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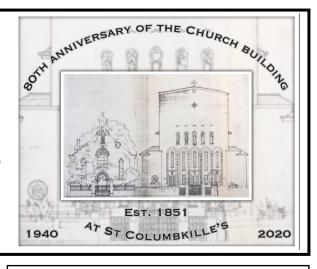
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CLERGY

Fr Bernard Mournian (Parish Priest) Fr Pat Hennessy (In Residence)

Rev. Michael Ross (Deacon)



SOLEMNITY OF CHRIST THE KING 19TH NOVEMBER/20TH NOVEMBER 2022

HOLY MASS

Mon - Fri: 10am, 1pm (Rosary, 10.30am)

Saturday: ~ 10am, 4pm (Vigil)

Sunday: ~ 9am; 10.30am;

12 noon & 4pm

A card with our full Christmas schedule will be available from next week.

During Advent there will be a Rorate Caeli Mass offered at 7am each Monday morning. There will also be an additional Mass on a Thursday evening, 7pm.

DIVINE MERCY HOLY HOUR:~ Friday, 3pm CONFESSIONS:~ Mon~Sat 9.30~9.55am EUCHARISTIC ADORATION:~ Mon~Sat, 9.30~9.55am BAPTISMS:~ To arrange a baptism please contact the Church Office.

Next baptismal preparation course ~ 23rd November, 7pm

HALL CAFÉ:~ Open Tues, Thur, Sat and Sun
Café closed 26th November

WELFARE CLINIC: 3rd and 17th December, 10.30-12.30

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.

Sort Code: 83-26-24 Account No: 00255006

Filling out our Gift Aid form will allow us to claim an extra 25% of your donation from the taxman, at no cost to yourself! 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:- Owen Lochrin, Marilyn Cook, Jim Pearson, Enuz Anderston, Ann Bond, Nathan Coleman, Jim and Grace Feeney, Irene Rowan, Paddy McGeever, Margaret McKenzie, Della Walker, Rita Gillan, Baby Isabella Maria Maxwell, Hughie Cullen, Hugh Bryceland, Susan Smith, Michael Malone, Anne Haughey, Steven Murphy, Eddie Ford, Maria Cowan

Recently deceased: Paul Copeland, Cathy Kerr, Tom Reilly, Mary Whelan, Jason Healy, Stewart Cameron, Jim Feeney, Pat Wigmore, Frances Quinn, John Connelly, Frank Van Hombergh, Dougal Rowan, Owen Lochrin, Thomas McConkey, James Feeney, Phyllis Capparelli, Anna Lang, Brian McKenna, Noel Forbes, James McGuigan, Ted Ball, Donald MacRury, Jim Fleming, Elizabeth Lunny, Ann Marie Logan

Anniversaries: Greta M^cClung, James Ward Gerardo Pontiero, Catherine Stevenson, Susan White, Charlie Mount, Gerry Hannah, Jim Dolan, Pat Chambers, Thomas Law

Month's Mind: - Fr Tom O'Brien

Birthday Blessings: - Lotti McNally

Baptisms: - Heather Elizabeth Ferguson - Scobie

of:~ Sanctuary **Flowers** recognition in Kelly, Stephen and Marie Anna Lang, Catherine Stevenson, Mary Tolan, James McLaughlin, Connor, Eileen Lynn, James McPhillips, Catherine McFarlane, Rita Cassidy, Samuel Gallagher.

Last week's collection ~ £2100 Thank you for your generosity There will be a special collection at all Masses next weekend for Catholic Education

BEREAVEMENT BUDDIES

We shall meet in the hall Thursday 24th November, 10.45~11.45. We are here to listen. All welcome.

SAFEGUARDING

Thank you to everyone who attended our safeguarding training sessions this week and to Miriam McKernan for hosting these important sessions. There is a letter from Bishop Toal about safeguarding at the back of the church for anyone who would like one.

The new Scottish Catholic Safeguarding Standards Agency is developing a forum for young Catholic adults. If you are between the ages of 18 and 25 and would be interested in joining, or would like to know more, please contact Helena Rameckers by emailing training@scssa.org.uk or phoning 07394 862 279 by Friday, 9th December.

SVDP GIFT TREE

The tags we put on the tree last week are all gone!!! Thank you so much to everyone who took one. We realise there are many of you who never got a tag so if you would like to contribute please buy a present for a child aged 3-15 yrs, wrap the present and put a gift tag on it identifying whether it is for a boy or a girl and the age group and return to the church by 27th November.

FAITH SHARING GROUP

The Faith Sharing Group will be meeting for the four Mondays of Advent, 28th November and 5th, 12th, and 19th December, 7pm ~ 8.15pm. We will meet in the room next to the Sacristy. All welcome to join for a relaxed time of prayer, reflection and conversation.'

JUMBLE SALE

Preparations are well underway for our jumble sale which will take place on Thursday 1st, Saturday 3rd and Sunday 4th December. Donations can be handed in to the church house, we are particularly looking for bottle donations for the tombola. Thank you for all the donations so far, we have some fantastic items for sale, come and grab a bargain!

TRINITY HIGH SCHOOL

Christmas Fayre (8th December, 7-9pm):-Please support the school and local community at their Christmas Fayre.

Jingle and Mingle (15th December 12-2pm):- We have a limited number of invites to this event, hosted by the S4 Practical Cookery pupils. Sign up sheet at the back of the church if you would like to go, on a first come first served basis.

CATECHESIS OF THE GOOD SHEPHERD

We are now registering children **aged 3 and 4 years**. If you wish to register your child please see Deacon Ross or Fr Mournian. Catechesis will begin in January. More information can be found here - www.cgsuk.org

SANCTUARY FLOWERS

During the season of Advent ~ a solemn time of preparation ~ there will be no flowers on the sanctuary. If you would like to sponsor the sanctuary flowers for Christmas time please fill out a form at the back of the church.

THANK YOU

A very heartfelt thank you to the children, staff, parents/carers of St Columbkille's Primary who took part in our sponsored walk in aid of the church building fund and raised an amazing £800! This weekend is the last chance to double your donations.

PRAYER PLAQUES

We have recently installed prayer plaques at each of the statues in the church; Sacred Heart Altar, Our Lady's Altar, St Joseph, St Therese and St Columbkille. Please pay them a visit!

DON'T CRIMINALISE COMPASSION ~ SPUC

The Abortion Services (Safe Access Zones) Bill, tabled by Gillian MacKay MSP, will soon be debated in Holyrood. This Bill is a direct attack on civil rights guaranteed by the European Convention on Human Rights. It also removes a lifeline for women who want to keep their baby but feel they have no other choice than abortion and would criminalise those taking part in a pro-life vigil. Please support SPUC's campaign to persuade MSPs to vote against this draconian and regressive legislation by taking a postcard from the back of the church; fill it in and return it to SPUC who will then deliver the card to your constituency MSP.

YOUNG ADULT'S GROUP TALKS

Our series of talks have now finished. Thank you to everyone who came along and our interesting and varied speakers.

HOLY SOLES: Last bus trip before Christmas! We will be going to the Botanic Gardens, weather permitting. Bus leaves after 10am Mass.



ST COLUMBKILLE'S CHURCH HALL, 2 KIRKWOOD STREET, RUTHERGLEN

Thursday 1st December, 9.30~11.30am Saturday 3rd December, 9.30~12noon Sunday 4th December, 10.00~1.00pm.

The hall café will be open.

All welcome - Free entry



Funeral Purveys available from St. Columbkilles Hall

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