

Our Lady, Star of the Sea and St. Drostan

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PETERHEAD

Stewards

Sunday 10th Aug: Majella & Madeline Morrison
Sunday 17th Aug: Margaret Wyness & Rose Weir

Readers

Vigil Mass 9th Aug: Lara Lei Rivero
Sunday 10th Aug: Kevin Oliphant & Laura Shkunderkova

Vigil Mass 16th Aug: Philippa Baker-Short
Sunday 17th Aug: Majella Morrison & Marta Buda

Monthly Income from Standing Orders: £385.00

Offertory Collection Sun 3rd Aug: £368.20

Thank you for your continued support.

Piety Stall: Pope Leo had announced that St. John Henry Newman will become a doctor of the Church. Some 'the prayers of John Henry Newman' prayer cards are available on the stall. A wonderful way to ask for the powerful intercession of this Saint who will be declared the 38th Doctor of the Church

The Parish Safeguarding Co-ordinator is Mrs Majella Morrison: 07783 297776; stmarypeterheadPSC@rcd-abdn.org

FRASERBURGH

Stewards

Sunday 10th Aug: Jolanta Katiniene & Pet Morrice
Sunday 17th Aug: Norma Bisset & Anne Reilly

Readers

Sunday 10th Aug: Ad Hoc & Bob Watson
Sunday 17th Aug: Natalia Matusiak & Bob Watson

Ministers of Holy Communion

Sunday 10th Aug: Gwen Craigie, Norma Bisset, Bob Watson

Sunday 17th Aug: Bob Watson, Allan Moore, Wojtek Alberti

Monthly Income from Standing Orders: £480.00

Offertory Collection Sun 3rd Aug: £210.54

Thank you for your continued support.

Jar of Pennies Fundraiser: Last chance to make your guess! Fundraiser closing very soon.

Guess the total of money in the jar, win the WHOLE JAR AND Chocolates and a selection of bottles! £1.50 per guess. **Proceeds in support of the parish.**

Piety Stall: Selection of St. Michael Archangel items to choose from. Always in stock – Christian cards for Birthday, Thank you, Thinking of you, Sympathy and Mass Cards and more.

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

OTHER NOTICES

Assumption of the Bl. Virgin Mary. This wonderful feast, on **Friday THIS WEEK**, is a **holy day of obligation**. Let's gather at Mass to celebrate God's love for His holy Mother, who is our mother too! For details of Mass times, see below!

Mission Appeal: Fr. Patrick Duffy will be making an appeal on behalf of the Xaverian Fathers weekend of 23rd/24th August. Xaverian Missionaries serve in 21 nations around the world. Inspired by St. Guido Conforti and St. Francis Xavier, Xaverian Missionaries give witness about Jesus especially to those who do not yet know Him.

Presbytery Works. New windows have been fitted in the Presbytery at Fraserburgh. The work has gone very well, and hopefully these new windows will help to keep the building draft and damp-free for many years to come. Thank you for all your support and for your patience during these works!

Ignatian Spiritual Exercises – Day Retreat. Ignatian Elgin is holding a day retreat at **Birnie Kirk** in Elgin on **September 13th** exploring Ignatian Spirituality, introducing the Spiritual Exercises and the Examen. 10am - 4pm. Cost £15.00, which covers lunch, tea, coffee and snacks. The retreat is run in association with the Ignatian Spirituality Centre in Glasgow and is led by individuals who have been trained as accompaniers. All are welcome regardless of where they are in their spiritual journey. Further

info. on the poster at the back of the church or contact Helen or Tembu at ignatanielgin@tutamail.com.

RCDA Youth Events. Catch this:

- Friday 12th - Sunday 14th September *Power of Grace Retreat for S1s*, St Michael Centre, Tomintoul.
- Saturday 20th September *National Youth Pilgrimage* to Perth.
- Friday 3rd - Sunday 5th October *Power of Grace Retreat for S4-6s*, St Michael Centre, Tomintoul.

For more info, email Sr. Angela Marie at op@rcda.scot

Season of Creation Conference. The Bishops' Office for Care of Creation invites you to their National Season of Creation Conference on Saturday 6th September 2025 in St. Margaret's, Raploch, 10am – 3pm. Come and join Archbishop Nolan and our special guest Lorna Gold, the Executive Director of the global Laudato Si Movement. Book a place on www.bcos.org.uk/scc25

Saturday, 16 August, 12 pm - City Jubilee Pilgrimage Mass, St. Mary's Cathedral. As part of our Jubilee of Hope celebrations, everyone is invited to join us for this celebration with Bishop Hugh.

Ogilvie Centre Bible Study. Join us at Church of the Immaculate Conception in Inverurie to take part in a new Ogilvie Centre Bible study: The Bible and Prayer. This study is from Scott Hahn's St Paul Center and is a chance to grow deeper in our prayer by looking at examples of it in the old and new testaments. Starts 4th September, 7pm-8:30pm for 6 weeks. Child care is also available and the course is free to attend. Email biblestudy@rcda.scot to book onto the course and also stipulate if you are bringing any children.

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, is available at www.bcos.org.uk

Sun 10 th Aug	Mass: 19 th Sunday in Ordinary Time (Green)	Fraserburgh 9.30am	Peterhead 11.30am
Mon 11 th Aug	No Mass	–	–
Tues 12 th Aug	Mass: Tuesday in the 19 th Week in Ordinary Time (Green)	Fraserburgh 9.30am	–
Wed 13 th Aug	Mass: Wednesday in the 19 th Week in Ordinary Time (Green)	–	Peterhead 9.30am
Thurs 14 th Aug	Mass: Requiem Mass (as announced)	–	Peterhead 10.30am
	Vigil Mass: Solemnity of the Assumption of the Bl. Virgin (White)		Peterhead 6.30pm
Fri 15 th Aug	Mass: The Assumption of the Blessed Virgin Mary – Holy Day of Obligation ; followed by Adoration (Confession available in Adoration)	Fraserburgh 6.30pm	Peterhead 9.30am
Sat 16 th Aug	Mass: Saturday in the 19 th Week in Ordinary Time (Green)	Fraserburgh 9.30am	–
	Confessions	Fraserburgh 11.30am - 12.15pm	Peterhead 5.45 - 6.15pm
	Vigil Mass: 20 th Sunday in Ordinary Time (Green)	–	Peterhead 6.30pm
Sun 17 th Aug	Mass: 20 th Sunday in Ordinary Time (Green)	Fraserburgh 9.30am	Peterhead 11.30am



'Stay dressed for action and keep your lamps burning, and be like men who are waiting for their master to come home from the wedding feast, so that they may open the door to him at once when he comes and knocks.'