**The Church of Ireland (Anglican/Episcopalian)**

**Services in Drogheda, Ardee and Kilsaran Unions of Parishes**

There will be a mid-week celebration of Holy Communion in St. Peter’s,

each Wednesday at 10 a.m

**Sunday 3rd July – Third Sunday after Trinity**

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| 8.15am | Holy Communion | St. Peter’s, Drogheda |
| 09.45am | Holy Communion | St. Mary’s Abbey, Ardee |
| 10.00am | Morning Prayer | Castlebellingham |
| 11.15am | Morning Prayer | Dunleer |
| 11.30am | Holy Communion | St. Peter’s, Drogheda |

**Sunday 10th July – Fourth Sunday after Trinity**

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| 08.15am | Holy Communion | St. Peter’s, Drogheda |
| 09:45am | Morning Prayer | St. Mary’s Abbey, Ardee |
| 10.00 am | Holy Communion | Castlebellingham |
| 11.30am | Morning Prayer | St. Peter’s Drogheda |
| 4pm | Evening Prayer | Drumcar |

**Sunday 17th July – Fifth Sunday after Trinity**

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| 08.15am | Holy Communion | St. Peter’s, Drogheda |
| 09:45am | Holy Communion | St. Mary’s Abbey, Ardee |
| 10.00 am | Morning Prayer | Castlebellingham |
| 11.15 am | Morning Prayer | Dunleer |
| 11.30pm | Holy Communion | St. Peter;s, Drogheda |

**Sunday 24th July – Sixth Sunday after Trinity**

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| 08.15am | Holy Communion | St. Peter’s, Drogheda |
| 09:45am | Morning Prayer | St. Mary’s Abbey, Ardee |
| 10.00am | Holy Communion | Dunleer |
| 11.30am | Holy Communion | St. Peter’s Drogheda |
| 4pm | Evening Prayer | Dunany |

**Sunday 31st July – Seventh Sunday after Trinity**

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| 08.15am | Holy Communion | St. Peter’s, Drogheda |
| 09:45am | Morning Prayer | St. Mary’s Abbey, Ardee |
| 10.00am | Holy Communion | Drumcar |
| 11.30am | Holy Communion | St. Peter’s Drogheda |
| 4pm | Evening Prayer | Dunany |

**Sunday 7th August – Eight Sunday after Trinity**

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| 08.15am | Holy Communion | St. Peter’s, Drogheda |
| 09:45am | Holy Communion | St. Mary’s Abbey, Ardee |
| 10.00am | Morning Prayer | Castlebellingham |
| 11.15am | Morning Prayer | Dunleer |
| 11.30am | Holy Communion | St. Peter’s Drogheda |

In Touch

**Drogheda, Ardee and Kilsaran Union of Parishes**

**July 2022**

**PENTECOST CONFIRMATION**

June began with the Feast of Pentecost, the birthday of the church, that time, recorded in Acts chapter 2, when the Holy Spirit came with the sound of a rushing mighty wind, and divided tongues like fire rested on the apostles’ heads. In St Peter’s, we celebrated Pentecost with the laying on of hands, by the archbishop, to symbolise the coming of the Holy Spirit to the fifteen young people who were confirmed. Thanks to the wind currents that circulate around the east window, our nice red Pentecost candles burned very rapidly and we very nearly had real tongues of fire for the occasion! The church wardens, musicians, flower arrangers and bakers worked so hard to ensure that it was a truly lovely occasion. Thank you all for your worthwhile efforts. Please remember in your prayers those who were confirmed: Alfred, Arlo, Cara, Matilda, Nathaniel, Noelle, Danaan, Harry, Michelle, Rony, Julia, Beatrice, Charlie, Onochie, Hugo.

**BARBECUE**

Despite the awful weather forecast, the barbecue on Sunday 26th June was a great success. The food was delicious and there was sunshine as we queued with our plates. It was good to ‘be back’ after covid and to be able to enjoy fellowship again. Thank you to all who worked so hard to make it a success.

**END OF TERM IN ST PETER’S**

On 24th June, St Peter’s NS held their end-of-term service in St Peter’s Church. The sixth class graduates took a major part in that service and what a wonderful group of young people they are. Their reading, their singing and the way they communicate are a credit to their parents and

their teachers. As they move into new schools in September, please remember them and their parents in your prayers: Jake, Sinead, Daniel, Arnau, Noelle, Eli, Eve, Harry, Juliette, Janice and Saoirse.

**SUMMER FAIR**

Plans are going ahead for the Summer Fair on 9th July, in St Peter’s Church grounds. All proceeds will be given to HOMELESS AID and WOMEN’S REFUGE. With so many people in financial need, without homes, this is a really good cause and we need all the help we can get to make the event a success. Thank you Lizanne for agreeing to co-ordinate the effort.

**SUNDAY SCHOOL**

We are hoping to start Sunday School again soon and if you know of any children who might be interested in attending on Sundays please let Lizanne Allen on 086 2774271

**With every blessing,**

**Joyce**

**CONTRIBUTIONS TO IN TOUCH**

If you have any contributions/noteworthy dates which you would like included in

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