



Please pray for those who died recently - Kevin Cleary of Lairhills Road (Reception & Vigil on Tuesday at 6.00pm. Requiem Mass on Wednesday at 9.30am. Thereafter South Lanarkshire Crematorium), Elizabeth Duffy of Park Terrace (Reception & Vigil on Friday at 6.00pm with Requiem Mass on Saturday at 10.00am), Mary Prior, John Glackin (Motherwell), Caroline Bennett (Dartford, Kent), Willie Hodge (Tasman Drive).

Pray also for the Months Minds and Anniversaries of - Tommy, Annie & Thomas Flaherty, Agnes Robson, Jimmy McAnsh, Paul Millar (Snr),

Please pray for the sick -



THANK YOU FOR YOUR CONTRIBUTIONS

Offertory and Easter Collection for 28th April 2019

GiftAid Envelopes £476.85 + Standing Orders £800.00 + Loose Plate £1426.62 Total £2703.47

Stall £140.89 Votive Candles £208.02 Roof Fund £5.00

The WEE BOXES for SCIAF have so far raised £3774.00 A wonderful response Thank you

PARISH HALL THIS WEEK

- ◆ Sunday Tearoom open today/Sunday
- ◆ Bingo on Tuesdays at 7.30pm
- ◆ Mother & Toddler Group on Thursdays
- ◆ Wednesday Tearoom this week after 9.30am Mass
- ◆ Friendship Club meets on Thursday at 1.30pm

GOING INTO HOSPITAL?

If you are going into hospital, especially to Hairmyres Hospital, please let Mgr Millar or Fr Seán know about this. This would be of particular help to us and would allow us to pay you a visit. If you know you are going for surgery or find yourself in the hospital and then learn that you are to have surgery, then we would be more than happy to visit you and bring you Holy Communion and offer you the Sacrament (Anointing) of the Sick.

Mgr Millar normally visits the hospital on Tuesdays after 10.00am Mass until about 12 noon and in the afternoon between 2.00pm and 5.00pm. Visits usually continue on Thursday afternoons from about 2.00pm until 4.00pm and sometimes on Friday afternoons as well.

Also, if you have been in hospital and are now at home, we would be very happy to visit you. Just let us know. (Sometimes we meet parishioners in Hairmyres Hospital and then they go home and we don't have a contact number for them nor do we have a note of their address).

APPEAL FOR SRI LANKA

We have been asked to give some financial support to the Catholic Church in Sri Lanka. Help would also be given to other Christian groups in that devastated country following the recent violent attacks on targeted public buildings and churches, particularly Catholic churches.

We have placed a Donations Box in the Entrance Area of the Church for any financial assistance you are able to give today. In addition, our prayers are needed for a speedy and peaceful solution to the religious and political problems affecting the stability of the Sri Lankan peoples.

CTS BOOKSTALL

The CTS Bookstall has a wide range of devotional, catechetical and spiritual materials to help us in our understanding of the faith and to help us grow in our relationship with the Lord. Please have a look after Mass today.

THE WEE BOX FOR SCIAF

Thanks you for the high number of the WEE BOXES returned. We would be grateful to receive any other WEE BOXES still at home as soon as possible. This will allow us to make a speedy return of the monies collected to help SCIAF respond in our name to the many calls on their charity. To date, we have received a total of £3774.00 from the WEE BOXES. Thank you for your very generous contributions during Lent for SCIAF.

OUR LADY OF LOURDES MEN'S GROUP meets in the Parish Hall on Thursday 16th May at 8.00pm. Please come along and join in our deliberations.

Please keep in mind that there is no 8.15am Mass this week and Wednesday morning Mass is at 9.30am instead of 10.00am.

Our Lady of Lourdes

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Monsignor Thomas Millar

Father Seán G. Wyllie

THIRD SUNDAY OF EASTER/YEAR C

5th May 2019



After the meal Jesus said to Simon Peter, 'Simon son of John, do you love me more than these others do?' He answered, 'Yes, Lord, you know I love you.' Jesus said to him, 'Feed my lambs.' A second time he said to him, 'Simon son of John, do you love me?' He replied 'Yes, Lord, you know I love you.' Jesus said to him, 'Look after my sheep.' Then he said to him a third time, 'Simon son of John, do you love me?' Peter was upset that he asked him the third time, 'Do you love me?' and said, 'Lord, you know everything; you know I love you.' Jesus answered him, 'Feed my sheep.'



LOCAL COMMUNITY FOODBANK

We have our collection for the Foodbank this weekend. It would be helpful to the organisers if all donations can be given today/Sunday or by 8.30am tomorrow/Monday.

Your ongoing and generous support for those in need is so much appreciated. For those who may wish to access any of the Foodbank's outlets, a poster is on display at the back of the church. No referral is required and discretion is guaranteed.

SAFEGUARDING IN THE CATHOLIC CHURCH

"The Catholic Church in Scotland is concerned with the lives, safety, wholeness and well-being of each individual person within God's purpose for everyone.

It seeks to safeguard the welfare of people of all ages who are involved in whatever capacity with the Church and its organisations.

As a Church community, we accept that it is the responsibility of all of us, ordained, professed, paid and voluntary members, to work together to prevent the physical, sexual, emotional abuse or neglect of children, young people and adults at risk."

We draw your attention to the noticeboard giving fuller detail on the Safeguarding procedures for the Catholic Church in Scotland, specifically in the Diocese of Motherwell. We can supply more copies of the Safeguarding Booklets on request by speaking to Bill Kerr, our parish coordinator, or by contacting the Diocesan Office on 01698 269114 or the Parish House on 01355 224511.

THE THIRD WEEK OF EASTER

Sunday 5th May (Readings: Acts of the Apostles 5: 27-32. 40-41; Psalm 29; Apocalypse 5: 11-14; John 21: 1-9)

8.00am Church open until after Evening Mass
 9.00am Mass for the Third Sunday of Easter
 11.00am Mass for the Third Sunday of Easter
 12.30pm Sacrament of Baptism
 5.45pm Adoration of the Blessed Sacrament in the Oratory
 6.00pm Evening Prayer & Benediction in the Oratory
 6.30pm Mass for the Third Sunday of Easter

Please keep in mind that there is no 8.15am Mass this week and Wednesday morning Mass is at 9.30am instead of 10.00am.

Monday 6th May (Readings: Acts of the Apostles 6: 8-5; Psalm 118; John 6: 22-29)

8.00am Church open until after Evening Mass
 9.30am Recitation of the Rosary
 10.00am Mass for Monday in the Third Week of Eastertide
 6.00pm Adoration of the Blessed Sacrament until 6.55pm
 7.00pm Mass for Monday in the Third Week of Eastertide

Our weekly Parish Bulletin is not currently displayed on our website. We have had a problem uploading it for the last few weeks and have not yet managed to sort out the issue with it. Working on it!

Tuesday 7th May (Readings: Acts of the Apostles 7: 51-8:1; Psalm 30; John 6: 30-35)

8.00am Church open until 7.00pm
 10.00am Mass for Tuesday in the Third Week of Eastertide
 Recitation of the Rosary after 10.00am Mass
 6.00pm Reception & Vigil for Kevin Cleary R.I.P.

Wednesday 8th May (Readings: Acts of the Apostles 8: 1-8; Psalm 65; Luke 6: 35-40)

8.00am Church open until 6.00pm
9.30am Requiem Mass for Kevin Cleary R.I.P. Recitation of the Rosary after Mass

Thursday 9th May (Readings: Acts of the Apostles 8: 26-40; Psalm 65; John 6: 44-51)

8.00am Church open until 6.00pm
 9.30am Recitation of the Rosary
 10.00am Mass for Thursday in the Third Week of Eastertide
 1.30pm St Louise School Feast Day Mass in OLOL church
 6.30pm Adoration of the Blessed Sacrament in the Oratory until Night Prayer
 7.00pm Confessions in the church until 7.30pm
 7.45pm Night Prayer & Benediction in the Oratory

Have you ever thought of joining us for Adoration on a Thursday evening or for Night Prayer? It's a wonderful way to enrich faith and life!

Friday 10th May (Readings: Acts of the Apostles 9: 1-20; Psalm 116; John 6: 52-59)

8.00am Church open until 6.00pm
 9.15am Confessions until 9.45am
 8.30am Adoration of the Blessed Sacrament until 9.55am
 10.00am Mass for Friday in the Third Week of Eastertide Recitation of the Rosary after Mass
 12.30pm Nuptial Mass
 6.00pm Reception & Vigil for Elizabeth Duffy

Saturday 11th May (Readings: Acts of the Apostles 9: 31-42; Psalm 115; John 6: 60-69)

8.00am Church open until after the Vigil Mass
 9.15am Confessions until 9.45am
 10.00am Requiem Mass for Elizabeth Duffy R.I.P. celebrated by her brother, Mgr Thomas O'Hare
 Recitation of the Rosary & Novena in honour of the Miraculous Medal after Mass
 4.15pm Confessions until 4.45pm
 5.00pm Vigil Mass for the Fourth Sunday of Easter

NEXT SUNDAY/THE FOURTH SUNDAY OF EASTER



GOOD SHEPHERD SUNDAY

WORLD DAY OF PRAYER FOR VOCATIONS
 TO THE PRIESTHOOD,
 DEACONATE
 AND RELIGIOUS LIFE



Sunday 12th May (Readings: Acts of the Apostles 13: 14. 43-52; Psalm 99; Apocalypse 7: 9. 14-17; John 10: 27-30)

8.00am Church open until after Evening Mass
 9.00am Mass for the Fourth Sunday of Easter
 11.00am Mass for the Fourth Sunday of Easter
 1.00pm First Communion Mass (Our Lady of Lourdes parishioners who attend St Louise School)
 5.45pm Adoration of the Blessed Sacrament in the Oratory
 6.00pm Evening Prayer & Benediction in the Oratory
 6.30pm Mass for the Fourth Sunday of Easter

FIRST COMMUNIONS 2019

We continue to ask the congregation to remember in prayer all those who will be celebrating their First Holy Communion in the month of May.

Parishioners from St Louise School celebrate First Holy Communion next Sunday 12th May at 1.00pm.

Parishioners from Our Lady of Lourdes School celebrate First Holy Communion on Sunday 19th May at 1.00pm.

GOOD SHEPHERD SUNDAY

Please pray for our bishop, our priests, our deacons and religious next Sunday, Good Shepherd Sunday. Please also pray for vocations to the priesthood, to the diaconate and to religious life and, add to that, a prayer for all in formation to serve the Church in these vocations today.

DEVOTIONS & PRAYERS

- The Mothers Group meets on Tuesday with Rosary following 10.00am Mass and prayers afterwards in the Oratory.
- Prayers for Pro-Life on Wednesday of this week in the Oratory. Divine Mercy Chaplet at 6.40pm. Adoration of the Blessed Sacrament and Prayers for Life from 7.00pm. Benediction at approximately 7.50pm. All welcome to participate in Prayers for Life.
- Prayers for Vocations on Friday in the church at 2.00pm.

PARISH PASTORAL PLANNING TEAM

The Parish Pastoral Planning Team are scheduled to meet on Thursday 9th May at **8.00pm** in the Parish House.

PARISH FINANCE TEAM MEETING

It might be a good idea for the Finance Team to meet fairly soon to review the re-sited Stall and the on going planning for the replacement of the lighting in the main body of the church.

THIS IS A DIFFICULT ONE TO MENTION BUT

For one reason or another, parishioners and other visitors to our parish sometimes come into the sacristy to speak to one of the priests. This can be for the signing of a Mass Card or request for prayers for someone who is ill or for the anniversary of a death. But also, the reason for speaking to the priest can often be of a private or personal nature. So, if there is someone in the sacristy speaking to the priest and you also want to have a word, we kindly and respectfully ask you to wait outside until the person has completed their business before popping in to see us. Thanks for your understanding.

SAINT LOUISE PRIMARY SCHOOL

The school community will celebrate their patronal feast day with a Mass here in our church on Thursday 9th May at 1.30pm. All parishioners are warmly invited to celebrate this Mass with Saint Louise Primary School.

Please keep in mind that there is no 8.15am Mass this week and Wednesday morning Mass is at 9.30am instead of 10.00am.

THE MONTH OF MAY

We honour Our Blessed Lady, Mother of Jesus, in the month of May. During May the Rosary will be recited, when possible, before 10.00am at 9.30am. See the daily schedule for the times of the Rosary in May.

SUNDAY READERS

Please collect the new Duty Lists from the sacristy today. Thank you.