

# Our Lady of Lourdes

A Parish of the Diocese of Motherwell Scottish Charity No. SC011041

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The Solemnity of the Epiphany of the Lord

3rd January 2016

## Services This Week

<b>Monday</b>	No Morning Mass
<b>Tuesday</b>	10.00am Funeral Mass Campbell McAdam RIP
<b>Wednesday</b>	10.00am Mass
<b>Thursday</b>	10.00am Mass
<b>Friday</b>	10.00am Mass
<b>Saturday</b>	10.00am Mass 6.00pm Vigil Mass
<b>Sunday</b>	9.00am Mass 11.00am Mass
<i>Holy Family</i>	

## Confessions

<b>Thursday</b>	9.00 - 9.30am
<b>Saturday</b>	After 10.00am Mass 5.00-5.30pm;



The church is open for private prayer

Monday to Friday: 9.00 am. - 4.00pm;  
Saturday: 9.00 am. - 6.00 pm

## Parish Meeting Follow Up

Following our parish meeting in November, I would like to return to our planning this month.

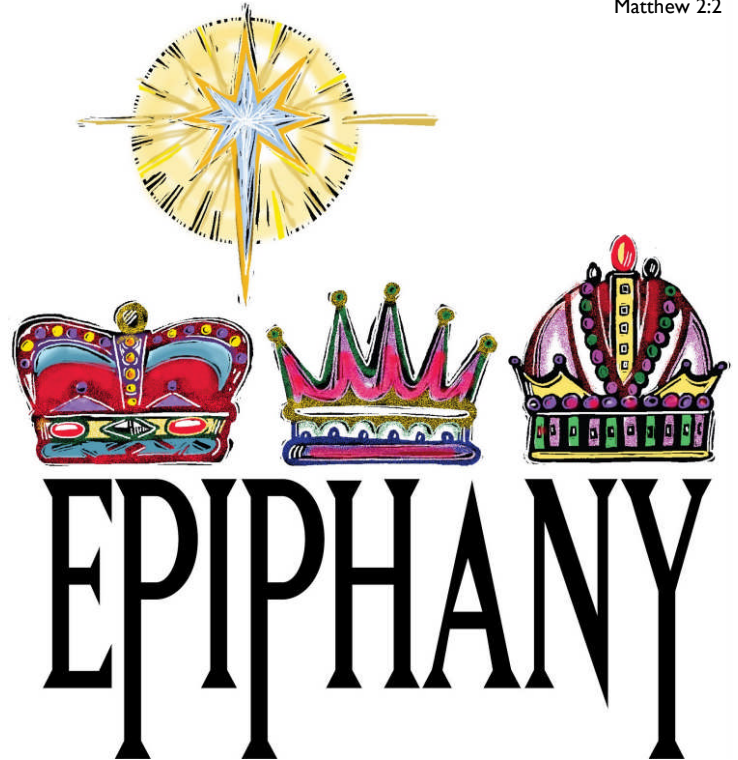
On **Thursday 21st January at 7.30pm** in the Oratory. A meeting to reflect and plan what the parish should provide for the young people of the parish.

On **Thursday 28th January at 7.30pm** in the Oratory. A meeting to reflect and plan for the devotional and spiritual life of the parish.

Everyone is welcome, young and old, to the meetings which will aim to finish at 8.45 and not later than 9pm.

WE SAW HIS STAR AS IT ROSE AND WE  
HAVE COME TO DO HIM HOMAGE.

Matthew 2:2



Lord Jesus  
may your light shine our way,  
as once it guided the steps  
of the magi:  
that we too  
may be led into your presence  
and worship you,  
the Child of Mary,  
the Word of the Father,  
the King of nations,  
the Saviour of mankind;  
to whom be glory for ever.

Frank Colquhoun

## Second Collection

This Sunday, 3rd January for Justice & Peace

### Parish Website

The parish website continues to be developed with short videos and news items, some of which aren't included in the Bulletin.

If you haven't seen it in a while visit  
[www.ourladyoflourdeschurch.org.uk](http://www.ourladyoflourdeschurch.org.uk)

### Welcome

This week we welcome to the parish, Sean Wylie, a seminarian for the diocese preparing for his diaconate ordination this year. Sean will be in the parish about 3 weeks.

### Next Weekend

Fr Javier Alvarado, a Comboni Missionary will celebrate the Masses next Saturday and Sunday while I am leading a retreat for HCPT.

### Please pray for the sick

Liam Toner; Jessie Gillies; May McCormack; Bobby Law; Paulina McMaster (Canada); Gerry Kelly; Malcolm Docherty; Helen Sweeney; John Brown; Margaret Cavanagh; Michael Ramon; Paul Murphy; Gerald Keane; John Watson; Lesley Doherty; Linda Hogg; John McGuigan; Carol Mullen; Terry McLellan; Suzanne Green; Maureen Robertson; Annie Stevenson; Jenna Murray; Anne Gough; Kerry Halpin (child); Jan Fleming; Erin Gallagher; Nancy McLellan; Joseph Berry (child); Marie Docherty; Claire Orr; Shay Sweeney (child); Ann Adams; Ian McCall; Douglas Macdonald; June Thicke (Canada); Catherine Watson; Paul Gallagher; Patricia Whelan; Baby Ruadhan Phelan (Ireland); Daniel Sweeney; Evelyn Rafferty; Lilian McMeekin; Jake Sweeney (child); Gian Aduja; Mary McDonnell; Peter Smith; Peter & Norah Rankin; Susan Gough; Charles Hunter; Cathie McKague; Roseanne Dupree; Donna Boyd; Lena Connochie; Bill O'Neill; Dot Gray; John Peavor; Margaret & Joe Barrett; Elizabeth Hunter;

### May They Rest in Peace

**Recently Dead:** Campbell McAdam; Robert Scotland; Arthur Gleeson; Jim Cairns; Regena Hewitt

**Months Mind:** Jane Fairie; Michael Pakula; Jane Fairie; Elizabeth McAvoy; Mary & Frank Clayton; John & Cathy Fairie; Philomena Fairie; Stewart & Annie Hannah; Neil & Annie McKerracher; Neil & Sally McKerracher Jnr; Cathie McKerracher; Nan & Andrew Curran; Annie & Joe Kelly; Sandra Brown; Robert & Alice Woods; Donald & Agnes Kilpatrick; Douglas & Dorothy Sutherland; Frank & Mary McWilliams; Peter Cairns; Moira McClure;

**Anniversary:** Elizabeth McAvoy; Francis Docherty; Clare Docherty; Robert Traynor; Edgar Croser; Jimmy & Joseph McCabe; Kate McFadden; Owen McFadden; Patrick McFadden; Mr. & Mrs. Vincent McAleenan; Arthur & Jean Burns; Mark Docherty; John & Celia Cooper; Robert McDermott; Joseph McDonald; Muldoon Family; McKay, O'Hagan, Price, McAnsh & Millar families; Annie McLure;

## Information

All parish societies, groups, prayer groups, ministries and organisations (ie any and every group) are asked to give to Fr Parkes the following details: Name, description, number of members, where and when they meet and a contact name and number. This will let us publicise all that is happening in the parish.

**Our next collection is this weekend  
2nd/3rd January 2016.**



There is a poster on the notice board detailing venues and times when the foodbank can be accessed for those in need. The nearest one in our area is westwood Baptist Church, Tasman Drive each Sunday from 2 to 4pm.

The foodbank contact number is 01355 247660.

### HCPT Group 23

## Valentine's Ball

12th February 2016 @ 7.00pm  
In the Glasgow Marriot Hotel.

Tickets £45 include Drinks reception, 3 Course Meal inc wine, Live Entertainment and Prize Giveaway.

All proceeds to help take children to Lourdes at Easter. Fr Parkes travels with Group 23.  
Tickets are available from the Stall.

### Rosary Times

Mon, Wed, Thurs, Fri 9.30am before Mass  
Tues 9.20am before Mass  
Sat after 10.00am Mass

### Sunday Tearoom Wednesday Tearoom

Reopens 10 January  
Reopens 6th January

### Prayers for Vocations

Each Friday in the Church at 2.00pm  
Stations of the Cross, Prayers for Priests, 3 o'clock Prayer, "You expired Jesus", Divine Mercy Rosary

### Bingo

Bingo in the Hall every Tuesday at 7.30pm. New members always welcome.

### Mother's Prayer Group

Meets Tuesday, after Mass, in the Oratory. New members are welcome. Restarts 12.01.16

### Readings for next Sunday

10 January 2016  
The Baptism of the Lord  
Isaiah 42: 1-4, 6-7  
Psalm: 29  
Acts 10: 34-38  
Luke 3: 15-16, 21-22

### Mothers & Toddlers

Every Thursday at 10.30am in Hall