Our Lady, Star of the Sea and St. Drostan

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PETERHEAD

Stewards

Sunday 22nd Oct: Margaret Wyness & Rose Weir Sunday 29th Oct: Terry Moran & Eileen Fretwell

Readers

Vigil Mass 21st Oct: Ellen Carchrie

Sunday 22nd Oct: Nicola Noga & Fran McKeever

Vigil Mass 28th Oct: Philippa Baker-Short Sunday 29th Oct: Kevin Oliphant & Margaret

Wyness

Monthly Income from Standing Orders: £385.00 Offertory Collection Sun 15th Oct: £334.82

Thank you for your support.

The Parish Safeguarding Co-ordinator is Mrs Majella Morrison: 07783 297776;

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FRASERBURGH

Stewards

Sunday 22nd Oct: Anne Reilly & Norma Bisset Sunday 29th Oct: Therese Alexander & Pet Morrice

Readers

Sunday 22nd Oct: Bob Watson & Eileen Sutton Sunday 29th Oct: Jolanta Katiniene & Bob Watson

Ministers of Holy Communion

Sunday 22nd Oct: Allan Moore, Cirila Webster, Angel Rajesh

Sunday 29th Oct: Terry Sim, Juby Jose, Wojtek Alberti

Monthly Income from Standing Orders: £450.00 Offertory Collection Sun 15th Oct: £183.58

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

Piety Stall: Christmas cards, including a selection of hand finished and hand stitched cards are now available. Childrens books - for colouring, counting

and the Christmas story. Advent calendars, a suitable size for convenient posting. Money gift cards. Only a few 2024 calendars left. All items are Christian themed.

OTHER NOTICES

A Second Collection will be taken up this weekend. Sunday 22nd is World Mission Sunday. Take home a copy of the Mission Month magazine and read about the projects Missio Scotland is supporting in Sri Lanka, such as: nourishing children physically and educationally, providing women who have suffered greatly in their lives with the chance to earn a livelihood as well as literally and spiritually building the Church there. Mission Month and World Mission Sunday offer us the chance to support missionaries and the Church in proclaiming the Gospel throughout the world, particularly where the Church is young or poor, and remind us of the revitalising mission that is at the heart of our Faith. The World Mission Sunday collection, taken up worldwide, ensures that this lifesaving and life-giving work can continue. Your donations and prayers make a vital difference to the Church's work in mission countries and are an effective way by which you can support the universal Church. Thank you for your generosity.

Lithuanian Mass and Social. Fr. Petras Gucevičius from the Lithuanian Parish in Oval, London, has kindly agreed to visit our parishes again! He will be offering Mass in Lithuanian at St. Mary's, Peterhead, 6:30pm, Saturday 28th October. This will take the place of our normal vigil Mass. Confessions available in Lithuanian. Social event after the Mass in the Parish Hall. Spread the word!

Solemnity of All Saints. Please note that Wednesday 1st November (the week after this coming one) is the Solemnity of All Saints, and a **Holy Day of Obligation.** Masses will be available in our parishes as follows:

Tue 31st October (Vigil Mass): Peterhead, 18:30. Wed 1st November: Peterhead, 09:30. Wed 1st November: Fraserburgh 18:30.

Good to remember : "hallow-een" means "the evening before All Hallows", that is, All Saints!

The Book of Remembrance for our deceased relatives and friends is now available at the back of the church. Please in it write any names of persons whose souls you would like to be remembered in Masses in November. All Masses in November without a specific intention will automatically be offered for the repose of the soul of everyone listed in our Books of Remembrance.

Parish Pastoral Councils. The next meetings of the PPCs are Tuesday 7th November (Fraserburgh) and Thursday 9th November (Peterhead). Please keep these evenings free. All our parishioners are welcome to participate in the PPCs, which help us to move forward as a parish community, providing in the best way we can for the needs of all our people. If anyone would like to include items on the agenda, please email your suggestions to Bob Watson (Fraserburgh; rlambwatson@gmail.com) or Majella Morrison (Peterhead;

stmarypeterheadPSC@rcd-abdn.org).

Glasgow Torchlight Procession to mark 56th Anniversary of the Abortion Act – will be held by the Society for the Protection of Unborn Children in Glasgow on Thursday 26th October to commemorate 56 years since the passing of the 1967 Abortion Act, which has led to the loss of more than 10 million lives here in the UK. This is a solemn and prayerful event to pray for an end to abortion. The event will begin at 6:30pm with a rosary in George Square followed by a procession to St. Andrew's Cathedral at 7:00pm, ending with Mass there at 7.30pm. For more information email Charlie McCluskey on charliemccluskey@spuc.org.uk/call 0141 221 2094.

Finally, let us keep in mind all the people who have suffered losses in the recent storms. Let us pray for them and be ready to offer what help we can.

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

The Safeguarding Policy Document of the Catholic Church in Scotland, *In God's Image (2nd edition)*, is freely available for online reading or download at http://www.bcos.org.uk/

| Sun 22 nd Oct | Mass: 29th Sunday in Ordinary Time (Green) | Fraserburgh 9.30am | Peterhead 11.30am |
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| Mon 23rd Oct | No Mass | - | - |
| Tues 24th Oct | Mass: Tuesday in the 29th Week in Ordinary Time (Green) | Fraserburgh 9.30am | |
| Wed 25 th Oct | Mass: Wednesday in the 29th Week in Ordinary Time (Green); Adoration till 10.30am | - | Peterhead 9.30am |
| Thu 26th Oct | No Mass | _ | _ |
| Fri 27 th Oct | Mass: Friday in the 29 th Week in Ordinary Time (Green); Adoration to 7:30pm (Confession available during adoration) | Fraserburgh 6.30pm | - |
| Sat 28 th Oct | Mass: St. Simon & St. Jude, Apostles - Feast (Red) | Fraserburgh 9.30am | _ |
| | Confessions | F'burgh 11.30am - 12.15pm | P'head 5.45 - 6.15pm |
| | Sunday Vigil Mass in Lithuanian, Fr. Petras Gucevičius (Confessions available in Lithuanian) | - | Peterhead 6.30pm |
| Sun 29th Oct | Mass: 30th Sunday in Ordinary Time (Green) | Fraserburgh 9.30am | Peterhead 11.30am |



"Very well, give back to Caesar what belongs to Caesar – and to God what belongs to God."