

Bulletin of St. Peter's & Sacred Heart RC Parish Families
4th Sunday in Ordinary Time Year A, 2nd February 2020, Ps. week 4

The Presentation of our Lord
Scottish Charity no SC 005122

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

The month of February is dedicated to the **Holy Family**. This year the first 25 days of February fall during the liturgical season known as **Ordinary Time** which is represented by the liturgical colour green. Green, the symbol of hope, is the colour of the sprouting seed and arouses in the faithful the hope of reaping the eternal harvest of heaven, especially the hope of a glorious resurrection

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



✝ **Mass times:** Every 1st & 2nd Friday of the month at 6pm, **every Sunday:** 9.30am (**English**), 1.30pm (**Polish**)

£ Collections(26/01): **Ordinary:** £54.43; **Gift Aided:** £131.7; **Polish Mass:** £123.70; **Total: £309.83.**

£ Building fund collection (26/01): £95, **Polish Mass:** £156.51; **Total: £ 251.51**

£ **Fabric news:** hole in the bar floor will be repaired this week (quoted for £325), the ceiling of the hall + kitchen is now repaired (quoted for £250), we need to introduce hot water in our toilet facilities. The new heat blower for the hall will cost £337.85

🎵 **Hymns:**; **Readers:** Children; **Eucharistic ministers:** Naana, Jane

Faith Film Food afternoons: after the 12.15pm Mass at St. Peter's, **4, 11, 18, 25 February**, 1-2.30pm

Parish Council next meeting: 27th February, 7pm, Hall office. PPC members please let me know if you can make it!

Finance News: the monthly Diocesan deductions from our parish account has hugely increased (it doubled). These deductions cover the Diocesan expenditures which ensures the running of our Diocese (it is paid by all parishes proportionate to their income). This increase is due to the fact that our parish income has almost doubled by the help of the Polish people (see new Polish Mass), but this means we need to do some fundraising this year in order to meet our own expenditure. I also encourage those who can afford to set up a standing order, please. Thank you: Fr. Gabor

Families Party: before Lent begins it is a tradition in many countries to have a fun-filled party. Our church is organising such a party for people of all ages, including families, on Sunday **2nd February**, 3pm-5pm. Please put it into your diary! If you can offer your help, please speak to Stella or Fr. Gabor.

Mandatory Safeguarding training Part 1 @Our Lady of Aberdeen (Kincorth) **7th & 21st February 7-8.30pm. Part 2** training @ St. Columba's (Bridge of Don) **15th February 1-2.30pm**. It is compulsory for those with PVG

CHEQUE PAYEE: In future if you issue a cheque, please make it payable to: **RCD TORRY SACRED HEAR**

THE FOLLOWING CARD DONATIONS ARE NOW AVAILABLE at Fr. Gabor who has a bank terminal with him. This is useful, if you didn't bring enough cash for donation!





✠ **Mass intentions:** Mon, Tue (for , Wed, Thurs: **parishioners intentions**); **Fri:** for conversion; **Sat:** for the **outpouring of the Holy Spirit**; **Sun:** for the parish community

✠ **Mass times at St.Peter's:** **Mon:** 6.15pm, **Tues to Friday:** 12.15pm, **Saturday** 6pm for the outpouring of the Holy Spirit upon parishes, **Sunday** 11.30am; On Fridays the Holy Rosary is recited from 11.45am followed by the Angelus & Adoration, then Mass at 12.15pm. Check parish website from a computer for updates (not mobile)!

£ **Collections** 26.01, **Non-Gift Aided:** £,323.50, **Gift Aided** £93.00: **Total: £416.50**

£ **Building Fund 2nd collection 25/26 January: £388.66** for **Repair Works** (for St. Peter's flats repair in church courtyard: repainting, wall repairs, aquapanel installation in bathrooms, recarpeting, etc., costing ca. £3000 in total for 2 flats) Once these flats are refurbished we can continue to rent them out and have income from the rental, but first these works have to be done. **2nd Collection for Catholic Education on 8th/9th February 2020**

Fabric news: Church flats in courtyard to be refurbished, so that we can rent them out. There is a lot of smoking damage. After over 30 years the kitchen in the priest's house to be repaired (floor damages, kitchen unit damages, cold smelly air from the basement)

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

Sunday Family Mass: Children: **Readers:** ist Child : **2nd Child :** **Intercessions** Child.

Eucharist Ministers Jill G. Mary Y. Alex R. Chioma. **Paten:** Deacon Doug

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

Legion of Mary, SVdP, church cleaning, etc. news are now on the parish notice board!

Raffle tickets on sale to help pay the costs of the Day Chapel kitchen refurbishment (£400). Speak to Mary, Joan or Cathy.

£ **Finance News:** the monthly Diocesan deductions from our parish account has significantly increased (by £184/month). These deductions cover the Diocesan expenditures which ensures the running of our Diocese (which is paid by all parishes proportionate to their income). So we need to do some more fundraising this year in order to meet our own expenditure. Please also consider increasing your collection donation. Your fundraising ideas and help are most welcome! I also kindly encourage those who can afford to set up a standing order. Thank you: Fr. G

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100 CLUB SUBSCRIPTION is due: **£36 pa, or 6 monthly £18**, please make cheques payable to St Peters 100 Club please see Brian M or Mareen S.

Parish Council next meeting: **19th February, 5-6.30pm.** PPC members, please let Fr. Gabor know if you can make it!

St, Patrick's Day Lunch will be held on Sunday **15th March after the 11.15am Mass** to be seated by 1.15pm in the Large Hall entrance from Peacock's Close ticket price £10 per adult each Child £5 each List of names going is in the Day Chapel.

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

Youth Pilgrimage 2020 to Krakow (Poland): if interested, see notice board! Please recommend it to your youth!

MEDJUGORJE IRISH CENTRE PILGRIMAGES: APRIL - OCT 2020: see 19.01.2020 bulletin on parish website

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