

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 19th June: Kasia & Marcin & Nicola Noga

Sunday 26th June: Majella Morrison & Chelsiey Matthews

Readers

Vigil Mass 18th June: Philippa Baker-Short

Sunday 19th June: Margaret Wyness and First Holy Communicants

Vigil Mass 25th June: Helen Noble

Sunday 26th June: Eileen Fretwell

Monthly Income from Standing Orders: £430.00

Offertory Collection Sunday 12th June: £383.65

The Parish Safeguarding Co-ordinator is Mrs Majella Morrison: 01771 278126;

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FRASERBURGH

Stewards

Sunday 19th June: Gwen Craigie & Sylwia Matusiak

Sunday 26th June: Jean Fernando & Pet Morrice

Readers

Sunday 19th June: Eileen Sutton

Sunday 26th June: Bob Watson

Monthly Income from Standing Orders: £450.00

Offertory Collection Sunday 12th June: £230.46

Day for Life Special Collection: £82.20

Piety Stall - Some items that may be of interest to you: Devotional candles: In loving memory, Holy Family, Divine Mercy, and more.

Items that will suit babies and young children: Miraculous medals for the cradle, small baptismal candles, cot hangers, guardian angel crosses, and Noah's ark.

If there is anything in particular that you would like, please look through the Stall Catalogue, fill in the Personal Choice Order Form, and it will be ordered for you. Speak to Pet for more info.

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

OTHER NOTICES

Retiring Collection. Please note that there will be a retiring collection on the **25th/26th June** for **Peter's Pence**.

Congratulations again to all our young people who made their first Holy Communion last week! Wow, what a gift! Jesus really does come to us in Holy Communion!

The Immaculate Heart of Mary. We have a wonderful tradition of **consecrating our parish communities to the Immaculate Heart of Mary** on the weekend closest to our Blessed Mother's feast day. This year the feast of the Immaculate Heart is on 25th of June, so Fr. Bruno will re-consecrate our parishes to the Immaculate Heart of the Blessed Virgin Mary on the **Sunday Masses of the weekend 25th/26th June**.

When we consecrate an institution like a parish to Mary we are really consecrating ourselves. We offer ourselves to the Bl. Virgin with the trust of little children, who instinctively know that their mother will take care of them and make everything OK. In the case of our heavenly Mother, one of the most important things She does is smooth the way to God by disposing our hearts inwardly to cooperate with His grace.

It is hard to overestimate the importance of consecration to Mary, but to be effective it has to involve a **sincere act of one's own will**. When we do entrust ourselves to Her in this way, there is no problem or difficulty that She cannot overcome. And She does it so sweetly that everything becomes so much easier.

Thank you to everyone who participated in our recent Pastoral Parish Council meetings. May God reward you! A number of really useful proposals or decisions came out of the meetings.

Let's keep the Buchan parishes in our prayers, so that we might all be more and more docile to the guidance and Will of God.

The Fraserburgh Churches Together Jubilee service on 5th June was much appreciated by those who attended. Amazingly, they also raised **£332.90**

for Alzheimer's Scotland! A big thanks to all those who supported this event!

The Pluscarden Pilgrimage on Sunday 26th June is a perfect opportunity for relaxing in the grounds of the Abbey, and a chance to meet people from other parishes within the Diocese. There are also two walking pilgrimage opportunities before the celebrations begin at Pluscarden: one beginning at 10am from Greyfriars Convent, Elgin and one beginning at 1:15 from Torrieston Walks Car Parks. Parishioners are encouraged to bring their own picnics, but refreshments will also be available from 12.00pm in the refreshment's tent. At the conclusion of the Mass there will be a Marian procession to the garden in front of St. Benedict's retreat, weather permitting.

✂ Easyfundraising and Amazon.

Over the last few years **we've raised several hundred pounds** for our parishes through easyfundraising; £40.98 was received from easyfundraising for the last quarter for our joint bank account. So thank you!

But we can do even better in the future! Many people regularly buy things on Amazon, but it may be unclear how to activate a donation to our cause (which is "Peter Fraser Parish").

So, **follow these simple instructions every time you buy on Amazon!**

1. Log onto <https://www.easyfundraising.org.uk>
2. In "Search for a retailer" at the top of the page, type "Amazon"
3. Click on "Shop now" next to one of the options given
4. Complete your purchase on Amazon's website.

Cut this part of the newsletter out and stick it to your computer display! 😊

Thank you for your support for our parishes!

Please e-mail any newsletter information to Bob Watson at: rmbwatson@gmail.com

Date	Mass	Fraserburgh	Peterhead
Sun 19 th June	Mass: The Most Holy Body & Blood of Christ (White)	Fraserburgh 9.30am	Peterhead 11.30am
Mon 20 th June	No Mass	-	-
Tue 21 st June	Mass: St. Aloysius Gonzaga, Religious - Memorial (White)	Fraserburgh 9.30am	-
Wed 22 nd June	Mass: Wed in the 12 th Week in Ordinary Time; Adoration 'til 10.30am	-	Peterhead 9.30am
Thu 23 rd June	Mass: The Nativity of St. John the Baptist - Solemnity (White)	-	Peterhead 9.30am
Fri 24 th June	Mass: The Most Sacred Heart of Jesus - Solemnity (White); Adoration 'til 7.30pm; Confession available after Mass	Fraserburgh 6.30pm	-
Sat 25 th June	Mass: The Immaculate Heart of the Blessed Virgin Mary (White)	Fraserburgh 9.30am	-
	Confessions	NO CONFESSIONS	P'head 5.45 - 6.15pm
	Vigil Mass: 13 th Sunday in Ordinary Time (Green)	-	Peterhead 6.30pm
Sun 26 th June	Mass: 13 th Sunday in Ordinary Time (Green)	Fraserburgh 9.30am	Peterhead 11.30am



Then he took the five loaves and the two fish, raised his eyes to heaven and said the blessing over them; then he broke them and handed them to his disciples to distribute among the crowd.