

St. Peter’s Parish, Shankill

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BULLETIN

10<sup>th</sup> AUGUST 2025 – NINETEENTH SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME


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St Paul’s Parish Office 38321289 & Parochial House, 54 Francis Street 38327173  
Safeguarding Children and Adults who require protection.  
Designated person for Dromore Diocese – Mr Stephen Sherry 07301246329  
Or email [safeguardingdirector@dromorediocese.org](mailto:safeguardingdirector@dromorediocese.org)  
Parish Safeguarding Representative –Tel. 0756 329 3431  
St Vincent De Paul -Ozanam Centre 3832 5725. Volunteers need. Please give your time.



MASS SCHEDULE  
Saturday 9.30am, 6pm (Vigil)  
Sunday 8am, 10am, (po polsku) & 12.00 noon  
Monday, Wednesday & Thursday 8am  
Tuesday & Friday 8am & 7pm  
ST PAUL’S CHURCH  
Sunday: 9am & 10.30am  
Monday–Friday: 10am  
Saturday: 10.30 am & 7pm (Vigil)


SACRAMENT OF RECONCILIATION  
with Fr Jozef  
Friday 6.00pm - 6.45pm

OFFERTORY COLLECTION  
27<sup>th</sup> July - £3806.38  
Plus, Standing Orders £320.90 weekly  
Donations – £25.00 loose  
Thank you for your continued support and generosity.



We welcome the following children into the Christian Community through the Sacrament of Baptism  
Clodagh Mae Evelyn Strawbridge, Campbell Walk  
Killian Joseph Francis Strawbridge, Campbell Walk  
Elliot David Eady, Parkview Court  
Savannah Marie Gribbon, Carrigart Crescent  
Our prayers and good wishes are extended to their families.  
All parents wishing to have a child baptised in St Peter’s Parish, must notify the Parish Office in person. One month’s notice is required.  
Baptisms take place on the first, third and fifth Sundays of the month @ 1.00pm

CEMETERY SUNDAY - Next weekend 17th August  
Rosary and Prayers for the Faithful Departed  
The Dougher 3pm – St Colman’s 5pm  
The Ceremony will include Scripture Readings, Prayers, Hymns and Blessing of the Graves.  
Each family is asked to bring a bottle of water. The water will be blessed, and individual family members will be invited to sprinkle Holy Water on the family plot after the Prayer of Blessing.  
Relatives and visitors are asked to help maintain the sacred character of the Cemetery by ensuring all waste is put into the skip or taken away for disposal. To help with maintenance costs of the cemetery, collection baskets will be available at the exit gates to enable anyone who wishes to contribute to do so.

MUSIC MINISTRY IN ST PETER’S CHURCH  
In addition to our amazing choirs who sing during every liturgy throughout the year, this is a special appeal to all instrumental musicians.  
If you are a student, who plays a musical instrument or if you have played an instrument in the past and would like to play in an instrumental ensemble for special liturgies, this is an opportunity to add a very special dimension to Music Liturgy in St Peter’s Church.  
All instruments are welcome – string, woodwind, brass, guitar, drum kit etc...  
If you are interested, please email Michelle, our Organist and Choral/Music Director in St Peter’s, giving your name and instrument.  
[michellegharte@yahoo.com](mailto:michellegharte@yahoo.com)  
Psalm 150:vs 3-5  
'Praise him with the trumpet sound,  
Praise him with the lute and harp!  
Praise him with the trombone, praise him with strings and pipe!'  


YEAR OF JUBILEE  
PILGRIMAGE TO ROME & ASSISI  
24<sup>th</sup> – 29<sup>th</sup> November 2025  
Return flights from Dublin to Rome with Ryanair  
Baggage allowance of 10kg to be checked in plus one item of hand luggage (that can fit under seat).  
Phone MARIAN PILGRIMAGE  
(028) 95680005 or book on-line [marian.ie](http://marian.ie)  
Or contact Paul Johnston 00353 86 828 1889  
€1,250 (approx. £1090)  
Spiritual Director is Fr Maciej  
A jubilee year, also known as a “holy year,” is a special year in the life of the Church currently celebrated every 25 years.  
The Jubilee Year is titled *Spes Non Confundit*, or “Hope does not disappoint”


JUBILEE YEAR OPPORTUNITIES AT LOUGH DERG THIS AUGUST & SEPTEMBER  
Three Day Pilgrimages continue until 15<sup>th</sup> August. (Last day to begin the pilgrimage 13<sup>th</sup> August)  
Admission €85. Concessions for Seniors, Students and Groups.  
One Day Retreats – Guided Days of Prayer and Reflection - places available on  
August 19<sup>th</sup>, 23<sup>rd</sup>, 24<sup>th</sup>, 25<sup>th</sup>, 30<sup>th</sup>  
September 3<sup>rd</sup>, 6<sup>th</sup>, 7<sup>th</sup>, 9<sup>th</sup>, 13<sup>th</sup>, 20<sup>th</sup>, 21<sup>st</sup>  
National Sacred Heart Crusade – a Sacred Heart Statue blessed by Pope Francis will be present for the Day Retreats on 23<sup>rd</sup>, 24<sup>th</sup> & 25<sup>th</sup> August.  
Canonisation of Blessed Carlo Acutis on Sun 7<sup>th</sup> September – special devotions and blessing with Carlo Acutis Relic.  
Admission €50. Group discounts available. Advance Booking Essential  
Thursday 21<sup>st</sup> August to mark National Heritage Week 2025 Lough Derg offers a day to immerse yourself in the story and heritage of the ancient Sanctuary.  
Guided Tour of Station Island and Boat Trip at 11am & 2:30pm.  
Admission €15. Concessions for students, children & families. Advance Booking Essential  
Pilgrim Path Lake Shore Pilgrimage - In the footsteps of pilgrims through the centuries  
Sunday 31<sup>st</sup> August. Guided 8km & 12km walk options available. Admission €25. Advance Booking Essential  
Quiet Day Retreat – Come apart by yourself, and rest for a while – Friday 12<sup>th</sup> September. Admission €40 includes refreshments and lunch. Advance booking essential.  
CONTACT by email. [info@loughderg.org](mailto:info@loughderg.org) / Tel. 0(0353) 719861518  
[www.loughderg.org](http://www.loughderg.org) Pettigo, Co Donegal. F94 PC60  
There is still time to collect your Lough Derg Pilgrim Passport Stamp [www.pilgrimpassport.ie](http://www.pilgrimpassport.ie)

PRAYER REQUESTS  
The Sisters of Mercy “Bethany” 34 Point Road, Dundalk welcome any person who may wish to request prayers.  
All requests are confidential.  
Tel: 00 353 42933 1602  
9.00a.m. – 9.00p.m. daily.  
One of the sisters will be happy to listen and pray with you.

BOOK LAUNCH  
Frank McCorry’s final booklet will be launched in the Sarsfields Hall, Derrytrasna at 7.30pm on Thursday evening August 21<sup>st</sup>, 2025.  
Titled “A Lough-shore Community and their Landlord, the Brownlow Family”, the 44 page illustrated publication combines a special legacy tribute to the people of a very special district and the classification of twelve generations of the Brownlow Family.  
Four presenters will discuss and read extracts from the booklet, priced at £5.00 per copy and proceeds will remain in the district.  
Hospitality will be provided. Parishioners are most welcome to enjoy the event.  
Such an opportunity will not occur again.

MEN’S JUBLIEE CAMINO  
Men’s hike - Sat Sept 13<sup>th</sup> 20kms, on greenway, from Dominican abbey (ruin) in Carlingford to Newry (St Catherine’s) via Newry Cathedral (Jubilee Indulgence). Mass, Adoration, Rosary, Confessions & Fraternity. Registration & details on [www.dominicans.ie/events/](http://www.dominicans.ie/events/) .  
€70 (Lunch, dinner & bus), over 18’s male event. Enquiries to [op.evangelisation@gmail.com](mailto:op.evangelisation@gmail.com).

St Peter’s Parish now accepts ONLINE DONATIONS  
Just scan the QR code with your phone camera to donate.  
  
Or visit <https://donate.mydona.com/st-peters-parish-lurgan>.  
Scan the QR code. Enter your amount. Input your card details. Please do not forget to Gift Aid



RECENTLY DECEASED  
Christopher Gribbon, Ennistarry  
Gerard (Gerry) McMahon, formerly of Mansfield  
Roisin Scullion, Richmount Gardens

MONTH’S MIND  
Tuesday 12<sup>th</sup> August  
Maureen & Freddie O’Connor, Ashford Grange  
Friday 15<sup>th</sup> August  
Maureen Foy, College Walk  
James Malachy McCarron, Drumnamoe Avenue

ANNIVERSARIES  
Sunday 10<sup>th</sup> August  
Brian McConville, North Street  
Patrick Mallon, Clara Street  
Finbar McCann, Kelly Gardens  
Declan Haughey, Antrim Road  
Elizabeth (Lily) Furphy  
Paddy & Ann Mongan, Castlevue Park, Moira  
Sarah (Sadie) McStravick, Drumnamoe Avenue  
Christine Campbell, Monbrief Walk/Kilmaine St  
Charlotte & Catherine McClure, Banbridge  
Monday 11<sup>th</sup> August  
Arthur McAlinden, Woodville Street  
Edward Mulholland, Mary Street  
Rosemary Haddock, Brownlow Terrace  
Margaret & Patrick Lavery, Clara Street  
Kieran O’Hagan, Mary Street  
Patrick Leonard, New York  
Tuesday 12<sup>th</sup> August  
Marie Doran, Filbin Crescent  
James McConaghy, Brownlow Terrace  
Patrick (Patsy) Duffy, Edward Street  
Edward Clarke, Killaghy Road  
Patsy Ganley, Lavery Avenue  
Aidan Forker, London/Lurgan  
Peggy Connelly, Coleraine  
Wednesday 13<sup>th</sup> August  
Rita Hamill, Ennis Green  
Charles McCurdie, Templar Court  
Margaret O’Reilly, Lake Street  
Sarah McClean, Killough Gardens  
Fiona Maria Breen, Victoria Gardens  
Thursday 14<sup>th</sup> August  
Gerard Toman, Church Walk  
Michael O’Neill, Inglewood  
John McNeice, Sloan Street  
Sarah McColgan, Ballyhannon  
Jim McCaughley, Lower Lough Road  
Siobhan McGibbon, Castor Bay Road  
Una Crossey  
Friday 15<sup>th</sup> August  
Dermot Mulholland, Shore Road  
Tony Mallon, Ashford Grange  
Isobel Gallery, Killough Gardens  
Gerard (Garry) Goodman, Stevenson Park  
Saturday 16<sup>th</sup> August  
Eamon Derby, Clara Sreet  
Fergus Magee, Lake Street  
Nora Patterson, North Circular Road  
Elizabeth Coyle, Kilmore Hill Road  
Eileen Bunting, Waring Street  
Elsie Cusack, Portadown  
Maud McAtter, nee Lavery, Wellington Street  
Eternal rest grant onto them O Lord