

Our Lady, Star of the Sea and St. Drostan

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St. Mary's

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PETERHEAD

Stewards

Sunday 30th Nov: Majella & Madeline Morrison
Sunday 7th Dec: Margaret Wyness & Rose Weir

Readers

Vigil Mass: 29th Nov: Philippa Baker-Short
Sunday: 30th Nov: Corazon Simpson & Fran McKeever

Vigil Mass: 6th Dec: Arnas Meilutis
Sunday 7th Dec: Nicola Noga & Lara Lei Rivero

Monthly Income from Standing Orders: £385.00

Offertory Collection Sun 23rd Nov: TBA.

Thank you for your continued support.

Piety Stall: Large selection of new items available for Christmas! If you would like any Nativity sets, cribs or other items ordered, please speak to Father or Colleen.

Pizza and Prayer Club Special Advent Family

Event. Our Pizza and Prayer Club in December is open to families with children of all ages and adults. Games for the children. Advent reflection. Eucharistic prayer. Dedication to Our Lady. **Friday 12th November, 6:30-8:00pm.** 

The Monthly Children's Rosary – will meet again next week on Sunday the 7th of December before Mass at 10.55am.

Children of all ages and ability are welcome to join, whether they know the prayers or not. The Children's Rosary is a relaxed environment, where the children participate to the level they feel comfortable. It is about promoting a relationship with our Heavenly Mother and understanding the principle '**To Jesus through Mary**' at work when we pray the Rosary.

Free juice and biscuits are available in the Hall for the children after Mass.

"The rosary is a flower garden that contains all kinds of beautiful and aromatic virtues." St. Anthony Mary Claref

Peterhead Advent Penitential Service: 18th Dec

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

FRASERBURGH

Stewards

Sunday 30th Nov: Therese Alexander & Sylwia Matusiak

Sunday 7th Dec: Sylwia Matusiak & Cirila Webster

Readers

Sunday 30th Nov: Kasparas Butkus & Jolanta Katiniene

Sunday 7th Dec: Chris Thomas & Eileen Sutton

Ministers of Holy Communion

Sunday 30th Nov: Gwen Craigie, Norma Bisset, Bob Watson

Sunday 7th Dec: Bob Watson, Ad Hoc, Wojtek Alberti

Monthly Income from Standing Orders: £480.00

Offertory Collection Sun 23rd Nov: £288.00

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The Annual Parish Christmas Lunch will take place on Tuesday 16th December at 1:30pm at the Heritage House Cafe (The Seaman's Mission). A £10 deposit, per person, is required when adding names to the list of those attending. The list can be found on the table at the back of the church. See Gwen or Terry for any queries.

Piety Stall: Parishioners have been interested in buying the colourful Nativity Scene Statue - complete with donkey - but it's the prize of the Lucky Square Draw. So why not take part at only **£2 per square?**

Looking for Christian gifts for Christmas? Plenty to choose from on the stall: jewellery, children's activity books, diaries, calendars, Angels-books, new stock of rosaries, Advent candles, and don't forget your Christmas cards! 

Christmas Star Tree: As an alternative to giving cards within the Parish or remembering loved ones at Christmas, you may wish to write a message or prayer on a star and hang it on our star tree.

Envelopes with stars are available at the tree. If you wish, you can donate to the Parish.

Advent Penitential Service, Fraserburgh: There will be a penitential service in preparation for Christmas with the opportunity for individual Confession at Our Lady Star of the Sea Church **THIS THURSDAY 4th December at 7pm.**

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

OTHER NOTICES

£1000 Charity Draw: Nominate our own Diocese using the link below for entry into a draw for the chance of winning £1000 from the Benefact Group. The more entries the greater chance of the Diocese trust being picked in the draw! Closing date 15th December. You'll need the Diocese's registered charity number, which is **SC005122** and your details.

<https://movementforgood.com/#nominateACharity>

Support the Work of Safe Families. We all need a community around us who will be there through thick and thin, all year round. This Christmas, you can give the gift of community and the impact will last a lifetime. Give during the Big Give, between 2-9 December, to see your impact doubled. Together we can connect an isolated and overwhelmed family or care leaver into a loving community this Christmas so that, when the holidays are over and life continues, they can continue to flourish surrounded by a supportive community. Give the gift of community: safefamilies.uk/big-give-pledge

And Don't Forget our Parishes while doing your Christmas shopping online. Our cause is "peterfraserparish" at easyfundraising.org.uk

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

For the RC Diocese of Aberdeen's Safeguarding Page, see <https://www.rcda.scot/safeguarding/>. The Safeguarding Policy of the Catholic Church in Scotland, *In God's Image*, is available at www.bcos.org.uk



Then two men will be out in the field; one will be taken and one left. Two women will be grinding at the mill; one will be taken and one left.

Sun 30th Nov	Mass: First Sunday of Advent (Purple)	Fraserburgh 9.30am	Peterhead 11.30am	
Mon 1st Dec	Solemnity of St. Andrew the Apostle – Patron of Scotland	Fraserburgh 11:30am	–	
Tues 2nd Dec	Mass: Tuesday in the 1st Week of Advent (Purple)	Fraserburgh 9.30am	–	
Wed 3rd Dec	Mass: Saint Francis Xavier, Priest (White) - Memorial	–	Peterhead 9.30am	
Thur 4th Dec	Mass: St. John Damascene, Priest, Doctor of the Church (White)	–	Peterhead 9.30am	
	Advent Penitential Service	Fraserburgh 7.00pm	–	
Fri 5th Dec	Mass: Friday in the 1st Week of Advent (Purple); followed by Adoration (Confession available in Adoration)	Fraserburgh 6.30pm	–	
	Mass: St. Nicholas of Myra, Bishop (White) (the "real Santa Claus")	Fraserburgh 9.30pm	–	
Sat 6th Dec	Confessions	F'burgh 11.45 - 12.30pm	P'head 5.45 - 6.15pm	
	Vigil Mass: Second Sunday of Advent (Purple)	–	Peterhead 6.30pm	
Sun 7th Dec	Mass: Second Sunday of Advent (Purple)	Fraserburgh 9.30am	Peterhead 11.30am	