

Parish Bulletin of St. Peter's & Sacred Heart Roman Catholic Parish Families

1st Sunday in Advent Year A , 1st December 2019, Psalter week 1

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

Baptisms: 3 months' notice please; **Marriages:** 6 months' notice, please; **Confessions** before every Mass

The month of December is dedicated to the [Immaculate Conception of Mary](#), which is celebrated on December 8 but since it falls on a Sunday, the feast has been transferred to December 9



Mass times: **Friday:** 1st & 2nd Fridays at 6pm; **Sundays:** 9.30am in English & 1.30pm in Polish

Collections(4/11): Ordinary: £47.13 ; **Gift Aided:** £36; **Polish Mass:** £ 171.50; ; **Total: £ 254.63**

Building Fund collection on 24/11/2019): £ 153.60

NEXT 2nd collection: For Hall ceiling paper repair + for hole repair in the floor of the bar: **December 29th**

Hymns: 397, 67, 744, 106;; **Readers:** CHILDREN; **Eucharistic ministers:** Stella, Naana

Mass followed by Healing Service: 5th December, Cathedral: Mass at 6pm, Healing service at 7pm. Come for healing!

Mass with anointing of the Sick for healing: at St. Peter's, **18th December**, 12.15pm. Jesus heals today!

Advent short retreats: led by the Franciscan Sisters at St. Peter's on Tuesday the **3rd December**, 12.15pm-2.30pm, incl. Mass, followed by soup & sandwich, then guided Advent retreat till 2.30pm.

Unwrapping Advent: 'The coming Christ in the Mass'; talks by Fr. Emmet, **2nd, 12th, 16th Dec.** St. Joseph's Ch., 6.30pm

There will be a meeting of the former pupils association of the convent of the Sacred Heart on Saturday 7th December 2019 at St. Mary's House, 14 The Chanonry, Old Aberdeen at 2pm for 2.15 pm.

Service of Readings and Carols: St. Mary's Cathedral, **9th December**, 6.30pm with Bishop Hugh, African Choir, etc.

Christmas Mass times: **24th Dec.:** 8pm in Sacred H., 10pm in St. Peter's, **25th Dec.:** 9.30am in Sacred H., 11.30am St.

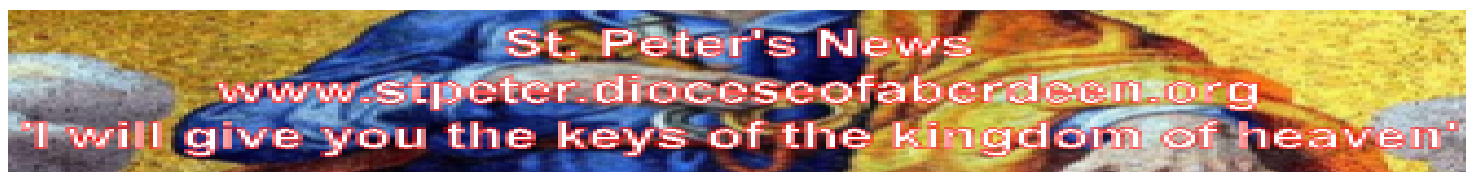
Peter's. 

 Flat (2 bedroom, etc.) available for rental at Eday Drive. Also 2 studio flats will be available for rent from January!

Mandatory Safeguarding training@St. Joseph's parish (Woodside) 2 for all who have done training:
18th December 12noon-1.30pm; 22nd January 12noon-1.30pm; 29th January 7-8.30pm. Please note this is **MANDATORY** for all who have done safeguarding training. Pick ONLY 1 date.

Financial news: There is now opportunity to pay collection donations and other payments WITH DEBIT CARD.
In future if you issue a cheque, please make it payable to: **RCD TORRY SACRED HEART**

Real Advent Calendars are available for £4 each (includes a booklet which also tells your child the Christmas story!)



Mass times at St. Peter's: Mon: 6.15pm, Tues to Friday: 12.15pm, Saturday 6pm, Sunday 11.30am; On Fridays the Holy Rosary is recited from 11.45am followed by the Angelus & Adoration, then Mass at 12.15pm.

Mass intentions: Mon, Tue, Wed, Thurs: **parishioners intentions** ; Fri: **for conversion**; Sat: for the **outpouring of the Holy Spirit**; Sun: for the **parish's renewal**

Collections Ordinary on 17 & 24th Nov. (not Gift Aided: £473.68: Gift Aided: £229.50. **Total:£703.18**

Building Fund not Gift aided £ 157.08, (gift aided £96.00), total £ 253.08

2nd Collection on Dec. 28/29th is for Repair Works (kitchenette worktop, boiler repair, radiator replacement)

Saturday Vigil: Reader 1: Mark ; Reader 2: David ; ; **Intercessions:** Bart

Sunday: Readers: Family Mass 1st: Frances; 2nd: Sonia: **Intercessions:** ?????

Eucharist Ministers: Maureen S: Brian S . Alex R. Mary Y. **.Paten:** Deacon Doug

Parking : at Frederick Street Car Park, **FREE until 1pm, and £1/hour thereafter.**

Our Lady of Fatima Statue : If you would like to have it contact Kathleen (Legion of Mary on 07969504187)

Readers & Eucharistic ministers: it is becoming a regular feature that there is nobody to carry out these important ministries at **weekday Masses. Please remember this ministry is not only for Sunday Masses. Fr.**

Regular Parish Events list has been transferred to the notice board!

Faith Food Film afternoons: replaced by Advent retreats with the Franciscan sisters. (See next article)

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Faith inspiring film night: 7th December at 7.30pm in the Day Chapel of St. Peter's.

Christmas Concert at St. Peter's: December 7th at 12 noon, to prepare for Christmas and to raise funds


Service of Readings and Carols: St. Mary's Cathedral, **9th December**, 6.30pm with Bishop Hugh, African Choir, primary children.


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Mandatory Safeguarding training@St. Joseph's parish (Woodside) 2 for all who have done training:

27th November 7-8.30pm; 18th December 12noon-1.30pm; 22nd January 12noon-1.30pm; 29th January 7-8.30pm.

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 **Flat available for rental** at Eday Drive, and here in the Church Courtyard, speak to Fr. Gabor!

 **Admitted to hospital?** Please notify Fr. Gabor, so that he or the hospital chaplain can visit you! Thank you!

Diocesan Pilgrimage to Marian shrine of Walsingham and other holy sites in England, led by Bishop Hugh, **1-8 July 2020**, for further details see poster in notice board!

Youth Pilgrimage 2020 to Krakow (Poland): if interested, see notice board! Please recommend it to your youth! Sign up asap to secure a place for your young son or daughter!

'Do not be afraid': Advent day of recollection at the University Chaplaincy, 7 High St. with Fr. Nicholas and

the Sisters of St. John, 10.30am- 4pm, Saturday **7th December.**