

**Sunday Café:** Please note that there will be no café this Sunday, 22 October. The Café will recommence after 9.30 mass on Sunday 29 October.

**Collection:** Last Sunday's collection raised £1,576.34 for our parish. Thank you.

**Club 200 winner:** this week's £60 winner is **Robert Conway**. Please collect your prize from the sacristy.

**Club 200 Subscriptions:** For those who pay their Club 200 by cash or cheque, subscriptions were due for renewal by 1 October. Subscription rates are £30 for 6 months and £60 for 12 months. If you wish to continue with your contributions, please pay by cash or cheque.

**Church cleaners:** our team of church cleaners is looking for some more volunteers. We usually clean the church on Thursdays after the morning Mass. It would be most appreciated to have more volunteers on the rota.

**Please pray for our sick and housebound and for those who care for them:**

Cath Despard, Michael Todd, Jack Slorach, Sister Louise Malone, , Kathleen & John Rourke, Ann Dillon, Frank Mellon, Christy Joyce (Dublin), Paul McVey (America), Joseph Gallacher, Chiv Brown, Colum Maguire, Rosey McGeady, Clive Murdoch, Eddie McGhee (Donegal), Deb Gaffney, Josephine Smith, Tom Fahey, Tomas McFarlane, Agnes Dowling, Mary Hoban, Liz Gallagher, Bernadette Coogans, Rev Anne Paton, Lily Halleron, Nan Martin, Cathy Clark, Ann O'Neil, Andrea Waddell, Christopher Torrance, Frank Torrance, Sheila Torrance, Frank McCabe, Jane McNamara, Michael McShane, Alice Nimmo, Jo Reilly, Marie Sydney, Patricia Williamson, Catriona Mackness( Nottingham) Eddie Connelly ( St Vincents), Frank Moran

**Recently deceased:** Margaret Dickson, Miriam Hall, Joseph O'Neill, Michael McShane, Leanne Harkins, Mary Donnelly, Nancy Wilson

**Anniversaries:** Frank Brennan, Martin and Mary Brennan, Marjory Blyth, Lillian McLean, Albert Marsella.

**Birthday Remembrance:** Thomas Flaherty Jnr.

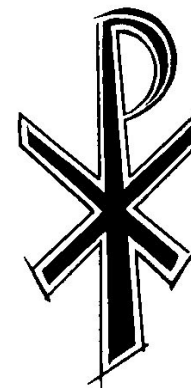
*May their souls and the souls of all the faithful departed, through the mercy of God, rest in peace. Amen.*

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### Sunday 22<sup>nd</sup> October 2017



### 29<sup>th</sup> Sunday of Ordinary Time

#### Masses

Monday-Saturday 10.00am  
Saturday 6.00pm Vigil  
Sunday 9.30am, 11.30am,  
6.00pm

#### Holy Hour

Thursday 7.00pm

#### Confessions

After Saturday morning  
and Vigil Mass  
and on request

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**Feasts this week:** *Tuesday 24 October, St Anthony Mary Claret; Saturday 28 October, St Simon and St Jude.*

**Care Homes:** There will be Mass in Acorn Park Care Home on Wednesday 25<sup>th</sup> October at 2.30pm

**Readers Rota 10am Mon – Fri Mass.** The latest Readers Rota (30 October -5 December) for 10am Monday to Friday Mass is displayed on the noticeboards at the back of the church and in the sacristy, as well as on the website.

**October Devotions, Rosary and Litany:** there is a Plenary Indulgence for recitation of these in the Church, family or pious association.

**November Lists:** November is the month of the Holy Souls when in charity we are called to remember the Faithful Departed in our prayers, especially at Holy Mass. Catholic tradition invites us to pray for our loved ones who have gone before us to their eternal reward. Lists for completion are available at the back of the church.

**Parish Pilgrimages 2018:** Our parish is organising a pilgrimage to Ireland for the Pope's visit to **Dublin in August 2018**. All interested in it are invited for a meeting in our Pastoral Centre on Sunday 29 October at 2pm followed by a meeting at 2.30pm to discuss a possible June 2018 pilgrimage to some new places in **Poland**.

**Pastoral Planning Group:** There will be a meeting of this group on Monday 23<sup>rd</sup> October at 7.00pm in the library

**Bereavement Group:** There will be a meeting of this group on Thursday 26<sup>th</sup> October in library at 8.00pm

**World Day of Prayer for the Missions:** There will be a special collection this weekend at all Masses for Mission Sunday.

**Society of the Innocents raffle 2017:** this year's raffle is upon us and soon books of raffle tickets will be distributed around the parishes of the diocese.

**Our Lady's Musicial Society** will be staging the well-known musical "Fiddler on the Roof" in Motherwell Theatre from 7-11 November, with Saturday matinee. Tickets can be purchased from Chris Kelly, tel. 01698 733502 or book online at [www.ourladysopera.org.uk](http://www.ourladysopera.org.uk)

**Fairtrade:** East Kilbride Fairtrade Group are holding their annual Festive Fair in the East Kilbride Arts Centre Old Coach Road on Wednesday 8<sup>th</sup> November from 7.00pm till 9.00pm. There will be a choir from St Kenneth's primary school and stalls with crafts, goods and Christmas cards. Entry is free.

**Aid to Church in Need:** The latest report '**Persecuted and Forgotten? A Report on Christians oppressed for their Faith 2015-2017**' highlights the extraordinary stories of Christian persecution which is now published and available online at [www.acnuk.org/persecuted](http://www.acnuk.org/persecuted)

**There will be an appeal on behalf of ACN in our Church on the weekend of 4<sup>th</sup>- 5<sup>th</sup> November.**

**Catholic Nurses Guild of Scotland:** Annual Day of Recollection will be held on Saturday 4 November, 10.30am-4pm at the Schoenstatt Centre, Clachan, Campsie Glen, Glasgow G66 7AB. Cost £20. All nurses, health care workers and friends are welcome. For further information and booking: telephone 01475 725252 or 0131 665 3639.

#### **For Our Children and Young People**

**Children's Liturgy:** There is no Children's Liturgy this Sunday because of the school mid-term holidays. There will be a family mass with Young Readers on Sunday 29 October.

**Baptism Congratulations** to Melissa Smith on the baptism of her daughter Mia Jean and also to Gary and Siobhan Chesney on the baptism of their son Connor Dominic Alan in St Brides this Sunday.

**Children's Halloween Party:** The Children's Liturgy Team and Caritas are hosting a Halloween Party for all the children next **Sunday 29 October at 3.30pm**.

**St. Margaret's Family Care Society:** the most recent inspection by the Care Inspectorate took place last month, with the final report being published 2 weeks ago. They were awarded the highest grades available (grade 6-excellent) by the inspector and the feedback was the best they have ever received. They now boast "excellent" grades across all areas. The Society wishes to express their thanks to the diocese for the support, both financial and spiritual, which they receive. The face of adoption has changed significantly over the years, and St. Margaret's have had to develop their services to respond to the individual needs of the children and families.