



Please pray for those who died recently - Mary McCarney, Patricia Murphy (Dublin), Don Towers (Liverpool), Violet Murtha (Moodiesburn), Ann Cleland (Kilbryde Hospice).

Pray also for the Months Minds and Anniversaries of - Gerard Bradley, Rose Tierney, May McKeown, Terence Clarke, Margaret Ferns, Catherine McKerracher, The McKerracher Family, The Hannah Family, Nan & Andrew Curran, Sandra Brown, Agnes McDonald, Christina Samson, Frank and Mary McWilliams, Teresa Woodside and Annabella Little, Fr John Kelly.

Please pray for the sick -



### THANK YOU FOR YOUR CONTRIBUTIONS

#### Offertory Collection for 12th May 2019

GiftAid Envelopes £433.00 + Standing Orders £800.00 + Loose Plate £1399.17 Total £2632.17

Stall £183.35 Votive Candles £215.13 Sri Lanka Appeal £1859.94

SCIAF WEE BOXES from your Lenten almsgiving have now totalled £4127.40 + £40.39 Total £4167.79  
Thank you for your very generous support for SCIAF

### DAY FOR LIFE

Every year, the Catholic Church celebrates a Day for Life. In Scotland, we celebrate Day for Life on the Feast of the Visitation of Our Blessed Lady, 31st May.

To mark the Day for Life, we are not only asked to pray for a greater appreciation of the gift of human life but to give practical support to enable the Church to promote the sanctity and dignity of human life at all stages of development.

A Second Collection will be taken up next Sunday for the Day for Life.

Please take one of the leaflets when you are at Mass today highlighting this year's theme - The Scourge of Domestic Abuse.

### PARISH HALL THIS WEEK

- ◆ **Sunday Tearoom** closed today and next Sunday
- ◆ **Bingo** on Tuesdays at 7.30pm
- ◆ **Mother & Toddler Group** on Thursdays
- ◆ **Wednesday Tearoom** this week after 10.00am Mass
- ◆ **Friendship Club** meets on Thursday at 1.30pm

### 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.

### APPEAL FOR SRI LANKA

Thank you once again for outstanding generosity to the Appeal for help for the Catholic community in Sri Lanka. This donation will be much appreciated by the Church in Sri Lanka. However, we should also be generous in our prayer for peace and justice in that troubled part of the world.

### LEGACY

The family of the late Kevin Cleary have made a donation of £5,000.00 for Church Funds, specifically for the Church Building Fund. We thank them for their generosity and for making such a large contribution towards the future upkeep of Our Lady of Lourdes Church. Please pray for the repose of the soul of Kevin Cleary and remember his family in your prayers as well.

### PRO LIFE CONFERENCE

A pro-life conference will be held on **Saturday 22nd June at St Augustine's Parish Hall, Coatbridge** to explore the skills needed in presenting the pro-life response at home, school, church and in society.

Speakers are Austin Ruse of C-Fam, Professor Janet Smith, a renowned defender of Humanae Vitae, and Cathy Ruse of the Family Research Council. Gordon Macdonald of Care not Killing will discuss life issues, bio-ethical questions and issues affecting life, love, sex, marriage and the family.

The cost is £15.00. Lunch is included in your ticket price. Further details can be found on the undernoted link.

<https://lifeissues.eventbrite.co.uk>

Christ is Risen!  
**Alleluia!**  
He is Risen Indeed!

# Our Lady of Lourdes

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Father Seán G. Wyllie

## FIFTH SUNDAY OF EASTER/YEAR C

19th May 2019



*Here God lives among men. He will make his home among them; they shall be his people, and he will be their God; his name is God-with-them. He will wipe away all tears from their eyes; there will be no more death, and no more mourning or sadness. The world of the past has gone.*

### ORDINATION TO THE PRIESTHOOD

Deacon Charles Coyle is to be ordained a priest in St Columbkille's Church, Rutherglen, on Thursday 27th June at 7.00pm. Some parishioners have expressed an interest in attending the ceremony.

There's a list on the noticeboard for a bus for the occasion. If you are interested in attending, please put your name on this list today. It might also be worth mentioning that car parking will be very restricted in the area around St Columbkille's Church on that evening. By travelling on the bus, we save ourselves from the challenge of finding a suitable place to park!

### PARISH PILGRIMAGE TO FATIMA AND TRIP TO SALAMANCA JULY 2020

We are proposing a Parish Pilgrimage to visit the shrine of Our Lady at Fatima in Portugal. It is hoped we will spend three days and two nights in Fatima, being there on the 13<sup>th</sup> July to commemorate the apparitions and taking part in the Torchlight Procession on the 12<sup>th</sup> and then the Mass on 13<sup>th</sup>.

We would then travel to spend seven days in Salamanca, a historic and beautiful University city in Spain and stay at the Royal Scots College making day trips to the towns of Avila, Segovia and Alba de Tormes. This part of the trip would include daily Mass, either in the College Chapel or in the various places we visit during our stay. Breakfast and Dinner would be provided for us and we would be free to make use of the swimming pool, library, tennis courts, pool table and bar within the college.

The response has been quite marvellous and we will try to find out more information before announcing a meeting to talk about the programme, costs, flight times etc.

### ANNUAL SERVICE AT PHILIPSHILL CEMETERY

Sunday 2nd June at 3.00pm.

# THE FIFTH WEEK OF EASTER

**Sunday 19th May** (Readings: Acts of the Apostles 14: 21-27; Psalm 144; Apocalypse 21: 1-5; John 13: 31-35)

8.00am Church open until after Evening Mass  
 9.00am Mass for the Fifth Sunday of Easter  
 11.00am Mass for the Fifth Sunday of Easter  
 1.00pm First Communion Mass for Primary 4 of Our Lady of Lourdes School All welcome  
 5.45pm Adoration of the Blessed Sacrament in the Oratory  
 6.00pm Evening Prayer & Benediction in the Oratory  
 6.30pm Mass for the Fifth Sunday of Easter

**Monday 20th May** (Readings: Acts of the Apostles 14: 5-18; Psalm 113B; John 14: 21-26)

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

**Tuesday 21st May** (Readings: Acts of the Apostles 14: 19-28; Psalm 144; John 14: 27-31)

7.30am Church open until 6.00pm  
 8.15am Mass for Tuesday in the Fifth Week of Eastertide  
 10.00am Mass for Tuesday in the Fifth Week of Eastertide Recitation of the Rosary after Mass

**Wednesday 22nd May** (Readings: Acts of the Apostles 15: 1-6 ; Psalm 121; John 15: 1-8)

7.30am Church open until 6.00pm  
 8.15am Mass for Wednesday in the Fifth Week for Eastertide  
 9.30am Recitation of the Rosary.  
 10.00am Mass for Wednesday in the Fifth Week for Eastertide

**Thursday 23rd May** (Readings: Acts of the Apostles 15: 7-21; Psalm 95; John 15: 9-11)

7.30am Church open until 7.30pm  
 8.15am Mass for Thursday in the Fifth Week of Eastertide  
 9.30am Recitation of the Rosary  
 10.00am Mass for Thursday in the Fifth Week of Eastertide  
 6.30pm Adoration of the Blessed Sacrament in the Oratory  
 7.00pm Confessions in the church until 7.30pm  
 7.45pm Night Prayer & Benediction in the Oratory

**Friday 24th May** (Readings: Acts of the Apostles 115: 22-31; Psalm 56; John 15: 12-17)

7.30am Church open until 6.00pm  
 8.15am Mass for Friday in the Fifth Week of Eastertide  
 8.45am Adoration of the Blessed Sacrament until 9.55am  
 9.15am Confessions until 9.45am  
 10.00am Mass for Friday in the Fifth Week of Eastertide Recitation of the Rosary after Mass

**Saturday 26th May** (Readings: Acts of the Apostles 16: 1-10; Psalm 99; John 15: 18-21)

7.30am Church open until after the Vigil Mass  
 8.15am Mass for Saturday in the Fifth Week of Eastertide or Mass of Our Blessed Lady (Oratory)  
 9.15am Confessions until 9.45am  
 9.30am Recitation of the Rosary & Novena in honour of the Miraculous Medal after Mass  
 10.00am Mass for Saturday in the Fifth Week of Eastertide or Mass of Our Blessed Lady  
 4.15pm Confessions until 4.45pm  
 5.00pm Vigil Mass for the Sixth Sunday of Easter

# NEXT SUNDAY/THE SIXTH SUNDAY OF EASTER

## SECOND COLLECTION FOR DAY FOR LIFE

**Sunday 26th May** (Readings: Acts of the Apostles 15: 1-2. 22-29; Psalm 66; Apocalypse 21: 10-14. 23-29; John 14: 23-29)

8.00am Church open until after Evening Mass  
 9.00am Mass for the Sixth Sunday of Easter  
 11.00am Mass for the Sixth Sunday of Easter  
 5.45pm May Devotions in honour of Our Blessed Lady in the church concluding with Benediction  
 6.30pm Mass for the Sixth Sunday of Easter

## INFORMATION WITH A DIFFERENCE!

### Stair An tUltach

Friday 7<sup>th</sup> June at 7.00pm

A talk by Dr Pádraig Ó Baoighill (Gaoth Dobhair) on the history of the magazine An tUltach. Govanhill Neighbourhood Centre, 6 Daisy Street, Glasgow.

### Oíche Cheoil agus Craic A Night of Music, Singing and Céilí Dancing

Saturday 15<sup>th</sup> June 2019

Ceol le Máire Ní Choilm (Gaoth Dobhair)  
 St. James the Great Céilí Band,  
 Ceoltóirí Chonradh na Gaeilge & Friends  
 St Helen's Church Hall, Shawlands, Glasgow  
 Ticket Price £7.00 (Includes refreshments & prize draw entry). BYOB.

### Oíche Scannán - Film Night Monday 17<sup>th</sup> June

'An Tír Úd Thoir' & 'Saol Úr in Albain'  
 7.00pm, CCA, 350 Sauchiehall St, Glasgow

### Campa Samhradh - Summer Camp

A chance for kids to learn Gaeilge and enjoy drama, music, art and sport activities

Monday 1<sup>st</sup> July - Friday 5<sup>th</sup> July  
 10.30am - 2.30pm

St Helen's Church Hall, Shawlands, Glasgow

For further information contact  
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 0141 429 2308 or 07866453708

## 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.

## INVITATION

HCPT Group 522 Race Night on Saturday 8th June at 7.30pm in Our Lady of Lourdes Church Hall. Entrance £5.00, bring your own bottle, glass and snacks. Children free and most welcome. Phone Robert/Aileen on 702187 for tickets.

## 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 Mass at 9.30am. See the daily schedule for the times of the Rosary in May.

Next Sunday we will have May Devotions in the church at 5.45pm in place of Evening Prayer of the Church. Come along and join us!



## LEGION OF MARY



Are you interested in finding out about the Legion of Mary and the work we carry out within our parish?

If so, please come and join us at one of our meetings on a Monday evening in Our Lady of Lourdes Church Hall at 7.30pm, following the 7.00pm Mass. All welcome.