

St Rose's Dominican College Musical

St Rose's Dominican College, Beechmount Avenue presents Calamity Jane on Tuesday 29th November and Thursday 1st December at 7.30pm Tickets £5.00 and available from the school office Tel 90240937.

Christmas Bazaar

De La Salle College, Edenmore Drive presents the Grand Christmas Bazaar on Sunday 27th November from 2pm-5pm. Come along and join in the fun!

A Perfect Christmas Gift!

St. Agnes' Choral Society is delighted to announce that it will be performing the family favourite 'Annie' in the Grand Opera House, Tues. 28th Feb. – Sat. 3rd Mar. 2012. Tickets can be booked by phoning 02890 241919

Liam Lawton - 20th Anniversary Tour

Liam Lawton at Holy Family Church, Newington Road, Belfast on Sunday 11th December plus special guests – Holy Family Parish Choir – in aid of Holy Family Building Fund. Doors open at 7.30pm and concert starts at 8.00pm. Tickets are £15 and are available at Holy Family Presbytery (90743119) and Resurrection Presbytery (90714892). You can also purchase a ticket online at www.ticketsireland.ie.

International Eucharistic Congress 2012

We would like to bring to you attention that if you wish to register for the events during the week at the International Eucharistic Congress 2012 (10-17 June), registration fees increase for those who register after the end of November so it is in their interest to register as soon as possible. The website for the IEC contains details on the timetable, guest speakers etc... and there will be a special programme for the youth. For more information, go to www.iec2012.ie

Keys found!

Set of keys were found in Leeson Street and have been handed into the Presbytery. Please contact 90327573 if you think they belong to you.

Advent Youth Festival

Clonard Youth Ministry invites young people 16+ to an Advent Youth Festival on Saturday 10th December from 10am-5pm. It is an opportunity to take time out during this Advent Season to relax and have fun with other young people. The festival will include a range of talks, workshops, music, prayer, and reflection that will help young people explore the true reason for the Advent and Christmas season. Music and song by Clonard and Down and Connor Folk Groups.

The event will be held in Clonard Monastery and Youth Centre and is free of charge. For more information or to make a booking, contact us on 028 90 445 950 or Email: youthministry@clonard.com

Franciscan Grand Sale of Work

Franciscan Grand Sale of Work in the Cathedral Parish Centre on Saturday 26th November at 10.30am to aid El Salvador & Guatemala. Books & Toys, Tombola, Tapes/CDs/DVDs, Arts & Crafts, Jewellery, Bric-a-Brac, Toiletries & Perfume, New Clothes, Knitwear, Cakes, Groceries, Homemade Jam, Religious Objects, Christmas Cards. Something for everyone!



St Peter's Cathedral Parish Newsletter



1st Sunday of Advent

26/11/2011

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MASS TIMES IN THE CATHEDRAL PARISH

Weekday Masses: Monday 10.00am, Tuesday 7.30pm, Wednesday – Saturday 10.00am

Saturday Masses: 10.00am (confessions after 10am Mass), 6.30pm (Vigil)

Sunday Masses: 9.00am, 11.00am & 6.30pm.

Mass in the Adoration Convent Chapel, Falls Road: Mon. – Fri. 12 noon

Do This In Memory Mass: Sunday 18th December at 9.00am.

Preparation for Christmas

A week of Prayer will commence on Sunday 11th December.
Prepare the way of the Lord.

New Missal

We begin using the new revised edition of the Missal this Sunday; this will be a change mainly for the priest as the new responses have been in use since September.

Advent

This Sunday our sister Cathedral, St Anne's, is having a service of carols. Parishioners at St. Peter's are invited by the new Dean Rev. John Mann, through the Cathedral Partnership to join the service this Sunday at 3.30pm. We will be holding an Advent Carol service on Sunday 11th December at 5pm and Dean Mann will be present for his first visit to St Peter's since his installation in September.

Baptisms for November/December in the Cathedral

Baptisms will be held on the 27th November and 11th December at 1.00pm sharp. A Baptism Preparation Meeting will be held on **Tuesday 6th December** at 8pm in the Cathedral Hall. Please give 1 months notice.

Contact the Parish Office on Tel: 90327573



Healing Service: Every Tuesday in Cathedral at 10.30am with a cup of tea in the Hall afterwards.

Music Events in St Peter's Cathedral

Sunday 11th December – 5.00pm – Advent Carol Service

The Schola Cantorum's CD entitled "Praise of God in Song" is available from the Cathedral Presbytery or on Sunday after 11am Mass.

St Peter's Cathedral Parish Draw – 22/11/11

£25: M Button, Lisvana Place (601)

£25: Anne Greene, Abercorn Street (742)

£25: K Morgan, Lower Clonard Street (523)

£25: Mrs Devlin, Ross Road (551)

£50: R Curly, Balkan Street (457)



Congratulations to all our winners!

If possible promoters should be present after Mass on Tuesday Evening for the draw as winners' prizes are not being collected.

Weekly Collection: 19th/20th November 2011

Envelopes: £370.92

Loose Plate: £654.07

Total: £1024.09

Thank You!

Cathedral Nursery School

Application forms for places in Cathedral Nursery School for September 2012 available from the school office. Any child who is 3 on or before 1st July 2012 is eligible to apply. Open day on Wednesday 8th December 2011 from 9.00am-12.00pm.

St Peter's Nursery School

Open Day: Thursday 8th December 2011 – 9.00am to 1.00pm
Application forms for September 2012 entry can be obtained from the nursery (Servia Street) on open day or you may phone the school (90246675) leaving your name and address and an application form will be posted to you. Closing date for all applications is Wednesday 11th January 2012. Please bring your child's birth certificate.

St Peter's Primary School

Application forms for new enrolments are now available in School. Please call the primary school on 90246675 for more details.

Trócaire Global Gifts

Give someone special in your life a very special gift this Christmas. Leaflets for Trócaire Global Gifts available at the back of the Cathedral.

Anniversaries



We pray for those whose anniversaries occur at this time.

*James & Rosaleen O'Brien, Declan Leonard,
Tony Kane, Jackie Dynes, Martin McMahon,
Bertha Vera, Robert Carson, the Selby family,
the Donaghy family and James Quinn.*

May the souls of all the faithful departed rest in peace.

We also pray for our recently deceased,

Kenneth Shields, Catherine McAuley and John Saunders.

Copies of this Sunday's Missal texts in Polish, French, Italian and Spanish can be obtained from the back of the Cathedral.

Alcoholics Anonymous

Closed Meeting every Monday and Thursday at 10.00am in the Cathedral Hall.



Blessed Sacrament Candles

**Candles will be burning this week for
Patrick Lynch, Robert Carson and
Doctors and Nurses in Casualty units R.V.H.**

St. Vincent de Paul

The annual collection for the St. Vincent de Paul Christmas Appeal will take place at all Masses on 3rd/4th December and 10th/11th December. This is a particularly difficult year for all of them in the current economic climate and we would like to thank you for your kind support. All requests for help this Christmas must be made by Wednesday 14th December for deliveries that week. These can be left into the NDA office, 57 Falls Road. Thank you!

Apostolic Workers Collection

The Apostolic Workers would like to thank all who supported them in their Church door collection. The amount raised was £530.00. Again a big thank you!

Secular Order of St Francis

Secular Order of St Francis will meet on Sunday 27th November at 3pm in the Cathedral Hall. Cup of tea after meeting. **All welcome!**

10th Annual Mass of Hope

The Suicide Awareness and Support Group would like to invite you to attend their 10th Annual Mass of Hope at Clonard Monastery on Sunday 27th November at 4.00pm. Buffet and refreshments afterwards in Clonard Hall.