

Our Lady of Lourdes

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3rd Sunday in Ordinary Time

22nd January 2017

Services This Week

Monday	No Morning Mass
Tuesday	10.00am Mass
Wednesday	10.00am Mass
Thursday	10.00am Mass 6.00pm Funeral Reception Sarah McDowell RIP
Friday	10.00am Funeral Mass
Saturday	10.00am Mass 6.00pm Mass
Sunday	9.00am Mass 11.00am Mass

Confessions

Thursday	Not this week
Saturday	After 10.00am Mass

The church is open for private prayer
Monday to Friday: 9.00 am. - 4.00pm;
Saturday: 9.00 am. - 6.00 pm

The Holy Ghost Fathers will celebrate morning Masses Tuesday to Friday while I am away for a few days.

There will be no exposition or confessions on Thursday evening.

Confirmation Prayer Partners

Could you pray for one of the confirmandi as they prepare for confirmation at the beginning of February?

The Children of St Louise preparing for Confirmation are listed on the window of the cry chapel. The Children of Our Lady of Lourdes on the noticeboard in the outer porch

We need around 100 prayer partners and your prayers would be greatly appreciated.



Diocesan Education Mass Tuesday 31st January at 7.30pm In Motherwell Cathedral

On the feast of St John Bosco you are invited to join Bishop Toal and those involved in Education to pray for young people and all who educate them as we grow together as a community of faith and learning.

St Louise Primary First Reconciliation & First Holy Communion

There will be a meeting for parents on Wednesday, 1st February at 7.00pm in the Oratory to prepare for First Reconciliation for the children in primary 3.

There will be a meeting for parents on Wednesday, 1st February at 7.30pm in the Oratory to prepare for First Holy Communion for the children in primary 4.

Second Collection For Church Roof Fund

Sunday 29th January

St Andrew's and St Bride's Sports Quiz
7.30pm Friday, 24th February,
St Bride's Pastoral Centre

There will be a Sports Quiz on Friday 24th February in St Bride's pastoral Centre to raise funds for the school football teams. The event will start at 7.30pm and it is £30 to enter a team (maximum of 6 persons in a team). There will also be a raffle on the night. Half time pies will be available!

To enter a team please contact Mr. Nelson on 01355 574110 or e-mail bnelson@st-aand-st-b.s.lanark.sch.uk

Eucharistic Ministers

Could all Eucharistic Ministers please collect a copy of the new rota as soon as possible.

READERS

A new rota is available in the porch.
Please collect a copy.

LOL Hiking Club

Meeting Thursday 26h January, 7.30pm, Hall
Sign-on for walks in Kippen area and navigation evening

Pro-Life Prayer Meeting

Wednesday at 7.00 pm, followed by tea/coffee
Also at 6.40pm Divine Mercy for Persecuted Christians.
Everyone Welcome

Letter of Thanks—Kilbride Hospice Quiz Night

Many thanks for the use of the church hall from Kilbryde Hospice.. This very successful night raised £500. Thanks to everyone for their support. Rosabel McDermott

Please pray for the sick

Kitty Dougan; Brad Connelly Tennonck; Eddie O'Hara; Mary McGuire; Carole Gaffney (Australia); Samuel Ruddy (age 20); Marianne Doherty; Douglas McDonald; Kerr Gildie; Charlotte Jordan; Eileen Mullan; Dick Cohen; Baby Maria Zahara; John Watson; Ann Gough; Catherine Watson; Susan Gough; Roseanne Dupree; Tony Slaven; Lena Connochie; May McCormack; Marie Docherty; Leslie Docherty; Linda Hogg; Joseph Berry; Anne Adams; Cathy Reynolds; Mary McDonnell; Gerry Kelly; Nancy McLellan; Terry McLellan; Paul Gallagher; Mary Johnstone; William Ellis; Elizabeth Hunter; Gian Adjuda; Betty McKenna

May They Rest in Peace



Recently Dead: John Newlands; Peter Kennedy; Pat Conroy; John Fitzpatrick; Mavis Kemp

Months Mind: Rose Tierney; May McKeown; Mary McWilliams; Teresa Woodside; Mary & John McKay (snr & jnr) Alice and Angela Price; Lily & Jimmy Hughes.

Anniversary: Norman McDermott; Paul Murphy; Patrick & Hannah O'Hare; Cathy McCulloch;



Baptism Course for Parents

Wednesday 22nd February at
7.30 pm in the Oratory

*Parents should complete this course before
arranging the baptism of their child*

We ask both parents to attend. Godparents are also welcome. Please arrange for a babysitter to look after your child at home.



I can update you on our January collections to include a further 2 bags and £195 bringing the totals to 71 bags and £275. These have now been passed to the Foodbank coordinator. Thank you for your relentless generosity.

Can I please give you a steer for our February (4th/5th) collection in two weeks. At the January drop-off I noticed there was an abundance of tinned soup, tinned beans etc in the unit. I contacted the coordinator and asked if there would be other items that might be more appropriate for February. She suggested the following - tinned hotdogs, tinned potatoes, tinned fruit and cereal; soap, toothpaste and toothbrushes, shower gel and deodorant. If you are able to consider any/some of these items they would be greatly appreciated. Many thanks.

Our Lady of Lourdes Indoor Bowls Club

Every Sunday evening, 6pm, Church Hall
New members and beginners welcome

Letter of Thanks

The Hannah and Henderson families would like to thank everyone who supported them in the recent 'Santa Dash' in Glasgow. The sum raised for the 'Beatson Cancer Care Hospital' was £1000. Thanks again to everyone.

Rosary Times

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

Mother and Toddler Group

Thursday at 10.30am
Resumes 12th Jan

Friendship Club

Thursday, 1.30pm– 3.30pm.
Church Hall. All welcome

Mother's Prayer Group

Meets every Tuesday.
In the Oratory after the
Rosary.
New members most welcome.

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

Readings for next Sunday

29 January 2017

4th Sunday in Ordinary Time

Zephaniah 2:3; 3:12-13
Psalm: 145 (146)
1 Corinthians 1: 26-31
Matthew 5:1-12

Bingo

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

**Wednesday Tea Room
Sunday Tearoom**

after 10am Mass or Rosary
after 11am Mass