

# St Columbkille's Rutherglen

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## CLERGY

**Parish Priest:** Fr Bernard Mournian

**In Residence:** Fr Pat Hennessy

**In Residence:** Fr Stephen Reilly

**Deacon:** Rev Bill McMillan

## SUNDAY 21<sup>st</sup> JUNE 2020: Twelfth Sunday in Ordinary Time

### SERVICES AVAILABLE ON-LINE THIS WEEK: HOLY MASS DAILY AT 12 NOON

#### Sunday 21<sup>st</sup>

First Reading: Jer. 20:10-13  
 Response to Psalm: *In your great love, answer me, O Lord!*  
 Second Reading: Rom. 5:12-15  
 Gospel: Mt. 10:26-33

Monday 22 <sup>nd</sup>	Tuesday 23 <sup>rd</sup>
First Reading: 1 Kings 17:5-8,13-15,18 Response to the Psalm: <i>Hear us, O Lord, and help us</i> Gospel: Mt 7: 1-5	First Reading: Kings 19:9-11,14-21,31-36 Response to the Psalm: <i>God upholds his city forever</i> Gospel: Mt 7:6,12-14
Wednesday 24 <sup>th</sup>	Thursday 25 <sup>th</sup>
First Reading: Is. 49:1-6 Response to the Psalm: <i>I thank you for the wonder of my being</i> Gospel: Lk. 1:57-66,80	First Reading: 2 Kgs. 24:8-17 Response to the Psalm: <i>Rescue us, O Lord, for the glory of your name</i> Gospel: Mt 7: 21-29
Friday 26 <sup>th</sup>	Saturday 27 <sup>th</sup>
First Reading: Kgs. 25:1-12 Response to the Psalm: <i>O let my tongue cleave to my mouth if I remember you not</i> Gospel: Mt 8: 1-4	First Reading: Lam. 2:2,10-14,18-19 Response to the Psalm: <i>Do not forget your poor starving servants forever.</i> Gospel: Mt. 8:5-17

### Please pray for the following:

SICK: Linda Sutherland, Agnes Welsh, David Farrell

Recently Dead: Donald Cuthbert

Anniversary: Mgr Provost John Rooney; Sarah Lynch; Mary & John Murray; Margaret Harvey; Jane McFadyen; Alister Corr

Congratulations to Fr John McLean (White Fathers) who will celebrate the Golden Jubilee of his Ordination on Saturday 27<sup>th</sup> June 2020.

## RETURNING TO OUR PARISH HOME

21<sup>st</sup> June 2020

### DECISION TO ALLOW CHURCHES TO RE-OPEN

The Bishops' Conference of Scotland has welcomed the announcement by the Scottish Government that from Monday 22 June, churches may reopen for private prayer. The President of the Bishops' Conference, Bishop Hugh Gilbert said:

"We welcome the decision to reopen churches and look forward to the gradual resumption of church life, while recognising that not all parishes may be able to reopen immediately. . . We hope and pray that the ability to re-enter a church and pray will bring comfort to many and will be the first step on the path to normal liturgical life."

### RETURNING TO OUR CHURCH FOR PRAYER

**St Columbkille's will open for private prayer on Monday 22<sup>nd</sup> June between 9am & 11am.** This will be a time for individuals to come and spend a short time praying silently before the Blessed Sacrament. Please note that there will be no formal service and prayers will not be led by anyone. We are most grateful to those parishioners who have volunteered to welcome parishioners back to church and to guide them safely in and out of the building. We are also grateful to a team of dedicated cleaners who will sanitise the church before it opens each time.

We will take great care to keep everyone safe and we shall then evaluate what needs to be changed before we open again soon for private prayer (date to be confirmed on social media).

### KEY POINTS FOR YOU TO CONSIDER

- You should carefully consider your own health to decide when it is safe for you to return to church.
- You MUST wear a face-covering (not required for children under 5.)
- You MUST use a hand-sanitiser when you enter and exit the church.
- Please observe 2 metre distancing spaces on the floor and in the pews.
- You must sit alone or in your household group.
- Each place can only be occupied once before being sanitised, so you will be directed to a particular seat. Please follow the directions.
- On entering and exiting, you must avoid crossing over other people.
- You must exit by the side doors.
- The church will be cleaned immediately after this time of prayer.

### LIMITED SEATING

The photograph below shows where spaces are marked out at 2m distance. Each place can only be used once. Please follow directions.



### HAND SANITISERS

To sanitise your hands at entry and exit points, place your hand **BELOW** the unit. Please **DO NOT TOUCH**.



### THANK YOU FOR YOUR GENEROSITY

Thanks to all who have made their regular offertory contribution to the parish during these times. If you can, please contribute towards the ongoing costs of cleaning materials and sanitising gel. We encourage more parishioners to contribute by **Standing Order**

**Parish account No. 00255006**

**Sort Code: 83-26-24**

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