ST COLUMBKILLES CHURCH

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CLERGY

Fr. Bernard Mournian (Parish Priest) Fr. Pat Hennessy (In Residence) Rev. Bill McMillan (Deacon)

23rd SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME

4TH/5TH SEPTEMBER 2021

HOLY MASS

Mon – Fri, 10am, 1pm Saturday, 10am; 5.30pm (Vigil) Sunday, 9am; 10.30am; 12 noon & 4pm Services marked in red will be live-streamed

FUNERAL MASSES THIS WEEK

Thursday 9th September,10am ~ *Joseph M®Neil R.I.P.* Friday 10th September, 10am ~ *Mrs Crawford R.I.P.* Friday 10th September, 1pm ~ *Peter Gildea R.I.P.* Saturday 11th September, 10am ~ *Paul O'Donnell R.I.P.*

DIVINE MERCY NOVENA :~ Friday, 3pm

CONFESSIONS:~ Mon-Sat, 9.30-9.55am and on request **EUCHARISTIC ADORATION:**~ Mon-Sat, 9.30-9.55am **BAPTISMS:**~ To arrange a baptism please contact:~ Deacon M^cMillan on deaconmcmillan@rcdom.org.uk or 07912759037.

HALL CAFÉ:~ Open Tuesdays, Thursdays, Saturdays and Sundays after Mass during August

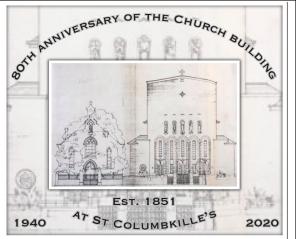
WELFARE CLINIC:~ First Saturday of the month, 10~12

WEEKLY DONATIONS

Please support your parish through the weekly collection, our income relies solely on the donations of our parishioners. Contributions can be made in the form of a standing order or online donation through our website, using these bank details.

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Filling out our Gift Aid form will allow us to claim an extra 25% of your donation from the taxman, at no cost to yourselfI Standing order and Gift Aid forms are on our website or at the end of the pews in church. Completed forms can be put in any of the boxes at the back of the church.



Please pray for the following:~

Sick:- Kathleen Robertson, Nicola Keppie, Campbell Hastings (Canada), Jennifer Milne, Manus Wellington, Susan Dickie, Andrew Cochran, Jim Grier, Mary Donaghy, Isabella Fleming, Angie Gibb, Brian McGurk, William Freeman (Tully), Donald Sutherland, Helen Cameron, Sandra Selenas, Daniel McGuigan, Elena Capani, May Grier, Dermot Corcoran, Helen Ward, Brian Malone, Alexander Brown, Mary (Molly) Margaret and Robert Gray, Frank Ward, John Cameron, Alan Cameron, Steven Murphy.

Recently deceased:- Fay Paterson, Sr Joseph (Poor Clares), Patrick M^cFadden, Mary Teresa Brannigan, Mary Tulley, Paul O'Donnell, John Penny, Angela Quinn, Jackie Wilson, Gillian M^cLean

Anniversaries:- Mary Dunn Ceddes, Rena O'Donnell, Anna M^cDermott, Jack and Nan Gibbons, Margaret Allan Wilson, Eilish M^cKaveney, Joseph M^cCourtney, James and Sarah Traynor, Mary Connelly, Liz M^cGinty, Hugh Bonar, James M^cFadden, Maria Rozanska, Isabella Kennedy, Marie M^cGuire

Month's Mind:- Agnes Thomson, Frank McLeod

Birthday:~ Maureen Doran

Baptisms: We welcome Corey Smith and Darragh Patrick Elliot to our community.

Sanctuary flowers, in recognition of:- Marie Kelly, Sadie Traynor, Mary and Margaret Connelly, Anne and Phil Walsh, the Milligan family, James M^cLaren, Margaret Allan Wilson, Fay Paterson, Frank and Rose Reilly

Last week's collection ~ £1932 Thank you for your generosity

PARISH FINANCE COMMITTEE

The Parish Finance Committee met this week. The financial report for 2020 for the parish is included in the bulletin. With grateful thanks to Marion Steppie and Paul McLaughlin for all their hard work putting this together and submitting it to the diocese.

BUILDING FUND UPDATE

The special collection for August raised another £2881 for the Building Fund, thank you to all who contributed. The balance of the Building Fund account now sits at over £51,000! We are currently looking into what grants are available to us. However, at this stage, it is looking like the majority of the costs will have to be met by the parish. As a result, the Parish Finance Committee have agreed that the second collection, for the foreseeable future will be in aid of the Building Fund.

ST HILDEGARD CONCERT

Celebrate St Hildegard on her Feast Day at a free concert in St Columbkille's, featuring some of her loveliest music and poetry! This unique and multi-talented abbess from the middle-ages astounded her world with her visions and the marvellous way she expressed them in original creativity. Famous in her own time, she was canonised by Pope Benedict XVI. From the ancient Celtic region of the Rhineland, her spirituality has remarkable connections with St Columbkille and the Celtic saints of Ireland and Scotland. The three voices and harp of Canty, Scotland's professional ensemble specialising in medieval music, will present an hour of St Hildegard's wonderful music and readings of her own words in St Columbkille's on 17th September at 6pm. All are welcome.

SATURDAY VIGIL

The votes are in, they have been counted and verified and the consensus among parishioners is for the Vigil to be at 4pm! Therefore, starting from **Saturday 2nd October** there will be one vigil Mass at 4pm.

HOLY SOLES

Reminder that our Holy Soles walking group will meet on Monday 6th September for their trip to Rouken Glen Park. The bus will leave after 10am Mass.

300 CLUB—AUGUST DRAW

1st Prize (£100) No 146 ~ H Meikle **2nd Prize (£50)** No 170 ~ M Brown **3rd Prize (£30)** No 266 ~ J Wilson **Collectors:~** Next Draw ~ 26th September. New members required. Anyone wishing to join the club please contact Rosaleen Anderson (647 2301)

WELFARE CLINIC

Thank you to everyone from the parish community who helped set up our Welfare Clinic, which took place for the first time on Saturday. Our next clinic will be Saturday 2nd October.

CHILDRENS LITURGY—VOLUNTEERS NEEDED

The Children's Liturgy are hoping to relaunch in October and are looking for new members. The level of commitment would be once a month and you would be required to prepare a short lesson on that Sunday's gospel to deliver to the children. On the job training would be given and a PVG carried out. This is a great opportunity for any of our student teachers to get some valuable face to face teaching time or for anyone who is interested in working with children. Please contact Irene Lochrin at ilochrin@gmail.com to find out more.

RCIA ENQUIRY EVENING

Are you interested in becoming a Catholic? Do you know someone who is interested in becoming a Catholic? A relative, friend, neighbour or work colleague? Would you like to learn more about the Catholic faith (for Catholics and non-Catholics alike)? Our RCIA group (Rite of Christian Initiation of Adults) are having an enquiry evening on Tuesday 21st September at 6.30pm in the church meeting room for anyone who is interested in finding out more about the RCIA course.

SVDP—FOODBANK

Items preferred this month:-

tinned meat, toothpaste, small packets of pasta, tea, small jars of coffee, sugar and long life milk.

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