

Our Lady, Star of the Sea and St. Drostan

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St. Mary's

64 St Peter Street
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PETERHEAD

Stewards

Sunday 3rd April: Kasia & Marcia & Nicola Noga
Sunday 10th April: Margaret Wyness & Rose Weir

Readers

Vigil Mass 2nd Apr: Philippa Baker-Short
Sunday 3rd Apr: Kevin Oliphant
Vigil Mass 9th Apr: Helen Noble
Sunday 10th Apr: Jane Mackie

Monthly Income from Standing Orders: £430.00
Offertory Collection Sunday 27th Mar: £230.95
SCIAF Special Collection: £237.68

Thank you for your support.

The Parish Safeguarding Co-ordinator is Mrs Majella Morrison: 01771 278126;
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The Parish Synod Meeting for St. Mary's Peterhead will take place on Tuesday 12th April at 7pm in the Church Hall. **Please do come along so that your voice can be heard.** The Holy Father wants to hear from as many of us as possible. **The key question: How can we journey together to be more of the Church God wants us to be?**

FRASERBURGH

Stewards

Sunday 3rd Apr: Gwen Craigie & Sylwia Matusiak
Sunday 10th Apr: Norma Bisset & Danuta Czesak

Readers

Sunday 3rd Apr: Dannie Tom
Sunday 10th Apr: Bob Watson

Monthly Income from Standing Orders: £470.00
Offertory Collection Sunday 27th Mar: £42.97
SCIAF Special Collection: £98.34

Thank you for your support.

The Parish Safeguarding Coordinator is Mrs Anne Reilly: 01771 623029; fraserburghPSC@rcd-abdn.org

Parish Synod Meeting at Our Lady's. Thank you to all who attended the synod meeting on Tuesday, and thanks for sharing your views on how to make the church move on in today's world. **The meeting was a big success!**

If you were unable to attend but have something you would like to say, you will find forms at the back of the Church this Sunday. Just write down what you wish to say (in your own language) and return it next Sunday, 10th April. We're really interested in what you think!

OTHER NOTICES

Second Collection. There will be a retiring collection to support the Church's ministry at the holy places in the Holy Land, next Sunday, 10th April.

Covid regulations "wind-down". We're taking up our regular collection during Mass once again. Only the occasional special collections will happen as people leave the church. This also means we'll be having offertory processions again, and, on Sundays, sing an offertory hymn. 🎵 🎸 😊

The legal requirement to wear face coverings in churches in Scotland will be removed from Monday 4th April. Individuals may continue to wear face coverings if they wish to do so, and this should be respected. In the meantime, please continue to observe the following basic principles:

- Please respect the space of fellow parishioners where possible
- Hands should be sanitised on entering and exiting the Church

The Sacrament of Reconciliation in Lent. A very important way of preparing for Easter is to take time for the Sacrament of Penance (also known as Reconciliation and Confession). **This Sacrament cleanses us of our faults, enables us to experience God's love more deeply, and helps us to be more faithful in God's service.** If it's been a while since you've been to Confession, this is a great time to do it. 😊 😊 😊

Please note the times of Confessions in the timetable below. For those who attend the devotions in Fraserburgh on a Friday evening, the time during adoration is also available.

Confirmation Parents' Meeting. There'll be a special meeting for parents/guardians of our Confirmation candidates next Sunday in both parishes: **after the 09:30 Mass at Fraserburgh; after the 11:30 Mass at Peterhead.** It is really

important that parents/guardians come to this meeting, which will help us to make the last preparations for the celebration of the Sacrament (Sunday 15th May).

Confirmation Classes over the next 4 weeks:

Fraserburgh Classes: 3rd April, 30th April, 7th May.
Peterhead Classes: 31st March, 21st April, 5th May

Holy Week and Easter Timetable:

Palm Sunday of the Passion of the Lord, 10th April
Morning Masses as on a normal Sunday

Tue-Wed Holy Week: all as normal

Holy Thursday, 14th April

19:00, St. Mary's Peterhead, Mass of the Lord's Supper, followed by Watching at the Altar of Repose (in the Hall) until midnight, for whoever wishes

Good Friday, 15th April [DAY OF FASTING AND ABSTINENCE]

15:00, St. Mary's Peterhead, Commemoration of the Lord's Passion and Death

19:00, Our Lady's Fraserburgh, Stations of the Cross and Divine Mercy Chaplet (Good Friday is the first day of the novena to the Divine Mercy)

Holy Saturday, 16th April

10:00, Our Lady's Fraserburgh, Divine Mercy Chaplet and Blessing of Food for Easter (tradition in Poland and other places)

20:30, St. Mary's Peterhead, Easter Vigil Mass

Easter Sunday, 17th April

09:10, Our Lady's Fraserburgh, Divine Mercy Chaplet

All else as a normal Sunday in both parishes

Easter Monday, 18th April

No Mass (don't forget to say the divine Mercy chaplet/novena at home!)

Easter Week Tuesday-Friday

The Divine Mercy Chaplet will be said after every Mass (Masses at the normal times/places)

Easter Saturday, 23rd April

09:10, Our Lady's Fraserburgh, Divine Mercy Chaplet

09:30, Our Lady's Fraserburgh, Mass


Note: No Confessions at Fraserburgh today

18:30, St. Mary's Peterhead, Mass

Easter Octave/Divine Mercy Sunday, 24th April

Morning Masses as on a normal Sunday

15:00, Our Lady's Fraserburgh, Divine Mercy Devotions

Date	Mass	Fraserburgh	Peterhead	
Sun 3 rd Apr	Mass: 5 th Sunday of Lent (Purple)	Fraserburgh 9.30am	Peterhead 11.30am	
Mon 4 th Apr	No Mass	-	-	
Tue 5 th Apr	Mass: Tuesday in the 5 th Week of Lent (Purple)	Fraserburgh 9.30am	-	
Wed 6 th Apr	Mass: Wednesday in the 5 th Week of Lent (Purple); followed by Adoration	-	Peterhead 9.30am	
Thu 7 th Apr	Mass: Thurs in the 5 th Week of Lent (Purple); followed by Stations +	-	Peterhead 9.30am	
Fri 8 th Apr	Mass: Fri in the 5 th Week of Lent; Adoration 18:00, Stations + 19:00	Fraserburgh 6.30pm	-	
Sat 9 th Apr	Mass: Saturday in the 5 th Week of Lent (Purple)	Fraserburgh 9.30am	-	
	Confessions (also available during Friday adoration & on request)	F'burgh 11.30am - 2.15pm	P'head 5.45 - 6.15pm	 <p><i>"If there is one of you who has not sinned, let him be the first to throw a stone at her."</i></p>
Sun 10 th Apr	Mass: Palm Sunday of the Lord's Passion (Red)	Fraserburgh 9.30am	Peterhead 11.30am	