



## Solemnity of St. Peter and St. Paul - B, 2024

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RC Diocese of Argyll and the Isles

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### Masses during the Week

Tuesday: 10.00am  
Wednesday: 10.00am St. Thomas  
Thursday: 10.00am  
Friday: 10.00am  
Saturday: 6.00pm Vigil.  
Sunday: 9.00am and 11.00am

**Confessions:** Saturday at 5.30pm

**Eucharistic Adoration:** Wednesday after morning Mass.

**Rosary:** After Mass on Thursday morning.

The readings this weekend recall the lows and highs of the lives of **St. Peter and St. Paul**. St. Paul recalls how he had mercilessly persecuted the church; his letters bear witness to his remarkable change to fearless preacher of the Risen Christ. Peter, despite denying three times that he even knew Jesus, is given the title of Rock and the commission to be shepherd to Jesus' flock.

**General Election:** 4<sup>th</sup> July – The Bishops of Scotland have published a letter on the General Election, highlighting some of the key issues to help Catholics reflect on and raise with parliamentary candidates. This is accompanied by a list of questions for candidates. For more information and resources, including how to contact candidates, please visit <https://rcpolitics.org/general-election-2024/>

The Special Collection next weekend will be taken up for **Peter's Pence**. Peter's Pence aims: to support the Pope's mission, which extends throughout the entire world, from the proclamation of the Gospel to the promotion of integral human development, education and peace. It supports people and families in difficulty, populations afflicted by natural disasters and wars, or who are in need of humanitarian assistance.

**A Night At The Races:** A date for your diary, bring along friends and family, fun and excitement guaranteed. Saturday, 27th July at 7pm in the church hall. BYOB, a light supper will be provided. £8 a ticket, all races £1 each. Any donations of raffle prizes would be gratefully appreciated, a box for them will be placed at the back of the church. Tickets on sale from 13th July .

**Pilgrimage to Lourdes:** Thank you to the parishioners who have registered for our Pilgrimage to Lourdes from the 7th - 14th May, 2025. Next year will be an extra special year to go on pilgrimage as it is an official Jubilee Holy Year of the Church. The theme of this Holy Year is 'Pilgrims of Hope'. **Booking forms should be completed and returned to Alba Tours.**

**Led by the Spirit Phase 3:** The third and final phase of our diocesan discernment process reflects on what is needed for us to live out our mission more fully. We are looking for concrete proposals. Please take away with you **Bishop Brian's Pastoral Letter** concerning Led By The Spirit – Phase 3. The Bishop reflects on our call to holiness and our mission of proclaiming Christ. In our much-changed environment, what steps are needed to faithfully fulfil our mission? Discernment calls for boldness, honesty and respectful listening but especially for an openness to the Spirit's promptings. Everyone is encouraged to participate. The method for the Parish gatherings will be 'Conversation in the Spirit'. Background information

about 'Conversation in the Spirit,' lay ministries and potential Church structures can be found at [www.ledbythespirit.rcdai.org.uk](http://www.ledbythespirit.rcdai.org.uk)

**Parish walking Group:** Saturday morning at 11am, meeting in the church car-park. All welcome to come along and meet fellow parishioners and have tea/coffee/cake after the walk.

**Teas/Coffees** - available in the Church Hall after 11am Mass on Sunday. All welcome.

Reflection:

“Love life, be grateful for it always and show your gratitude by not shying away from its challenges. Always try to live a bit beyond your capacities – and you’ll find your capacities are greater than you ever dreamed”.  
(Anon.)