

Our Lady of Lourdes

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Palm Sunday of the Passion of the Lord

20th March 2016

Holy Week Services

Monday	8.15am	Mass	<i>Early Mass to allow work on Church Lights</i>
	12 noon	Funeral Mass	
	7.00pm	Reconciliation Service in Our Lady of Lourdes	
Tuesday	9.30am	Morning Prayer	
	10.00am	Mass	
	7.00pm	Reconciliation Service in St Vincent's	
Wednesday	9.30am	Morning Prayer	
	10.00am	Mass	
The Sacred Triduum			
Holy Thursday	10.00am	Morning Prayer	
	7.30pm	Mass of the Lord's Supper	
	11.00pm	Night Prayer	
Good Friday	10.00am	Morning Prayer	
	3.00pm	Celebration of the Lord's Passion & Veneration of the Cross	
	7.30pm	Stations of the Cross & Veneration of the Cross	
Holy Saturday	10.00am	Morning Prayer	
	8.00pm	The Easter Vigil	
Easter Sunday	9.00am	Mass	
	11.00am	Mass	



The church is open for private prayer

Monday to Friday: 9.00 am. - 6.00pm;
Holy Saturday: Closed after Morning
Prayer until 7.00pm

Lenten Scripture Talks

Many thanks to all who have attended the Scripture Talks over the last 6 weeks. They have been a great success and enjoyable nights for all who attended and presented the talks.

Easter Church History Talks

Start on Thursday 7th April in St Columbkille's, Rutherglen. Focusing on different periods of Church History we will be invited to reflect on the influences that have formed the Church. A bus will depart each week from Our Lady of Lourdes at 6.45pm, suggested donation of £5 pp each week.



Palm Sunday WEE BOX, BIG THANKS

Thanks so much for supporting SCIAF's Lenten Appeal. Your prayers, donations and campaign actions make a real and lasting difference to families like Carfi's, in Ethiopia and around the world. Please return your WEE BOXES during Holy Week and join us in prayer for a joyful Easter.

Second Collection for SCIAF (6th March) raised £2233. Thank you for your generous response.

Legion of Mary Good Friday Public Way of the Cross

Walk with us the whole or part of the way.

Starting at St. Vincent's at 9.00am, Our Lady of Lourdes at 9.45am; Columban Sisters at 10.05am; St. Bride's at 10.50am; Ending at St. Leonard's at 12.15pm

Pro-Life Prayer Meeting

Wednesday 23rd March, 7.30 pm
With Benediction
Followed by tea/coffee with DVD
Also at 6.40pm Divine Mercy for
Persecuted Christians
Everyone Welcome

My Day By Day

This is a small book of Scripture readings for each day of the week, issued on a monthly basis. We are seeking 25 parishioners to subscribe to this periodical in order to make a parish order and obtain copies at the reduced cost of 80p per copy (inclusive of p+p). Subscribers will be asked to pay £10 for 12 issues, in advance. If you wish to subscribe, give your name and advance payment to the volunteers in the stall. If we achieve 25 subscribers at £10, the parish makes a modest £10 from total subscriptions.

Please pray for the sick

Anne McGee; Mrs. Kathy Clark (Giffnock); Jessie Gillies; Katie Began; Baby Maria Zahara; George Kelly; Kerr Gildie; Jessie Gillies; May McCormack; Paulina McMaster (Canada); Gerry Kelly; Malcolm Docherty; Helen Sweeney; John Brown; Margaret Cavanagh; Michael Ramon; Gerald Keane; John Watson; Lesley Doherty; Linda Hogg; John McGuigan; Carol Mullen; Terry McLellan; Suzanne Green; Maureen Robertson; Jenna Murray; Anne Gough; Kerry Halpin (child); 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 Peevor; Margaret & Joe Barrett; Elizabeth Hunter;

May They Rest in Peace

Recently Dead: Jack Canaghan; Brian Maguire; Ian Ross; Dr Felix Marcuccili

Months Mind: May McKeown; Frank & Mary McWilliams; Tommy Flaherty;

Anniversary: Jim Moffat; David Moffat Jnr; Sheila Deary; James Hislop; Catherine McCartney; Rosina Mentor; Betty Stevenson; Rita Stevenson (Tweedie); Patrick & Hannah O'Hare; Thomas Flaherty; Charles McManus; Joan McDonald; Rena Gallagher; Catherine McCabe; Margaret (Peggy) Dolan; Rose Tierney; Harry Rose.



“Hear both the cry of the earth
and the cry of the poor”

Walk to Church Sunday, 20 March (weather permitting!)

Were you able to walk to church today? At the start of Lent, the GO GREEN WITH SCIAF page suggested 'IF IT'S NOT FAR, LEAVE THE CAR'. Could you walk to church next Sunday? If not, could you car share or give a lift to someone? If not, could you leave the car behind one time during the week? Every little helps!

[If you don't have a car, you are already helping the planet!]

Recycling 1: Watches, cameras, mobile phones

If you have any of these items (but not phone chargers) lying unused at home, please put them in the box in the porch. Thank you to all those who donated last week—enough for first uplift. Proceeds to SCIAF.

Recycling 2: Spectacles Another 87 pairs this week – thank you. Please bring any unused spectacles, regardless of condition, to generate money for the charity Vision Aid Overseas.

The Big Brew Thanks There is now a letter of thanks on the notice board from Traidcraft, for the £135 sent from the Sunday Teabar on 28th February which featured Fair Trade tea, coffee and sugar. These products are available in all supermarkets.

Social Event

Cabaret Night with Kirk James

Friday 8th April, 7.30-11.30pm, Church Hall
Evening to include light supper, Irish bingo, Raffles etc.
Tickets £10, on sale now at stall and from Ennis,
tel 243844

Friendship Club

Meets every Thursday, 1.30pm, in the hall

Rosary Times

The Rosary will be said after 10.00am Mass each day.

Sunday Tearoom

After 10.00am Mass

Wednesday Tearoom

Closed 23 March, open as usual Wed 30 March

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.

Readings for next Sunday

27 March 2016
Easter Sunday
Acts 10: 34, 37-43
Psalm: 118
1 Colossians 5: 6-8
John 20: 1-9

Mothers & Toddlers

Every Thursday at 10.30am in Hall