

Our Lady, Star of the Sea and St. Drostan

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St. Mary's

64 St Peter Street
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2-Week Edition

PETERHEAD

Stewards

Sunday 30th May: Terry Moran & Juliet Grant

Sunday 6th June: Margaret Wyness & Rose Weir

Sunday 13th June: Kasia & Marcin Noga

Readers

Sunday 30th May: Julia Buda

Vigil Mass 5th June: Philippa Baker-Short

Sunday 6th June: Eileen Fretwell

Sunday 13th June: Ellen Carchrie

Monthly Income from Standing Orders: £265.00

Offertory Collection Sunday 23rd May: £211.20

The Parish Safeguarding Co-ordinator is Mrs Majella Morrison

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FRASERBURGH

Stewards

Sunday 30th May: Norma Bisset & Sylwia Matusiak

Sunday 6th June: Dannie Tom & Jean Henry

Sunday 13th June: Norma Bisset & Gwen Craigie

Readers

Sunday 30th May: Shara Wojcik

Sunday 6th June: Clare McMahon

Sunday 13th June: Bob Watson

Monthly Income from Standing Orders: £400.00

Offertory Collection Sunday 16th May: £125.30

Communications Collection: £67.45

The Parish Safeguarding Coordinator is Mrs Anne Reilly (01771 623029; annereilly01@aol.com)

NOTICES

For emergencies requiring a priest between Monday 31st and Fri 4th, please call 07596 888687.

This weekend there is a special retiring collection for the work of the apostolate of life.

A survey of our fishermen. Deacon Doug Duncan of Stella Maris, the Apostleship of the Sea, is helping organise a survey of fishermen in our area. If you're a fisherman working on the smaller (non-pelagic) vessels, he would really appreciate your anonymous input at a short interview to be held in our parishes between 10th and 20th June. Please take a leaflet at the back of the church, and if you can participate, call Deacon Doug on the number there to let him know. Thanks!

Conclusion of the Pope's Rosary Prayer Rally. On Monday 31st May the Pope will lead the Rosary from the Vatican Gardens, as a conclusion to his call for the month of May to be dedicated to a "marathon" of prayer, to ask for the end of the pandemic and a resumption of normal life. The Pontifical Council for the Promotion of the New Evangelization is organising the event, which will be broadcast globally and will include live coverage from over 30 Marian Shrines around the world. For the first time in such a broadcast, live pictures will be sent via satellite from Carfin to Rome. STV will broadcast these pictures to Vatican Television over the course of the 1hr 30min broadcast. Transmission start time is 16.45 GMT. The broadcast can be viewed on EWTN, TELEPACE or by live streaming at: www.vaticannews.va. Do join us if you can!

The National Prayer Breakfast for Scotland will be held on Wednesday 2 June from 08.00 to be followed by a National Day of Prayer at 09.00. These will be "virtual" events involving video contributions from several Christian denominations and groups. At 3.00pm a Song for the Nation will be shown which will include choristers from the Paisley Diocesan Choir, and at 3.05pm a 25-minute video on the Catholic Church in Scotland will be shown. The live stream can be viewed here: <https://www.npbscotland.org.uk/live>

Solemnity of Corpus Domini. Next weekend the Church in Scotland celebrates the Solemnity of The Body and Blood of Christ ("Corpus Domini").

This special liturgical celebration reminds us of the **real presence** of our Lord and Saviour Jesus Christ in the Eucharistic species – that is, in the consecrated

bread and wine, which, after the prayers of the priest at Mass, are truly no longer bread and wine, but the real Body and Blood of our Lord. Jesus binds all the faithful together in the Church through this Sacrament: thus it is really "**holy communion**". And every time the Mass is celebrated He offers Himself to the Father as the **Sacrifice** that takes away the sin of the world. **So the Eucharist is above all: Real Presence, Communion, and Sacrifice.**

Let us show as much love and reverence for our Lord in the Blessed Sacrament as we can.

Consecration of the parishes to the Immaculate Heart of Mary. It's been about 3 years since the last time a formal consecration of the parish was made to the Blessed Virgin Mary. We'll renew our parish consecration on the weekend of Sat 12th and Sun 13th June in our two parishes.

Consecration to Mary strengthens the bond that Christ Himself established between all believers and His holy Mother while He hung upon the Cross (see John 19:26). As happened with St. John, the more we open our hearts to Mary and make "a place for her" in our lives, the more she is able to guide and enrich our lives with her grace and love.

St. Maximilian Kolbe – great Marian saint and martyr – used to say that **Mary is the shortest, surest and most beautiful way to perfect union with God.** She makes our entire spiritual journey easier and more fruitful.

She does this for individuals; but she protects and guides associations and institutions too. So let's renew our personal and communal consecration to Jesus through her Immaculate Heart. The more parishioners take part in this the more fruitful it will be.

Please see our parish website and Facebook page for the prayer of consecration. If you wish to pray this or some other prayer to the Virgin Mary as a novena in the run-up to the Feast of the Immaculate Heart (12th June), start on 3rd June.

Newsletter: Please email any newsletter information to Bob Watson at: rlambwatson@gmail.com

Sun 30 th May	Mass: The Most Holy Trinity (White)	Fraserburgh 9.30am	Peterhead 11.30am
Note: There is no weekday Mass from Monday 31st May to Friday to 4th June, and no morning Mass or Confessions on Saturday 5th June			
Sat 5 th June	Vigil Mass: The Most Holy Body & Blood of Christ (White)	–	Peterhead 6.30pm
Sun 6 th June	Mass: The Most Holy Body & Blood of Christ (White)	Fraserburgh 9.30am	Peterhead 11.30am
Mon 7 th June	No Mass		
Tues 8 th June	Mass: Tuesday in the 10 th Week of Ordinary Time	Fraserburgh 9.30am	–
Wed 9 th June	Mass: St. Columba, Abbot (White), followed by Adoration	–	Peterhead 9.30am
Thu 10 th June	Mass: Thurs in the 10 th Week of Ordinary Time, followed by Adoration	Fraserburgh 9.30am	
Fri 11 th June	Mass: The Most Sacred Heart of Jesus (White)	–	Peterhead 9.30am
Sat 12 th June	Mass: The Immaculate Heart of the Blessed Virgin Mary	Fraserburgh 9.30am	–
	Confessions	F'burgh 11.30am - 12.15pm	P'head 5.45 - 6.15pm
	Vigil Mass: 11th Sunday in Ordinary Time	–	Peterhead 6.30pm
Sun 13 th June	Mass: 11th Sunday in Ordinary Time	Fraserburgh 9.30am	Peterhead 11.30am



"Go therefore, make disciples of all the nations; baptise them in the name of the Father and of the Son and of the Holy Spirit."