

Parish Bulletin of St. Peter's & Sacred Heart Catholic Parish families 30th Sunday in Year B

28th October 2018, Psalter week 2

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Bulletin items to be submitted by Thursday night please to stpetersbulletin9@gmail.com

Baptisms: please give at least 3 months' notice

Marriages: Please give at least 6 months' notice

Confessions/Reconciliation: before Mass or by appointment

The month of October is dedicated to the Holy Rosary. According to an account by a fifteenth-century Dominican, Alan de la Roch, Mary appeared to St. Dominic in 1206 after he had been praying and doing severe penances because of his lack of success in combating the Albigensian heresy. Mary praised him for his valiant fight against the heretics and then gave him the Rosary as a mighty weapon, explained its uses and efficacy, and told him to preach it to others.



SACRED HEART NEWS SECTION

15 GRAMPIAN ROAD, TORRY, ABERDEEN, AB11 8ED

'Love the Lord with all your heart and your neighbour as yourself!'

MASS TIMES INTENTIONS AT SACRED HEART

DAY/DATE	VENUE	TIME	MASS INT'S
Sunday	Sacred Heart	09.30am 6.30pm	For Parish Family
Thursday	Sacred Heart	11.30am!!!	All Saints(Holy Day of Obligation)
Friday	Sacred Heart	6pm	For the faithful departed!!
Saturday	Sacred Heart	10am	For parishioners' intentions
OFFERTORY COLLECTIONS on October 21st			
Ordinary: £ 89.55 Thank you!			
Gift Aid: £ 44.25 Thank you !			
Overall total: £ 133.80			
Mission Collection: £ 43.85			
Upcoming 2nd Collections			
TO FIX THE CHURCH ROOF - 28th October (see info re quote further down)			

Hymns: 36, 597, 132, 514

Readers: Cathy E, Sarah O, Amaka, Harriett

Eucharistic ministers: Klaudiusz, Jane

Update! Catechism classes: began at 4.15pm on Wednesdays for children who are preparing both for First Confession and First Holy Communion and will finish at 6pm. We have a new approach to Catechism of our children, through fun and inspirational learning.

28th OCTOBER UPDATE ON FABRIC ISSUES & BUILDING FUND CONTRIBUTION

Works done so far (all costs include VAT): ELECTRICAL CONDITION CHECK BOTH IN HALL AND CHURCH & FAULTS REPAIR + installation of FLOOD LIGHTS FOR SECURITY +REPLACEMENT OF UNSAFE SOCKETS + INSTALLATION OF SURCHARGE PROTECTION (£954.42); KITCHEN CEILING HAS BEEN REPAIRED (£420); HALL & KITCHEN'S ROOF & WALLS CLEARED OF IVY (£325); KITCHEN ROOF RECOATED (material costs: £139.96 in total); KITCHEN + HALL GUTTERS CLEARED AND UNBLOCKED (£200), COLLAPSED FLOOR REPAIRED (£420)

Works to be done: Identify sources of water ingress (which enables moss development) and eliminate them (especially by eliminating leaking through the roof and walls): Fix the disabled toilet (FUNDS ALREADY DONATED BY YOU)

To address these problems, we need to build up sufficient funds over the years. Therefore, after consulting the Parish Pastoral Council I propose that we have a collection 1x per month on the last Sunday of the month to address these issues. Thank you for your generosity:

A BIG THANK YOU TO AN ANONYM DONOR FOR THE £700 she donated to Sacred Heart for the Roof repair.

Other issues: Overdue Gas bill has been paid (for the period of July 2017 – September 2018) = ca. £4800

Consecration (self-dedication) to the Sacred Heart: on every 1st Friday of the month, Mass at 6pm followed by consecration till 7pm.

First event will be on the 2nd November.

NEW! POLISH MASSES: for the local Polish community will be restarted from the 4th November at Sacred Heart at 1.30pm.

Families get together: Fridays in the Church and Hall from 6pm till 9pm. Come and join in prayer, social and some snacks (bring some). All for FREE!

BUT ON THE 2ND FRIDAY OF THE MONTH THERE WILL BE A PARISH RENEWAL EVENT FOR ALL: 5.30PM ADORATION WITH YOUR INTENTIONS, 6.30PM MASS FOR ALL (INCL. PERSONAL SCRIPTURE READING WITH PERSONAL REFLECTIONS, PERSONAL INTENTIONS); 7.30PM-8.30PM SOCIAL & REFRESHMENTS IN THE HALL. FIRST EVENT IS ON THE 9TH NOVEMBER 5PM-8PM.

Candle-lit Masses in November: at the 6.30pm Masses only candle light will be used. This way we will remember our loved ones!

Sunday 6.30pm Masses: Due to very low attendance (3-7 people) and three Masses in the morning and afternoon Fr. Gabor decided to stop the 6.30pm Masses from December onward. Sincere apologies to anyone affected by this!

Gift Aid: Those who donate to the parish through envelopes are kindly asked to see Fr. Gabor after Mass. We need to draw up an accurate list of who has which Gift Aid number. Thank you: Fr. Gabor

ST. PETER'S NEWS SECTION

MASS TIMES – INTENTIONS AT ST. PETER'S

Saturday 6.00pm For parishioners intentions!

Sunday 11.30am For the parish

Monday 6.15pm For Esme

Tuesday 12.30pm Mass for Shanon

Wednesday Mass 12.30pm in thanksgiving to St. Anne (**NEW! At 12 noon the Angelus will be said**)

Thursday: HOLY DAY OF OBLIGATION MASS (All Saints Day) at 12.30pm.

Friday 12.30pm Rosary and Adoration & Mass. **For all the Faithful Departed, followed by prayer at Trinity cemetery at 1.30pm.**

Saturday Readers 6pm 20th October

MARK, BART. DAVID

Saturday WELCOMERS

ALEX .T

Sunday Extraordinary Ministers of Holy Communion 28th October

KATE, ALEX, MARY, BRIAN. (Paten DOUG.)

Sunday Welcomers

LEXA, BRIAN

Those on rota are kindly reminded to get a replacement in advance if you can't do your slot!

Devotions

Adoration: before every Mass (except Sunday)

The Holy Rosary will be said before Mass on Fridays at 12noon

The Angelus will be said before Mass on Wednesday's at 12noon

Parish Groups (every week except holiday times): **Saturday** 5pm & 7.15pm Choir practice, choir loft; **Sunday** 10.45 Choir practice, choir loft; **Monday** R.C.I.A. 7.30PM (unless otherwise advertised), 2 Chapel Ct.; **Thursday** SVdP 2nd and 4th Thursday (6pm), 3 Chapel Ct.; **Fridays** 6pm Church cleaning group (New volunteers most welcome! Please speak to Ikenna if you are interested on 07947757955)

PLEASE REMEMBER NOVEMBER IS THE MONTH OF HOLY SOULS AND ENVELOPES, INCL. LIST, WILL BE AVAILABLE FOR WRITING DOWN THE NAMES OF YOUR LOVED ONES. NAMES WILL BE ENTERED INTO THE BOOK OF REMEMBRANCE WHICH WILL BE UPDATED EVERY WEEK!

Collections on 21st October: £ 387.61./ Sea Sunday 21st October £251.61

2nd Collections: Building Fund 28th October.



The Mass by Bishop Robert Barron : A series of DVD presentations on the deeper meaning of Mass, after the Tuesday Masses starting on the **23rd October**. Soup & Sandwich served after Mass and before the DVD course. We

finish at 2.30pm.

Deeper understanding of our Faith - Sessions for adults! After the Monday evening Mass, from 7.30pm till 9pm. **29th October**

HALL REFURBISHMENT: Finally we have come to the end of this 2.5 years refurbishment, and we have a beautiful modern Hall as the drainage has at last been connected to the public sewer (cost: £4746 incl. VAT). **BIG THANK YOU TO GOD & THOSE WHO supported the hall refurbishment by prayers and donations (material and financial).** Bishop Hugh will bless the Hall on the 25th November after the 11.30pm Mass, after which we will have a parish meal. Please come along! It will all be free, but donations towards food will be welcome!

We now have a new superior quality amplifier because the other one broke down and it cost the parish £1125.40 (incl. VAT). Dlf you Donations towards the costs are very welcome! Thank you for your generosity!

INSTRUMENTALISTS & SINGERS WELCOME! For Sunday Mass musicians/singers for Sunday. Contact Georgina (Head of Music ministry) Mobile (07711 916437). We urgently require singers /keyboard players for Saturdays /Sundays and special occasions.



PARKING FOR MASS: FREE PARKING BEHIND THE CHURCH AT FREDERICK STREET CAR PARK ON SUNDAYS UNTIL 1pm

Flat available: fully furnished, shared flat, £200+bills. If interested, please speak to Georgina (choir master)!

GENERAL NEWS FOR BOTH PARISHES

Photos: You are encouraged to bring photos of loved ones who have passed away and we will put them in front of the altar in Nov.

November envelopes are available at church entrance. Please give completed envelopes to Fr. Gabor

National Catholic Census (headcount): 3rd/4th November, so please make sure you come to Church!

Safeguarding training: for all who have not done any training, **3rd November**, 4pm-6pm, St. Columba's (at Bridge of Don academy)

Eucharistic Ministers review meeting: **7th November**, 6 pm at Sacred Heart.

Fundraising with Fun: You must be joking – a book which is available for £4.50 each (Christmas gift?)

Marriage Banns: Mr Ugwoke Paschal Uchechukwu and Miss Ugwu Ifunanya Uloma are getting married on the 27th December.

Book recommendation especially for parents who are worried about the faith of their children as they grow up and fly out of the family nest. This book is excellent as it gives 40 short and profound explanations as to why Catholics believe what we believe in.

