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

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### **PETERHEAD**

#### **Stewards**

Sunday 1st Sep: Kasia & Marcin Noga Sunday 8th Sep: Majella & Madeline Morrison

Readers

Vigil Mass 31st Aug: Arnas Meilutis

Sunday 1st Sep: Julia Buda & Fran McKeever

Vigil Mass 7th Sep: Ellen Carchrie

Sunday 8th Sep: Margaret Wyness & Ann Doherty

Monthly Income from Standing Orders: £465.00 Offertory Collection Sun 25th Aug: £330.43 Building Fund Collection: £205.55

Thank you for your generosity!

First Holy Communion Parents Meeting. There will be a meeting for the parents of all First Communion children on Sunday 15th September after 11.30am Mass.

The Parish Safeguarding Co-ordinator is Mrs Majella Morrison: 07783 297776; <a href="mailto:strange-strength-safe-

## **FRASERBURGH**

#### **Stewards**

Sunday 1st Sep: Pet Morrice & Cirila Webster Sunday 8th Sep: Therese Alexander & Sylwia Matusiak

#### Readers

Sunday 1st Sep: Justas Augusta & Eileen Sutton Sunday 8th Sep: Natalia Matusiak & Eileen Sutton

## **Ministers of Holy Communion**

**Sunday 1st Sep:** Bob Watson, Allan Moore, Wojtek Alberti

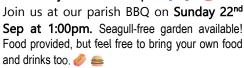
**Sunday 8<sup>th</sup> Sep:** Gwen Craigie, Terry Sim, Cirila Webster

Monthly Income from Standing Orders: £390.00 Offertory Collection Sun 18th Aug: £204.38

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First Holy Communion Parents Meeting. There will be a meeting for the parents of all First Communion children on Sunday 15th September after 9.30am Mass.

## Parish Early Autumn Barbeque! 🦻 🞉 🤩



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

#### **OTHER NOTICES**

**Sick & Retired Priests:** There will be a second collection, this weekend of 31st Aug/1st September in support of sick and retired priests of the Diocese.

**Next weekend**, there'll be an opportunity to sign a **petition card** from the Society for the Protection of Unborn Children, calling for an end to the controversial two-child benefit cap.

Mill Hill Missionaries: After our recent visit from Father Bernard Fox, he has written to us to personally thank us for our generosity to the Mission and for the warm welcome he received from our parishioners.

First Holy Communion and Confirmation Course Registration is still open, but the opportunity will end on Sunday 8th September!

## St John Ogilvie Deanery Pastoral Council:

Bishop Hugh has recently brought together Parishes from Moray and Aberdeenshire; Forres to Huntly, Inverurie to Peterhead, Stonehaven to Ballater, with Fr Colin (St. Sylvester's, Elgin) as the appointed Dean of this new Deanery. We now hope to foster a pastoral council, in which clergy and laity can meet, guided by the Holy Spirit, share experiences and spread the light from their parishes with others. An inaugural Mass to launch the Deanery will take place on Saturday 28th September in St Thomas' Catholic Church, Keith at 10.30am. Come along

and get to know other Catholics in our new Deanery! Refreshments will be served afterwards. Please speak to Fr. Bruno for further information.

Hayden's Creation will be performed at Pluscarden Abbey on the evening of Saturday, 7 September. It's partly a fundraiser for their building works, but mainly in celebration of the completion of the new women's guesthouse. More info on the poster at the back of the church.

**Power of Grace Young People's Retreat.** The Dominican sisters are hosting Power of Grace retreats for the youth of the diocese at St. Michael's Centre, Tomintoul, as follows:

for S1–2 - 6th – 8th September 2024 for S2-3 - 25th – 27th October 2024 for S4-6 - 15th – 17th November 2024

For more information or to register, see the poster at the back of the church or on our website, or contact Charlene at <a href="mailto:youth@cathedral-abdn.org">youth@cathedral-abdn.org</a> or the Dominican Sisters at <a href="mailto:yop@rcda.scot">yop@rcda.scot</a>

Catholic Quiz. How much do you know about your Catholic Faith? © Test your knowledge every week! Last week's query:

What is the published announcement, verbal or written, of a proposed marriage in an R.C. church?

Answer: The Banns of Marriage commonly known simply as the "banns" or "bans" (from a Middle English word meaning "proclamation", rooted in Frankish and thence in Old French), are the public announcement in a Christian parish church, or in a relevant council building, of an impending marriage between two specified persons. The purpose of banns is to enable anyone to raise any canonical or civil legal impediments to the marriage, to prevent invalid marriages.

## This week's query:

What name was given to the French Protestants of the 16th century?

Please e-mail any newsletter information to Bob Watson at: <a href="mailto:rlambwatson@gmail.com">rlambwatson@gmail.com</a>

| Sun   | 1 <sup>st</sup> Sep | Mass: Sunday in the 22 <sup>nd</sup> Week in Ordinary Time (Green)  | Fraserburgh 9.30am        | Peterhead 11.30am       |
|-------|---------------------|---|---------------------------|-------------------------|
| Mon   | 2 <sup>nd</sup> Sep | No Mass   | _                         | -                       |
| Tues  | 3 <sup>rd</sup> Sep | Mass: St. Gregory the Great, Pope & Doctor of the Church (White)  | Fraserburgh 9.30am        | _                       |
| Wed   | 4 <sup>th</sup> Sep | Mass: Wednesday in the 22 <sup>nd</sup> Week in Ordinary Time (Green) - Memorial; Eucharistic Adoration 'til 10.30am                          | _                         | Peterhead 9.30am        |
| Thurs | 5 <sup>th</sup> Sep | Mass: Thursday in the 22 <sup>nd</sup> Week in Ordinary Time (Green)  | _                         | Peterhead 9.30am        |
| Fri   | 6 <sup>th</sup> Sep | Mass: Friday in the 22 <sup>nd</sup> Week in Ordinary Time (Green); Eucharistic Adoration 'til 7.30pm (Confession available during adoration) | Fraserburgh 6.30pm        | -                       |
| Sat   | 7 <sup>th</sup> Sep | Mass: Votive Mass in honour of Our Lady on Saturday (White)   | Fraserburgh 9.30am        | -                       |
|       |                     | Spirit & Bride Divine Will Prayer Meeting (Parish Room and Zoom)  | Fraserburgh 10.10am       |                         |
|       |                     | Confessions   | F'burgh 11.30am - 12.15pm | Peterhead 5.45 - 6.15pm |
|       |                     | Vigil Mass: Sunday in the 23 <sup>rd</sup> Week in Ordinary Time (Green)  | _                         | Peterhead 6.30pm        |
| Sun   | 8 <sup>th</sup> Sep | Mass: Sunday in the 23 <sup>rd</sup> Week in Ordinary Time (Green)  | Fraserburgh 9.30am        | Peterhead 11.30am       |



'For it is from within, from men's hearts, that evil intentions emerge.'