

St Peter's Catholic Church

NEWSLETTER



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2nd Sunday of Advent Year A

8th December 2019

WEEKLY COLLECTIONS

Offertory: £600.69

Building Fund: £413.85

Thank you for your generosity.

LUCKY STARS FIFTY/FIFTY

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! £44 will be added to next week's prize money.

YOUTH TO LOURDES

Coffee morning in the parish hall on Sunday 8th December, from 11am—12.30pm. You will have the opportunity to try your luck at the tombola and win a prize in this year's Christmas draw, which will take place at the coffee morning. £1 per strip. £2 for adults and £1 for children, your support would be gratefully appreciated. Here are the list of prizes: 1. Family hamper. 2. Children's hamper. 3. Box of six mixed wines. 4. His & her Davidoff set. 5. Litre of Whisky. 6. Litre of Vodka. 7. Litre of Bacardi. 8. Cuddly toy. 9. Christmas cake & pudding. 10. Christmas Selection box set. 11. Chocolate box set. Get your tickets now!

SVDP APPEAL FOR ADVENT

From now until Sunday 22nd December, the SVDP will be collecting food to provide Christmas hampers for families in the local area. If you would like to support this venture, please put your items in the boxes provided on either side of the St Anthony Statue at the back of the church. Thank you for your support.

EVENING OF REFLECTION

In St Peter's church hall on the following Wednesday evenings at 7pm:
11th December, 8th January, 19th February, 13th May, 10th June.

SOLEMNITY OF THE IMMACULATE CONCEPTION

The Solemnity, because it falls on a Sunday this year, has been transferred to the Monday and will be celebrated in St. Paul's at 10am.

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

ALL DAY CONFESSIONS

The sacrament of Confession will be available in St Mirin's Cathedral on Friday 20th December, from 9am-9pm, excluding Mass times. This is an ideal opportunity to prepare for the great Feast of Christmas. A full list of Clergy and times will be available in the coming weeks.

ST. MIRIN'S CHAPLAINCY CENTRE

Sunday Mass is available at **5pm on
Sundays** 12.30pm on Monday,
Tuesday, Wednesday and Thursday.

ADVENT LITURGY TUESDAY, THURSDAY & FRIDAY

Rosary at 9.15am, followed by
Adoration and Prayer. All are
welcome.

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Parish Priest

Very Rev. Edward D. Canon Cameron

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Rev. John Morrison

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Bisland, Henry McKinney, Helen Doyle,
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John Hughes, Les Peters.

PLEASE PRAY FOR ALL WHOSE ANNIVERSARIES OCCUR AT THIS TIME

George McEwan.

RITE OF ENROLMENT

The children of Primary 4 will celebrate their Rite of Enrolment this Sunday in preparation for receiving the Sacraments of First Confession and First Holy Communion next year. Please remember the children and their families in your prayers in the coming months as we look forward to celebrating with them these two wonderful Sacraments.

SPUC - Volunteer Speakers Required

SPUC (Scotland) has a network of local volunteers who work hard; pro-actively raising awareness of the pro-life movement across parish communities in Scotland. Our local speakers motivate and inspire other parishioners to support SPUC's work, playing an active part in building a culture of life in Scotland. Would you like to be a part of our volunteer team, helping to spread the Gospel of Life? Would you like to join a national movement while being a local ambassador for the most voiceless member of the human family - the unborn? If so, email info@spucscotland.org TODAY!

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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Offertory: £409.35

Building Fund: £442.95

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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. Thank you for your support. It's a rollover! £43.50 will be added to next week's prize money.

ADVENT LITURGY MONDAY & WEDNESDAY

Rosary at 9.15am, followed by Adoration and Prayer. All are welcome.

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NEW YEAR'S EVE BASH

You are invited to take part in the annual New Year's Eve bash at St Paul's. Tickets are priced £5 for adults and £3 for children. BYOB and snacks. The party begins at 7.30pm till late. Tickets are now available for this event after Mass. All proceeds will go towards the parish building fund for ongoing refurbishment. Unwanted gifts for raffles, etc. would be gratefully appreciated, please hand them in to the sacristy, when convenient. Thank you for your support. Enjoy the party!

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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.

YOUTH TO LOURDES CHRISTMAS PRIZE DRAW

You are kindly asked to support a number of young people FROM THE PARISH taking part in next year's Diocesan Pilgrimage to Lourdes by purchasing raffle tickets, at a cost of £1 per strip. Here are the list of prizes: 1. Family hamper. 2. Children's hamper. 3. Box of six mixed wines. 4. His & her Davidoff set. 5. Litre of Whisky. 6. Litre of Vodka. 7. Litre of Bacardi. 8. Cuddly toy. 9. Christmas cake & pudding. 10. Christmas Selection box set. 11. Chocolate box set. If you would be willing to sell tickets for this draw, please contact Canon Eddie. **TICKETS ARE NOW AVAILABLE IN THE PORCH.** Thank you for your support. The raffle will take place on Sunday 22nd December.

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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.

Diocesan Courage Apostolate for Catholics with Same Sex Attraction: Paisley Diocese has a *Courage* Chapter of pastoral ministry for those with same sex attraction, who are looking to live faithfully their Catholic faith. Courage is an international apostolate with over 100 Chapters worldwide and is endorsed by the Holy See. It aims to help members find peace through fellowship, prayer, the Sacraments and an desire Church's vision of chastity. It helps you find the Church's life of peace, and grace to grow in Christian maturity. For information or advice please email in confidence our chaplain at Courage@rcdop.org.uk

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