

# St Peter's Catholic Church

## NEWSLETTER

20th Sunday of Year C

18 August 2019



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**WEEKLY COLLECTIONS**  
**Offertory: £545.54**  
**Building Fund: £349.03**  
**Thank you for your generosity.**

### CHILDREN'S LITURGY

The Children's Liturgy starts again on 1st September in the Hall during the 10 am Mass. Children from Primary 1 to Primary 7 are invited to attend. Please bring your child to the Hall before Mass. Children's Liturgy will help your child/children to understand the Readings of the Mass as they will be explained to them in a simpler way. They will learn some of the prayers of the Mass and be invited to read the Prayers of the Faithful and the 1st Reading each week. They will also do a little art project on the theme of the Readings of the day. On the 3rd Sunday of each month children from the Children's Liturgy will take part in the Mass in the Church. Those who are able and willing to do so and others will be invited to bring down the Gifts at the Offertory. This will give them confidence and help them to feel included in the Mass. Please consider bringing your child/children to Children's Liturgy. The Rota is available on the table at the back of the church, please take a copy.

### REFLECTION EVENINGS

St Peter's church hall  
**DATES FOR YOUR DIARY**  
All Welcome

The new season of Reflection Evenings will begin in St Peter's on **Wednesday 11th September** in the church hall at 7pm.

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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**

### 'DAY OF LIFE COLLECTION'

This collection would normally be taken at the end of May. Due to the increased number of second collections it was moved to the weekend 7/8 September to fall on the feast day of Our Lady's birthday. Please place your offering in the envelope provided and put it in the second collection. Thank you for your generous gift.

### 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! £92 will be added to next week's winnings.

### MARY'S MEALS COLLECTION

Last weekend's collection for Mary's Meals raised £440.19p and there were 123 bags of textiles collected from both Parishes. Thank you for your generosity.

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### Parish Priest

Very Rev. Edward D. Canon Cameron

### Permanent Deacon

Rev. John Morrison

### PLEASE PRAY FOR THE SICK

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### PLEASE PRAY FOR ALL WHO HAVE DIED

Annie Quinn, Jeanette McCann, Sr. Anne Marie McLaughlin.

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Patricia Harris, Charles McGinty, Bernard Sheehan, Anthony Janotta, Maureen Wright, Mary Kane.

### 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.

### CHILDREN'S LITURGY TEAM

The next Session starts on 1st September with Group A. The Books are now available in the Sacristy. Please collect yours today. Thank you.

### 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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Building Fund: £295.57

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### LUCKY STARS FIFTY/FIFTY DRAW

Tickets for the Lucky Stars Draw are available before and after Mass in the porch. All proceeds from the draw will help fund ongoing maintenance and improvements to parish property. This week's winner with Lucky Stars 2 & 3 was Aidan Gilmour (07382) winning £36. Well done!

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Last weekend's collection for Mary's Meals raised £307.40p and there were 123 bags of textiles collected from both Parishes. Thank you for your generosity.

### PARISH PASTORAL COUNCIL

The next meeting of the Parish Council will take place in the parish house on Wednesday 28 August at 7pm, all members are asked to attend.

### 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

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#### PRAYER OF THANKS

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

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#### TRAINING SESSION FOR EUCHARISTIC MINISTERS

Those parishioners who kindly volunteered to become Eucharistic Ministers are asked to attend a training session in the parish house on Wednesday 21 August from 7-9pm.

#### 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 **14-16<sup>th</sup> September 2019**. The relics will mainly be at St Mary's Church, Greenock from the evening of Saturday 14<sup>th</sup> September until the morning of the 15<sup>th</sup>. The relics will then be taken to St Mirin's Cathedral on Sunday 15<sup>th</sup> September until the afternoon of the 16<sup>th</sup> 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](mailto:info@svh.co.uk) or call 01505 705635. £10 for adults, £5 for under 16's. Minimum sponsorship applies. The fun starts at 11am.

### 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.

### MISSIO BALL

'Friends of Missio Ball' on Saturday 16th November at the Hilton hotel Bellshill all seated for 7:30pm. Tickets are £40 per person with tables of ten also available. This includes a gift upon arrival, a 3 course meal and live band. There are also some fantastic raffle prizes and an auction on the night. All proceeds will go towards schools projects in Uganda and Sierra Leone.

### THE BEGINNING EXPERIENCE

The Beginning Experience are holding a weekend for those who find themselves suffering bereavement through divorce, separation or widowhood. The weekend will take place from 4-6th October 2019 at the Conforti Centre, Coatbridge. For details contact: Catherine on 0131 665 3383 or email: [beginningexperiencescotland@hotmail.com](mailto:beginningexperiencescotland@hotmail.com). Completed applications must be returned by 21st September.

### 'FORMED' - NEW YOUTH CLUB

'Formed': St. Mirin's Chaplaincy Center, 45 High Street, Paisley will be hosting a new club named 'Formed' on Monday afternoons 4.30-6.00pm beginning Monday 19<sup>th</sup> August. The session is open to anyone in the present s3, s4, s5 and s6. Please come along and meet new people and find out more about your faith! To find out more please contact Fr. John Morrison on 01418895056 or e-mail [vocations@rcdop.org.uk](mailto:vocations@rcdop.org.uk). All participants are required to complete a consent form this can be obtained from your Parish Priest or from Fr. Morrison.

### YOUTH TO LOURDES

We are currently in the process of arranging the Youth Lourdes Pilgrimage for 2020. The Pilgrimage will leave Scotland on Thursday 25<sup>th</sup> June 2018. We will arrive in Lourdes on Friday 26<sup>th</sup> June. We will arrive back in Scotland on Friday 3rd July. The pilgrimage is open to anyone in the present s3, s4, s5 or s6. The cost this year is £575.00. The deposit to reserve a place is £75. If deposits are paid, however, by or on Sunday 1st September we will be able to offer a reduced price of £535.00 #earlybirdoffer. Places are reserved only upon payment of the deposit and the return of the application form. Our first group meeting will be at the St. Mirin's Chaplaincy Center, 45 High Street, Paisley on **Sunday 1st September at 1.30pm**. If you like to know more please contact Fr. John Morrison at St. Fergus', Paisley on **0141889 5056** or e-mail [vocations@rcdop.org.uk](mailto:vocations@rcdop.org.uk)

### ALPHA COURSE

This will take place in St. Joseph's & St. Patrick's, Wemyss Bay. **Starts Monday 26<sup>th</sup> August for ten weeks**. To register, please contact Marcus Barry 07772919152 [marcbarry1@aol.com](mailto:marcbarry1@aol.com) All very welcome.

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