

# St Peter's Catholic Church

## NEWSLETTER



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**Fourth Sunday of Lent Year B**

**11th March 2018**

### WEEKLY COLLECTIONS

The **Offertory** last week was £338.40 and £260.18 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. Tickets are now on sale. One lucky winner, Pamela McIntyre, ticket number 1080 wins £48.50 in Friday's draw with numbers 1 & 12. well done!

### LENTEN STATION MASSES

As part of the prayer and catechesis for the new initiative "Making All Things New" Bishop John wants to visit each Cluster Area to celebrate Mass. Our Cluster **Mass is on 21st March at 7 pm** here in St Peter's and the Cluster includes the Parishes of:- *St Peter's, St Paul's, St Charles', St Fergus', St Mirin's Cathedral St James', & St. Mary's.*

### SCIAF LENTEN APPEAL

Today you are asked to pray for all who work for SCIAF and to support their work financially by contributing to their appeal. Please use the envelopes provided. Thank you for your support.

### WHITE FLOWER APPEAL

Thank you to everyone who contributed to the total of £373.62 in last week's collection for the White Flower Appeal.

### YOUTH TO LOURDES

Two parishioners of St. Paul's parish, Amy & Megan Stevenson have kindly offered to support the sick and elderly this summer as part of the Diocesan Pilgrimage to Lourdes. To offset some of the costs for this expensive but necessary support, they ask for your help by inviting you to an evening at the races in St Paul's parish hall on Saturday 24 March. Under starters orders at 7.30pm and much fun until late. Any unwanted gifts and donations you wish to make would be gratefully appreciated. Come along and have some fun! See you there!

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### 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**

### LENTEN SERVICES

**Mon—Thursday:**

**Rosary - 9.30 am  
Morning Prayer - 9.45 am  
followed by Mass**

**Friday:**

**Way of the Cross - 9.30am  
followed by Mass (Church)**

### PARISH PASTORAL COUNCIL

The next meeting of the Parish Council will take place on Thursday 15 March at 7pm.

**Prayer Reflection  
St. Peter's Parish Hall  
St. Theresa of Avila**

how her life and suffering  
can inspire us today.  
Wednesday 14th March at 7pm.

### 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, Nancy Heaton, Nan Clarke, John Allison, Tony Browning, Paul Moran, Collette Barret, Gussie Fisher, Christina Brooks, Kevin Flanagan, Christopher Kane, Frank McLaughlin, Thomas Parish, Tommy Hallan, Ellen McGinlay, Jack Thorburn.

### PLEASE PRAY

#### FOR ALL WHO HAVE DIED

Veronica Connor, Louise Welsh, John O'Hagan, Betty McPhate, Lorraine Hogg.

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

Jimmy McGrath, David Orr.

#### DPY PAISLEY & GALLOWAY DIOCESAN WORLD YOUTH DAY GATHERING

SUNDAY 25 MARCH—ST. MIRIN'S  
CATHEDRAL FROM 2-6PM

This event is open to all young people. Anyone under the age of 18 is required to have parental consent using the form available from your priest. The programme will include fellowship, catechesis, social time, Mass and conclude with a meal. If you wish to attend, please register interest by contacting Fr. Frank Hannigan. By email: youth@rcdop.org.uk or call him on 07944343494.

#### 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.

# St Paul's Catholic Church

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### WEEKLY COLLECTION

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### LUCKY STARS FIFTY/FIFTY DRAW

Tickets for the Lucky Stars Draw are available before and after Mass. All proceeds from the draw will help fund ongoing maintenance and improvements to parish property. Thank you for your support. Tickets are now on sale. Miss Brannan, ticket NO. 2323 wins this week's rollover draw with numbers 1 & 12, winning £74. Well done!

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### FIRST CONFESSIONS

The P4 children of St Paul's Primary School will celebrate their first Confession on Monday 12th March at 7pm. Please keep all these children in your prayers.

### WHITE FLOWER APPEAL

Thank you to everyone who contributed to the total of £260.10 in last week's collection for the White Flower Appeal

### HALL TEAS

If you don't need to rush away, please stay and have some tea/coffee and spend some time getting to know your fellow parishioners.

### Prayer Reflection

*St. Peter's Parish Hall*

### St. Theresa of Avila

how her life and suffering can inspire us today.

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#### 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

11.00 am & 6.30pm.

#### RECONCILIATION

Saturday: 10.30-11.30AM.

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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*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

## 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**

**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".

**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 .

**Diocesan Priesthood** - Thinking about Diocesan Priesthood in 2018? For more information please contact Fr. John Morrison 01418895056 or e-mail [vocations@rcdop.org](mailto:vocations@rcdop.org)

**FOR THE ATTENTION OF ALL CHURCH VOLUNTEERS WITH PVG CERTIFICATES** - volunteers doing regulated work with children and vulnerable adults *or both*, *should* complete the Level one Safeguarding training which will be held on the following dates:

St. Mirin's Parish Hall, Paisley on **Tuesday 13<sup>th</sup> March** at 10.30am

St. Mirin's Parish Hall, Paisley on **Wednesday 9<sup>th</sup> May** at 7pm

Please contact Sarah Jane at the Diocesan Safeguarding office [safeguardingadmin@rcdop.org.uk](mailto:safeguardingadmin@rcdop.org.uk) or **0141 847 6138** to register for a training session.

**EASTER EGG APPEAL** Steven Cameron Funeral Home are once again making an appeal for Easter Eggs to be distributed to local causes, children, and senior citizens who sometimes have no one with them to celebrate Easter. They ask if you would be able to donate an Easter Egg to this appeal. You can take your egg into Steven Cameron Funeral Home at 3 Caplethill Road or bring it along to the Church any Sunday and leave it at the back. Please bring all donations before 22nd March so that they can be distributed in time for Easter. Thank you.

**Diocesan Choir:** Interested in singing with us at the Chrism Mass? Please join us at rehearsals in St Charles' (Paisley) at 2.30pm on Sunday 4th and 11th March. Rehearsal only lasts about an hour. All welcome! If you have any questions, contact Monsignor Denis Carlin - [ctkolf@rcdop.org.uk](mailto:ctkolf@rcdop.org.uk)

**Chapter of Canons Evening Prayer:** - The Bishop and Chapter of Canons meet twice per year, March and September. All are invited to join Bishop John and the Chapter of Canons in Solemn Vespers on **Friday 16<sup>th</sup> March at 7:00pm in St Mirin's cathedral.**

**Quiet Morning in St. Columba's, Renfrew:** 'Come with me to a quiet place' There will be a quiet morning of prayer in St Columba's Oratory Renfrew on **Sat 17<sup>th</sup> March**. 10.15am for 10.30am start. Finish around 12.30pm. The morning will have a reflective input, guided prayer and then a quiet time of prayer. Tea and Coffee will be provided. All welcome.

**SPRED Collection Boxes:** Can those of you who kindly took a SPRED box home at the beginning of advent return them to the parish please. Many thanks.

**St Patrick's dance:** St Mirin's cathedral hall on **16<sup>th</sup> March at 7:30 pm**. Band, Irish dancers – all proceeds will go to the Diocesan student priests fund. Contact Matt on 07889 581 718 for tickets (**£7.50**)

**Fundraising for Across:** On the 18th March in **St. Charles'** parish after 10.30am and 12pm Masses we will be selling rolls and sausage, tea, coffee, snacks and freshly made home baking. There will also be a chance to buy tickets for our raffle.

**St. Mirin's Chaplaincy by UWS:** Mass will be available Monday, Tuesday, Wednesday and Thursday at **12.45pm** in St. Mirin's Chaplaincy Center, 45 High Street Paisley. Please come and join us!

**Sunday Mass at St. Mirin's Chaplaincy by UWS:** We're delighted to announce that Sunday Mass will be available at the St. Mirin's Chaplaincy Centre by UWS at **5pm** during term time.

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