

# Our Lady, Star of the Sea and St. Drostan

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# St. Mary's

64 St Peter Street  
Peterhead  
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## PETERHEAD

### Stewards

**Sunday 14<sup>th</sup> May:** Margaret Wyness & Rose Weir

**Sunday 21<sup>st</sup> May:** Terry Moran & Eileen Fretwell

### Readers

**Vigil Mass 13<sup>th</sup> May:** Helen Noble

**Sunday 14<sup>th</sup> May:** Ann Doherty & Julia Buda

**Vigil Mass 20<sup>th</sup> May:** Ellen Carchrie

**Sunday 21<sup>st</sup> May:** Fran McKee & Kevin Oliphant

**Monthly Income from Standing Orders:** £385.00

**Offertory Collection Sun 7<sup>th</sup> May:** £310.70

Thank you for your support!

**Gardening.** We are looking for **volunteers to help tidy the garden on Saturday 20<sup>th</sup> May at 10.00am.** Tea and cake will be provided afterwards in the church hall!

**Round Britain Sailing Pilgrimage 2023 (Celebrating 100 years of Stella Maris).** This unique pilgrimage has commenced from Southampton on 29th April and will visit 50 ports and holy sites around the UK over ten weeks. The 2,000+ mile anti-clockwise route will see the sailing ship visit the port of Peterhead in late May. **Skipper Russ Fairman and his crew will be attending the 9.30am Mass on Thursday 25<sup>th</sup> May. Please come along for tea after Mass, learn more about Stella Maris, and chat with the crew about their adventure before a final blessing will be given to send them on their way to their next destination.**

**2023 Summer Picknick Hamper.** Don't miss out on an opportunity to win this **awesome hamper!** **Get your raffle ticket after Mass!**

The Parish Safeguarding Co-ordinator is Mrs Majella Morrison: 01771 278126;  
[stmarypeterheadPSC@rcd-abdn.org](mailto:stmarypeterheadPSC@rcd-abdn.org)

## FRASERBURGH

### Stewards

**Sunday 14<sup>th</sup> May:** Sylwia Matusiak & Jolanta Katinieni

**Sunday 21<sup>st</sup> May:** Malgorzata Antczak & Danuta Czesak

### Readers

**Sunday 14<sup>th</sup> May:** Natalia Matusiak, Kamile Diksaityte & Blazej Nejman

**Sunday May 21<sup>st</sup> Apr:** Bob Watson & Eileen Sutton

### Ministers of Holy Communion

**Sunday 14<sup>th</sup> May:** Bob Watson

**Sunday 21<sup>st</sup> May:** Cirila Webster

**Monthly Income from Standing Orders:** £450.00

**Offertory Collection Sun 7<sup>th</sup> May:** £206.83

Thank you for your support!

**Confirmation Mass. We welcome Bishop Hugh to Fraserburgh this Sunday, 14<sup>th</sup> May, to bestow the Sacrament of Confirmation on 11 of our young people. Let us keep them all in our prayers!**



**Join us to celebrate with Bishop Hugh after Mass today! All welcome! ☺**

**May Devotions in Honour of Our Lady. Join us as we pray the Rosary during our Lady's month of May after the morning Masses on Tuesdays and Saturdays. Tea and coffee available afterwards!**

**Piety Stall: £648.58** profit was made for the parish last year. The year-end account is available on the notice board for viewing. Thanks to all who support the stall.

The Parish Safeguarding Coordinator is Mrs Anne Reilly: 01771 623029; [fraserburghPSC@rcd-abdn.org](mailto:fraserburghPSC@rcd-abdn.org)

## OTHER NOTICES

**This coming Thursday is the Solemnity of the Ascension.** On this day, the Church remembers how Jesus, 40 days after His Resurrection, ascended gloriously and triumphantly into Heaven, to take His place at the right side of His Father. Ascension is a **holy day of obligation**, so please do what you can to come to Mass on Wednesday evening (Fraserburgh) or Thursday (Peterhead).

**Retiring Collection next weekend, 20<sup>th</sup>/21<sup>st</sup> May,** to support the apostolate of communications.

**SCIAF Wee Boxes:** If you haven't already, please hand in your Wee Boxes for counting a.s.a.p. ☺

**Lithuanian Mass and Social.** We are delighted to welcome Fr. Petras Gucevicus from the Lithuanian Chaplaincy in London to Fraserburgh on **Saturday 27<sup>th</sup> May.** Fr. Petras will be offering **Mass in Lithuanian (5pm)** and joining us for a Barbeque after Mass. **All are welcome!** Contributions of food gratefully received.

**Information Days for Filipino fishermen.** Stella Maris is supporting the Filipino Embassy and the International Trade Federation to make Filipino fishermen in our towns aware of **recent changes in regulations governing their visas** ("188 regulations"). **St. Mary's Church Hall, Peterhead, Sat 20<sup>th</sup> May, 12:00-15:30; Our Lady's Parish Room, Fraserburgh, Sun 21<sup>st</sup> May, 12:00-15:30. (12-1pm Tanghalian, 1-3:30pm Balitaan at Kamustahan.)** More info: text Roda on 07891 439472.

Please e-mail any newsletter information to Bob Watson at: [rlambwatson@gmail.com](mailto:rlambwatson@gmail.com)

Sun 14 <sup>th</sup> May	Mass: 6 <sup>th</sup> Sunday of Easter (White)	Fraserburgh 9.30am	Peterhead 11.30am
Mon 15 <sup>th</sup> May	No Mass	-	-
Tues 16 <sup>th</sup> May	Mass: Tuesday in the 6 <sup>th</sup> Week of Easter (White). May devotions and Rosary	Fraserburgh 9:30am	-
Wed 17 <sup>th</sup> May	Mass: Wednesday in the 6 <sup>th</sup> Week of Easter (White); Adoration until 10.30am	-	Peterhead 9.30am
	<b>Vigil Mass: The Ascension of the Lord (White)</b>	<b>Fraserburgh 6.30pm</b>	-
Thurs 18 <sup>th</sup> May	<b>Mass: The Ascension of the Lord (Holy day of Obligation)</b>	-	<b>Peterhead 9.30am &amp; 6.00pm</b>
Fri 19 <sup>th</sup> May	Mass: Friday in the 6 <sup>th</sup> Week of Easter (White)	Fraserburgh 6:30pm	-
Sat 20 <sup>th</sup> May	Mass: St. Bernardine of Siena (White); May devotions & Rosary	Fraserburgh 9.30am	-
	Confessions	F'burgh 11.30am -12.15pm	P'head 5.45 - 6.15pm
	<b>Vigil Mass: 7<sup>th</sup> Sunday of Easter (White)</b>	-	<b>Peterhead 6.30pm</b>
Sun 21 <sup>st</sup> May	<b>Mass: 7<sup>th</sup> Sunday of Easter (White)</b>	<b>Fraserburgh 9.30am</b>	<b>Peterhead 11.30am</b>



**"If you love me you will keep my commandments. I shall ask the Father, and he will give you another Advocate."**