

Our Lady, Star of the Sea and St. Drostan

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PETERHEAD

Stewards

Sunday 10th May: Terry Moran
Sunday 17th May: Kasia & Marcin Noga

Readers

Vigil Mass: 9th May: Helen Noble
Sunday 10th May: Corazon Simpson & Marta Buda
Vigil Mass: 16th May: Philippa Baker-Short
Sunday 17th May: Andrew Mackey & Jessica Mackey

Monthly Income from Standing Orders: £385.00

Offertory Collection Sun 26th Apr: £384.21

Offertory Collection Sun 3rd May: TBA

Building Fund Collection: £116.00

SCIAF: £174.39

Thank you for your continued support.

Altar Servers' Training: Next Saturday at 5pm in the church. 🙏

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

FRASERBURGH

Stewards

Sunday 10th May: Malgorzata Antczak & Danuta Czesak
Flower Rota: Malgorzata Antczak & Danuta Czesak
Sunday 17th May: Therese Alexander & Cirila Webster

Readers

Sunday 10th May: Natalia Matusiak & Eileen Sutton
Sunday 17th May: Cyprian Kalu Iherulo & Bob Watson

Ministers of Holy Communion

Sunday 10th May: Allan Moore, Bob Watson, Cirila Webster
Sunday 17th May: Terry Sim, Wojtek Alberti, Bob

Watson

Monthly Income from Standing Orders: £480.00

Offertory Collection Sun 3rd May: £294.24

SCIAF Wee Boxes: £254.82

Thank you for your continued support.

Piety Stall: Many new stock items to choose from, Holy water bottles in different shapes including automiser and home use fonts. Guardian Angel items for children & adults, assorted votive candles, new style Rosaries, Christian jewellery.

First Communion Candidates: There is a wide selection of Cards and Gifts at the Piety Stall to purchase, making lovely souvenirs of the happy day.

The Fraserburgh Resilience Group SCIO – would like to thank those who have supported the Food Larder. Information regarding opening times and membership are detailed in a letter received from the Resilience Group, which is pinned on the notice board, at the back of the church, for the congregation's attention. The larder is open to anyone who requires its support.

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

OTHER NOTICES

Ascension Thursday. On this day, 40 days after the celebration of Jesus' Resurrection, the Church celebrates His glorious Ascension into Heaven. It is the triumph of His saving work: the same human nature He shares with us now sits at the right hand of the Father in the glory of the majesty of God. And this is what we are destined to share in if we remain faithful to Him.

The Solemnity of the Ascension is a holy day of obligation, so we should do our best to go to Mass as we would on a Sunday.

Please note the Masses below, and in particular the slightly later evening start time of 7pm on Wednesday and Thursday, to make it easier for

people who return from work in the late afternoon to attend.

World Communications Day: This mandatory second collection will be taken up to in support of the communications apostolate of the Church on Sat/Sun 16th/17th May.

National Churches Trust Grant Award. We gratefully acknowledge a grant of £3,650 from the National Churches Trust, supported by the Heritage Fund, with thanks to National Lottery players. This grant was awarded for maintenance work on the Presbytery roof, and for the new windows in the Presbytery.

Consultation on Diocesan Structures. Soon we'll have an opportunity to feed back our thoughts on diocesan boundaries, collaboration across dioceses and mission. Here are the key questions that Bishops' Conference has invited us to reflect on:

1. Where do we see **good examples of mission** in our parishes, deanery, diocese and country?
2. **Where does mission need to develop** or even begin? What are the barriers to better mission and what can encourage it?
3. **Does the present structure of eight dioceses in Scotland support mission?** Does our diocese already have all that it needs? Would it help if we were to **share resources** with another diocese or dioceses? Would it help if our **diocese merged** with another diocese?

Stronghold Festival 22-25 May 2026: a camping festival for 16s-30s at Craig Lodge Family House of Prayer, Dalmally. This is a festival of non-stop worship of Jesus in the Blessed Sacrament set in the beautiful Scottish Highlands with wonderful young people and musicians from across the UK. The price for under 18s is £100 and £140 for 18+. [Click here](#) to register or find out more information or email Sr. Angela Marie at op@rcda.scot.

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

Sun 10 th May	Mass: 6 th Sunday of Easter (White)	Fraserburgh 9.30am	Peterhead 11.30am
Mon 11 th May	No Mass	–	–
Tues 12 th May	Mass: Tuesday in the 6 th Week of Easter (White)	Fraserburgh 9.30am	–
Wed 13 th May	Mass: Our Lady of Fatima (White)	–	Peterhead 9.30am
	Mass: Vigil of the Ascension (White) – Solemnity Holy Day of Obligation		Peterhead 7.00pm
Thur 14 th May	Mass: The Ascension of the Lord (White) – Solemnity Holy Day of Obligation	–	Peterhead 9.30am
	Mass: The Ascension of the Lord (White)	Fraserburgh 7.00pm	
Fri 15 th May	Mass: Friday in the 6 th Week of Easter (White); followed by Adoration (Confession available during Adoration)	Fraserburgh 6.30pm	–
Sat 16 th May	Mass: Saturday in the 6 th Week of Easter	Fraserburgh 9.30am	–
	Confessions (NB, Confession is available at any time on individual request)	F'burgh 11.30 – 12.15pm	P'head 6.00 – 6.15pm
	Vigil Mass: 7th Sunday of Easter (White)	–	Peterhead 6.30pm
Sun 17 th May	Mass: 7th Sunday of Easter (White)	Fraserburgh 9.30am	Peterhead 11.30am



'If you love me, you will keep my commandments. And I will ask the Father and he will give you another helper.'