To register, please contact Marcus Barry 07772919152 marcbarry1@aol.com All very welcome.

WHEELCHAIR ASSISTANCE REQUIRED FOR SATURDAY HOSPITAL VIGIL MASS AT RAH, PAISLEY.

Once more, in the spirit of Making All Things New, we are appealing for some volunteers to join our rota for wheel chair assistance to enable patients at the RAH to attend the 4pm Saturday Vigil Mass. You will assist a person from the ward to the hospital chapel, stay with them for Mass, and then take them back to the ward. Volunteers need to have or need to obtain a PVG as standard diocesan practice. Can you please contact Monsignor John Tormey for further details on 01505 320 900 or email him at staidan@rcdop.org.uk. You will be asked to join our rota of helpers, probably helping once every three or four weeks. You are free to change your day with another helper if you can't do the day when it's your turn. We have had some helpers leave the rota recently and we really do need some fresh recruits. Please consider giving some of your time to help those who are ill and who will benefit from your kindness. Thank you. Mgr John Tormey.

ANNUAL PILGRIMAGE TO PRAY FOR THE BEATIFICATION OF VEN. MARGARET SINCLAIR

Sunday 8th September, St Patrick's Church, Cowgate, Edinburgh: 2pm Holy Hour; 3pm Presentation on the Ven. Margaret Sinclair; 4.30pm Holy Mass; 5.30pm close.

NEW FERTILITY CARE SCTOLAND CLINIC IN PAISLEY

Fertility Care will run a clinic in our Diocesan offices on alternate Monday evenings from 7 – 9pm. They teach the Billings Ovulation Method of Natural Fertility Regulation, which helps couples achieve or postpone pregnancy in a natural way and they can help couples optimize their chances of conceiving. The service is free and confidential, and no appointment is necessary. Come and visit. Phone: 0141 221 0858 E-Mail: info@fertilitycare.org.uk Website at www.fertilitycare.org.uk Facebook www.facebook.com/fertilitycarescotland and Twitter www.twitter.com/billingsscot

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