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7TH SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME (YEAR C)

22ND FEBRUARY/23RD FEBRUARY 2025

HOLY MASS

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

Sat:- 10am, (Rosary 10.30am), 4pm (Vigil)

Sun:- 9am, 10.30am (Children's Liturgy), 12 noon, 4pm

FUNERALS

Monday 24th Feb, 10am - *Christina Sweeney R.I.P.*

Monday 24th Feb, 1pm - *James Doyle R.I.P.*

Tuesday 25th Feb, 1pm - *Grace McCann R.I.P.*

Wednesday 26th Feb, 10am - *Frances O'Connell R.I.P.*

CONFESSIONS:- Mon - Sat 9.30-9.55am, Sat 3.30pm

EUCCHARISTIC ADORATION:- Mon, Fri, Sat 9.30-9.55am

DIVINE MERCY HOLY HOUR:- Friday, 3pm

BAPTISMS:- For baptisms please contact Church Office

***Baptisms are held on the first and last Sunday of every month at either 10.30am or 12noon Mass

Baptismal Preparation Course:-

Wednesday 26th February 2025, 7pm, in the church.

Parents who wish their child to be baptised in March are required to attend.

HALL CAFÉ:- Open Tues, Thur, Sat, 9am-12noon

Sundays, 9am - 1.45pm

Closed 23rd February, 1st and 2nd March

WELFARE CLINIC - Saturday 1st March, 10.00-12.00

If you require assistance out with our clinic times please contact us by email :- welfare.stcolumbkilles@gmail.com

WEEKLY DONATIONS

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Please pray for the following:-

Sick:- Theresa Garrity Barr, Hugh Tonner, Peter Wilson, Neil McFadden, Kathleen Docherty, Theresa Tierney, Paul McElhinney, Huw Rodway, Sandra Burke, Robert McAnsh, Elizabeth Walsh, Kathie Barrett, Breeda Oju James Heffernan, Mary McColgan, Steven Murphy, James McDaid,

To print a sick person's name in the bulletin you MUST have their permission AND have ticked the appropriate box on the Mass offerings envelope. Due to data protection, we are unable to print their name if permission has not been given. Mass will still be offered.

Recently deceased:- Peter McBride, Maureen Stewart, John Robertson, Ann Harvey, Eileen Coppola, John Kane, Grace McCann, Rosha Ferry, Catherine McCreadie, Jackie Paterson, Patrick McFadden, Sadie Currie, Jim Doyle, Margaret Doyle, Catriona Lav, Anne Neill, David Anderson, Desmond McCaffrey, John McLaughlin, Mary Josephine Gibb

Anniversaries:- Neil Craig, Frank O'Donnell, Cissie McDowall, Rose and Dan Coll, Jean McKinlay, Brian McGhee, Anna Kavanagh, Annie Colquhoun, Andrew and Agnes O'Neil, Thresia Kutty

Baptisms:- Esme Healy, Anna Healy, Cayden Munro-Queen, Millie Summer May McKeown

Sanctuary Flowers:- Mary Coutts, Danny Rodgers, Rose Patricia Ferry, Rita Cassidy, Paul James O'Donnell, Ella Drennan, Kathleen Barrett

Weekly Collection - £2266

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This weekend's 2nd collection - Building Fund

BULLETIN ADVERTISING:- To advertise your business in our bulletin please contact Paul McLaughlin in the parish office for more details:- stcolumbkille@rcdom.org.uk

ALPHA COURSE

The Alpha course is now fully booked! Thank you to everyone who has signed up, we are excited to begin this journey with you all. If you would like your name to be added to the waiting list for a place please sign up on the sheet at the back of the church. This list will also be used to give first refusal if we run the course again.

LENT 2025

Ash Wednesday is 5th March this year and marks the beginning of the penitential season of Lent. Holy Mass and the distribution of ashes will be at 7am, 10am, 1pm and 7pm. It is a day of fasting and abstinence. **Fasting** is required of adult Catholics between 18 and 59yrs old. You are permitted to eat one full meal, as well as two smaller meals that together are not equal to a full meal. **Abstinence** (refraining from the consumption of meat) is obliged for Catholics 14yrs and older.

In addition to our normal Mass schedule, during Lent Mass will be celebrated:- 7am on Mondays, 7pm on Thursdays and a special 8.15am Mass during term time on Fridays, especially for school children (tea and toast after Mass). Exposition of the Blessed Sacrament will take place on Thursdays 9.30am - 7pm. Full timetable and sign up sheets for Guardians of the Blessed Sacrament will be available soon.

PARISH YOUTH CLUB

We are off to Paradise Island Adventure Golf, Braehead on Monday 24th February. Please arrive promptly for registration at 5.45pm, the bus will be leaving at 6pm, returning at 8.15pm approx.

BEREAVEMENT BUDDIES

Meeting in the church hall on Thursday 27th February, 10.45-11.45am. We are here to listen.

ST PATRICK'S NIGHT

Celebrate St Patrick's night in the church hall on Saturday 15th March; tickets cost £12 which includes a hot filled roll, with music by Quigley's Point. We have a football card (£5/team) the prize is a framed, signed Celtic top and a fantastic raffle with lots of great prizes, including Hayes holiday vouchers, restaurant vouchers, wines and spirits. Tickets cost £1/strip. All available from the stall or on the night!

300 CLUB:- Members - please pick up your member card from the box at the back of the church.

BENEMERENTI MEDAL RECIPIENTS

During this Jubilee Year of Hope we are delighted to announce that 4 of our parishioners will receive the Benemerenti medal. This medal is awarded by the Pope to members of the clergy and laity for service to the Catholic Church. The medals have been awarded to:-

Michael and Aileen Dunne for their many years of service to the music ministry at 10.30am Mass on Sundays.

Jim Gallagher for his many years of service and his presidency of our parish conference of the Scottish Society of St Vincent de Paul.

Isobel McCormick for her many years of service to ecclesiastical needlework and for her work with the Little Sisters of the Poor.

We congratulate them all on this well deserved recognition of their service to our parish and local community.

SACRAMENTAL PREPARATION 2025

Important dates for those presenting their child to receive the Sacraments of Holy Communion/Confirmation.

Saturday 15th March:- Retreat, begins with Mass at 10am, finished by 12 noon.

Sunday 16th March:- Enrolment Mass, 10.30am (Communicants), 12noon (Confirmandi). The children should wear their school uniform.

Tuesday 1st April:- Confirmation

Saturday 10th May:- First Holy Communion

Sunday 18th May:- Party for First Communicants. The children are invited to attend 12noon Mass in their Communion outfits or smart dress for their party in the hall, with an entertainer after Mass.

WORLD DAY OF PRAYER

Friday 7th March, 2pm in Cambuslang Parish Church, 1 Arnott Way, G72 7JQ. All welcome.

ST PATRICK'S DAY PARADE

8th March, 11am:-Starts at Blythswood Square, and finishes on Merchant Square, please join us for a family day of music, song and dance.

MASS IN IRISH (Aifreann Gaeilge)

Sunday March 9th, 2pm in Blessed John Dun Scotus Church, celebrated by Fr. Brian Ó Fearraigh (Gaoth Dobhair, Dún na nGall)

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Selection of Breakfast Rolls
 Square Sausage Bacon
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 Tea and Coffee



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