

# St Peter's Catholic Church

## NEWSLETTER



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**Second Sunday of Year B**

**14th January 2018**

### WEEKLY COLLECTIONS

The **Offertory** last week was £488.91 and £414.05 for the **Building Fund**. 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. The winning Lucky Stars for Friday 12th January were 4 & 6. The lucky winner, J. Reddy ticket No. 420 wins £55. Well done! Tickets are now on sale. Good luck!

### ADULT EDUCATION & JUSTICE GROUP

The next subject for discussion (Atheism) will take place in the parish hall on Wednesday 24 January at 7pm. The books are now available for collection in the sacristy after Mass.

### PRAYER & REFLECTION EVENING

St. Peter's Hall at 7.00pm.  
17<sup>th</sup> January 2018  
Resolutions in light of  
the joy of the Gospel.

### SPRED

The total amount received from the SPRED Boxes amounted to £385.30. On behalf of the diocese and SPRED, Thank you for your support and generous offerings.

### GIFT AID SCHEME

Leaflets are available at the back of the Church explaining the Gift Aid Scheme. If you are a tax payer, please take a copy and consider becoming a member of the scheme. If you would like to become a member of the Gift Aid Scheme, please put your name on the appropriate sheet at the back of the Church. Thank you.

### NON-GIFT AID OFFERINGS

The envelopes used to collect non gift aid donations cost the Parish hundreds of pounds to buy. It would save money if we knew exactly how many boxes of envelopes to purchase. If you make a donation at Mass, but do not pay tax, could you please put your name on the appropriate sheet at the back of the Church. We will purchase envelopes for all those whose names are on the list.

### TIMES OF MASSES

**Morning Mass**  
at 10.00 a.m.

(In the Parish house  
Monday-Friday)

### NO SATURDAY MORNING MASS

**Saturday Vigil Mass**  
at 4.45 pm.

**Sunday Morning Mass**  
10.00 am

### HOLY DAYS OF OBLIGATION

Vigil at 7.00pm. & 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 preparations

### MEMORIAL PLAQUES

The first batch of Memorial Plaques have been inserted around the Memorial Altar. Others will be inserted as and when they become available from the engraver. A BIG THANK YOU to everyone who kindly asked that their loved one be remembered in this special way. The comments from parishioners has been very positive and most appreciative of the workmanship and tasteful way in which the space has been created for the plaques to be inserted. So, THANK YOU JOHN WELSH, for your skill, your time and attention to detail. Well done! We will continue to advertise and invite present and past families and benefactors to have their loved ones remembered in this special way. Application forms will always be available in the sacristy for anyone wishing to have one. Thank you for your support to the parish by means of the Altar of Remembrance.

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### Parish Priest

Very Rev. Edward D. Canon Cameron

### Permanent Deacon

Rev. John Morrison

### PLEASE PRAY

#### FOR ALL WHO ARE SICK

Jim McIntosh, Christine Clark, John Ward, Anne Craig, Peter Smith, Christine McPherson, Eileen Knowles, Janet Ferguson, Elizabeth Lomas, Allister McNeill, Jonathon Arthur, Lynn Smith, Jean Alison, Irene Baillie, Rhian Docherty, Tony Browning, Susan Mullen, Annie Hampson, Rona Kinnell, Drew Meiklejohn, Nancy Heaton, Nan Clarke, John Allison, Tony Browning, Paul Moran, Collette Barret, Gussie Fisher, Christina Brooks, Kevin Flanagan, Christopher Kane, Frank McLaughlin, Thomas Parish.

### PLEASE PRAY

#### FOR ALL WHO HAVE DIED

Ian Lennie, Jean Green, Canon Thomas Murphy, Lorna Kelly, Peter Kelly,

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

Margaret Parker, Mary McIntyre, Patrick Murphy, Gloria Slaven, Paolo Equi, Jean Herry, Joe Millar.

### EUCCHARISTIC MINISTERS

All Ministers are asked to collect their rota from the Sacristy before leaving church today.

### ST. MARGARET'S ADOPTION SOCIETY

The Crib collection this year amounted to £157.00. Thank you.

### JUSTICE & PEACE COLLECTION

The collection for Justice & Peace last weekend amounted to £225.90p Thank you

### TIMES OF MASSES/SERVICES IN ST PAUL'S

#### Morning Mass:

Monday—Friday at 9.15am.

#### NO SATURDAY MORNING MASS

#### Sunday Masses:

Vigil Mass on Saturday at 6pm.  
Sunday Mass at 11.15am.

#### Holydays of Obligation:

11.00am. and 6.30pm.

Confessions: Saturday 10.30—11.00am.

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### ST PETER'S ADULT EDUCATION & JUSTICE GROUP

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### MEMORIAL PLAQUES

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### TIMES OF MASSES/SERVICES

#### ROSARY

Monday-Friday: 9.00am

#### WEEKDAY MASS

Monday-Friday: 9.15am.

**NO SATURDAY MORNING MASS**

**SATURDAY VIGIL MASS**  
6.00 pm

**SUNDAY MORNING Mass**  
11.15 am

#### HOLY DAYS OF OBLIGATION

11.00am & 6.30pm.

#### RECONCILIATION

Saturday: 10.30-11.30AM.  
Or on request.

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John Allison, Tony Browning, Jim Sanderson, Bernadette Armstrong, Andrew Lundie, Lesley Wylie, John Gilmour, Frank McLaughlin.

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### TIMES OF MASSES/SERVICES IN ST PETER'S

*Rosary at 9.40am.*

#### *Morning Mass:*

Monday—Friday at 10 am

**NO SATURDAY MORNING MASS**

#### *Sunday Masses:*

Vigil Mass on Saturday at 4.45 pm  
Sunday Mass at 10 am

#### *Holy Days of Obligation:*

(Vigil) 7 pm and 10 am

#### *Confessions:*

Saturday 4—4.30 pm

## ST PETER'S RCIA

The next RCIA meeting is on Monday 22nd January at the usual time.

### 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.

## *Prayer Reflection Evenings - 2018 - St. Peter's Parish Hall*

### **17<sup>th</sup> January - Resolutions in light of the joy of the Gospel.**

- 21<sup>st</sup> February** - St. Ignatius and the Loved Sinner.
- 14<sup>th</sup> March** - St. Theresa of Avila - how her life and suffering can inspire us today.
- 18<sup>th</sup> April** - St. Francis of Assisi. How each one of us can be moved by what he did and what he said.
- 16<sup>th</sup> May** - St. Catherine of Siena - "Be who God meant you to be you will set the world on fire".

#### **Making All Things New**

A Pastoral Letter from Bishop John will be read out at our Sunday Masses next weekend outlining our Synod's plans through 2018 for a process of consultation and deliberation regarding the reconfiguration of our diocese and local areas in terms of a new model of evangelisation, lay participation and synodal discernment and decision making. To accompany the letter there will be information leaflets, a fuller online link and prayer cards.

#### **The Diocesan pilgrimage to Lourdes will take place from 29th June- 6th July 2018.**

The Diocesan pilgrimage is open to all, however any pilgrim with an acute medical condition or who is taking regular prescription medication will be asked to complete a medical form. This allows us to ensure that we have a team of nurses and helpers willing to assist you. It also lets us order the correct number of wheelchairs for the pilgrimage.

We are still awaiting the full details and booking forms for the pilgrimage. If you would like to be placed on the mailing list please contact Anne Louise 01475 638132

#### **20-40 Network Events**

Aged 20-40? Would you like to meet some fellow young Catholics? 'Networking at the Museum' is on 20th January at Kelvingrove Museum, 2pm-4pm. 'The Quiztastic Quiz of the Year' is on 3rd February in the function room of Blackfriars's bar in the Merchant City, 1pm-5pm. Just email [2040network@gmail.com](mailto:2040network@gmail.com) to buy a ticket or join our mailing list to find out about future events if you can't make this one. We're also on Facebook at [facebook.com/2040network](https://www.facebook.com/2040network).

**ANNUAL YOUTH MASS** will take place in St. Mirin's Cathedral on Wednesday 31st January 2018, The Feast of St John Bosco, at 7pm. Bishop John will preside. All are welcome!

**The Alpha Course** - An opportunity to explore the meaning of life. How does our Christian faith help us to see meaning in our life? Who is Alpha for? Alpha is for everyone and anyone. The beauty of Alpha is that there are no questions that are too hostile, too silly or too simple. Alpha has no prerequisites whatsoever. We come together with one another as we are, free to be ourselves. All are welcome to join us beginning Thursday 25th. January 2018 at 7pm in St. Bernadette's Erskine. The evening begins with a buffet meal. To help with catering arrangements you can register online at [www.stbernadetteserskine.info/alpha](http://www.stbernadetteserskine.info/alpha).

**Marriage Preparation Courses:** Please see below the dates for next year's marriage preparation courses for engaged couples run by our Marriage Ministry couple John and Liz Holmes. <http://rcdop.org.uk/marriage-preparation-day-registration-form>  
Saturday 24 February: Saturday 14 April: Saturday 23 June: Saturday 29 September :

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