

PRAYERS PLEASE : for Chris Bolger, Kathleen Hughes and Francis Dixon who have died recently.

We continue to pray for those who are sick at this time and may be undergoing treatment, including Ian deLooze, Paul Weston and Maureen Smith. We remember those whose anniversaries are around this time and a list of Mass intentions for this week is attached to this newsletter and on the parish website.

A REMINDER TO TAKE CARE IN CHURCH : Sorry to keep repeating this, but we need to stay alert and every opportunity should be taken to stay safe and keep others safe by social distancing and sanitising hands and wearing a face covering in church. The face covering should be lowered if you are a Reader and at Communion which must be received in the hand.

VOLUNTEERS are kindly helping to guide people to benches and to sanitise benches and surfaces after Mass. Could I remind all cleaners to do so thoroughly to make sure surfaces are virus free. Rotas are at the back of church if you wish to sign up.

COLLECTIONS: Boxes can be found at each door in church for any Mass intentions, offertory envelopes and any other donations. Envelopes may also be put through the presbytery door. It would be important to sanitise any items before placing them in the box or door. Cheques payable: SS. Peter & Paul's church

SVP September is the special focus month SVP work and funds are required more than ever at this time. Please make any donations clearly marked SVP in an envelope in the collection boxes.

PRAYER CIRCLE: prayers continue to be offered through the Prayer Circle and requests can be made by contacting Bernie Callaghan. Her contact number is: (0151) 928 2558. Bernie thanks everyone for their prayers to aid her recovery.

CATHOLIC PAPERS/PICTORIAL : These will be in a box outside church as you leave. Please keep social distance at this point.

QUARANT'ORE: We will work out some way for this to be observed safely in church in October. More details later.

LIVESTREAMING THE MASS: will continue each Sunday at 10.30 am. unless otherwise notified. When following Mass on line or in your own individual way, at home, the Penance Rite is very important as a means of obtaining God's Forgiveness and making a 'Spiritual Communion.'

MARRIAGE BANNS : Melissa Burgess and Jonathan McNicholl are to be married in our church on 19th September. We offer them every blessing.

FIRST COMMUNIONS: A number of families have opted for small 'family group' First Communion celebrations in church over the coming weeks. Telephone us for details

SCHOOLS RETURN ; With the exception of certain age groups the local Schools will be restarting next week. It has been an uncertain time for parents, staff and pupils but we hope and pray that all will go well and all can return safely.

REMINDER: Masses : Monday 9.10 am. Tuesday 7.30 pm. Friday 7.15am. and 9.10am. On Saturday at 5.45 pm and Sundays 8.30 am and 10.30 am. Morning prayer Mondays, Tuesdays and Fridays at 8.50 am.

Service of Word and Communion on Tuesdays at 9.10 am.

CONFESSIONS: after 12.00 noon Mass at St. Helen's parish centre.

MASS INTENTIONS

Friday 4th September 7.15 am Margaret Biddlestone (L/D)

9.10 am Kate Griffin (L/D) Philomena Wallace

Saturday 5th September 5.45 pm. Andrew Allan (Anniv.)

Sunday 6th September 8.30 am. Nancy Doran & Kitty) O'Byrne

10.30 am. George and Irene Mercer

Monday 7th September 9.10 am. Dermot Casey (Anniv.)

Geoff Brown (Anniv.) Bill Ryan (Anniv.)

Tuesday 8th September 7.30pm Billy Madigan

Frank & Veronica Bushell

Saturday 12th September 5.45 pm Nancy Doran (L/D)

& Kath Brighthouse (Anniv.)

Sunday 13th September 10.30 am Private Intention (AC)

Vincent Morely (Anniv.)

Monday 14th September Hugh Sankey (Anniv.)

Margaret Biddlestone (L/D)

Tuesday 15th September 7.30 pm George & Joan McVeigh

Friday 18th September 7.15 am David Cochrane

9.10 am Deacon Peter Callaghan

John Callaghan (Anniv.)

Saturday 19th September 5.45 pm Margaret Thornton

Jane Pugh

Sunday 20th. September 10.30 am Peter Evans (Anniv.)

& Debbie Halpin L/D

Monday 21st September 9. 10 am (Special Int. Sick)

Tuesday 22nd September 7.30 pm Vincent Feeney (Sick)

Monday 5th October 9.10 am Helen Coulson

Tuesday 6th October 7.30 pm. Edward Overs L/D

Sunday 11th October 10.30 am. Dennis Hudson Anniv.

Saturday 24th October 5.45 pm Christa Walters

LATELY DEAD:

Rev. Terry Rimmer, Lillian Roach, Jimmy Seddon, Les Cooper, Sister Carmel, OSA. Tony Cooper, Jim Birmingham, Len Norman, Tom Delacey, Geoff Farrell, Maureen Roderick, Agnes Pauline Leech, Joseph Murphy, Fr. Joseph Weston, Joan Moles, Sister Josephine Mary, Philip Carey, Millie Lynch. Sister Theophane (Seafield) Richard Potts, Tom Hewlett, Veronica Callaghan, Bill Barnes, Jean Craven, Margaret Foster, Bishop Vincent Malone John McIlvenney, Robert John Cunningham, Pat Hughes, Sister Kathleen Hamilton (Seafield). Joyce Stone Margaret Holmes, Harry Carroll, Maureen Malone, Edward Connolly, Joseph Stone Beryl Dvorak, Pat Penlington, Hilda Nealis, Rose Kelly Kathleen O'Byrne, Mike Slemen, Anne (Nancy) Doran, Margaret Biddlestone, Teresa Tracey, Philomena Wells, Simon McGeady, Debbie Halpin, David Cochrane, Eily Cropper, Edward Overs

ANNIVERSARIES: Bill Murphy, Stephen Murphy,

SICK: Chris and Ralph Larkin, Fr. Des Power
Fr. Hubert Strowbridge, Gerard Clancey, Joseph Hughes,
Imelda Mercer, Ian de Looze, Paul Weston, Maureen Smith
Vincent Feeney,

Please remember also, all who are suffering from the coronavirus at this time.