

### LENT 2021: 40 DAYS TOGETHER WITH JESUS

Lent is an opportunity to pray, fast and give as a Parish community with other Christians throughout the world. You are invited to join the Parish Lenten programme each day. It is an invitation to come together and closer to Jesus for these forty days.

#### Weekday Masses

Monday to Friday 7.45am, 10am, Saturday 10am.

Each day we will pray for the members of our Parish community in different streets. The list will be printed in the Newsletter, on the facebook page and on cards at the back of the Church.

#### Evening Session

There will be prayer at 7pm for half an hour:

**Monday** Time of Adoration

**Wednesday** Scripture Reflection: *Taking the time* led by Thornhill ministries

**Friday** Stations of the Cross

#### Lenten Talks

Every Thursday Fr Columba will give a series of talks, *Little by Little*. He will focus on how we live our faith day by day and little by little. These talks can be accessed on our Facebook page every Thursday.

#### Bishop McKeown

On the Tuesdays of Lent at 7pm Bishop Donal is hosting a series of conversations with members of the wider community reflecting on Lent and our present reality.

### PRAYING FOR ONE ANOTHER

*Please prayer for the intentions of all those who live or work in the areas listed each day.*

Jesus, help us to make you the centre of our lives. Through the power of your Holy Spirit, help us to repent of the wrongs we have done, that we may be refreshed in spirit and renewed in hope.

Through that same Spirit, help us to be good to one another and to be faithful to you, as we live out our vocations: married, single, priest, religious, so that our homes and our parish may be filled with your presence and be powerful sources of your peace. **Amen.**

*Our Lady of Lourdes, Pray for us*

*St Bernadette, Pray for us*

**Monday 22 February** Carranbane Walk

**Tuesday 23 February** Colby Ave

**Wednesday 24 February** Cornshell Fields

**Thursday 25 February** Culmore Road

**Friday 26 February** Curragh Walk

**Saturday 27 February** Cypress Grove

**Sunday 28 February** Daisy Hill Park

*Parish prayer leaflets are available at the back of the Church.*

### LENTEN CONVERSATIONS ONLINE AT KNOCK SHRINE

Knock Shrine have a series of online discussions to engage you every Thursday at 8.30pm during Lent; 25 February *'Living Christian Faith as Young Adults'* The discussions will be streamed online via the Knock Shrine website and facebook page. Join us at [www.knockshrine.ie/watch-live](http://www.knockshrine.ie/watch-live) or on Facebook @knockshrine.

## Our Lady of Lourdes Steelstown



### PARISH INFORMATION

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**Facebook:** Our Lady of Lourdes **Instagram:** steelstownparish.

### BAPTISMS

We welcome into the family of the Church: Marlee, daughter of Molly and Isla, daughter of Kathryn and Stephen.

### ANNIVERSARIES

Please pray for the repose of the souls of: William Kellsall, Peggy Crawford, Joseph Doherty, Mary Parkhill and Catherine Wilson.

### TROCAIRE LENTEN COLLECTION

You can contribute to the Trocaire Collection by donating online at [www.trocaire.org](http://www.trocaire.org); by telephone on 02890808030 or by posting a cheque to Trocaire, 50 King Street, Belfast, BT1 6AD.

### ST VINCENT DE PAUL

St Vincent de Paul volunteers continue to be available during the pandemic to offer help to those in our parish who are in need of immediate financial assistance. SVDP can be contacted by dropping a letter in the post box outside the Church Conference Room or calling the office on 028 71265489.

### THE NET

With Covid-19 restrictions still in place, the February edition of 'The Net' will only be available on the Diocesan website - <https://www.derrydiocese.org/news/the-net-february-2021>. However, the publication will be available again in parishes when restrictions are lifted. Enquiries to [editorthenet15@gmail.com](mailto:editorthenet15@gmail.com).

### PARISH SCHEDULE

All Masses will be streamed live on our Parish Webcam ([www.churchservices.tv/steelstown](http://www.churchservices.tv/steelstown)) or visit our Web page [Steelstownparish.com](http://Steelstownparish.com) for a direct link.

**Sunday 21 Feb** 9am, 11am and 12.15pm Mass  
**Monday 22 Feb** 7.45am and 10am Mass and Rosary  
7pm Time of Adoration

**Tuesday 23 Feb** 7.45am and 10am Mass and Rosary  
**Wednesday 24 Feb** 7.45am and 10am Mass and Rosary:  
7pm Scripture Reflection

**Thursday 25 Feb** 7.45am and 10am Mass and Rosary  
**Friday 26 Feb** 7.45am and 10am Mass and Rosary:  
4pm One hour of Adoration: 7pm Stations of The Cross  
**Saturday 27 Feb** 10am Mass and 6.30pm Vigil Mass