

St Patrick's Social. Saturday 17th March at 7.00pm in the Paris Centre.
Dance to Eriskay Lilt. Tickets on sale soon.

Traidcraft Stall. Easter cards are available. Please note these go out of stock very quickly (phone Pip 077751481043).

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

Lennox McDonald Walker (Edinburgh,aged10), Ruby McLean, Eamonn Campbell, David Scott, Gail Frame (Prestwick), Ann Devlin, Patrick Doohan, Joseph Malone, John McLaughlin (USA), Tess Murray, Tom O'Brien, Joan Robson, Margaret Robertson, Claire Fox (Coatbridge), Eddie O'Neil, Robert Dunlop (LOLO), Andy Dunn, Cathy Kelly, Maureen Watson, Lisa Hewkins, Eileen Biggins, Cath Despard, Michael Todd, Kathleen Rourke, Ann Dillon, Christy Joyce (Dublin), Joseph Gallacher, Chiv Brown, Colum Maguire, Rosey McGeady, Clive Murdoch, Eddie McGhee (Donegal), 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, Alice Nimmo, Jo Reilly, Marie Sydney, Patricia Williamson, Raymond Smith, Iain Norrie Junior, Margaret Steele, Anne Duffy, Rev Mgr Peter Smith, Betty Barbour, Mary Crilly, Annie Flaherty, John Mc Adams.

Birthday Remembrance: Tony McCole.

Anniversaries: Thomas Devlin, David Knight, Rosemary Madden, Cathie McGregor, Alan Richmond, Mary Roberts, Vittoria Simi, Terry Dolan.

Recently deceased: Catherine McCallum (Alva), Margaret Wood, Marie Bernard Dusseaux (Paris), Anne McKelvie.

Funeral Arrangements:

1. **R.I.P. Margaret Wood** – Vigil reception on Tuesday 27 February at 6.30pm. Requiem Mass on Wednesday 28 February at 10am then onto South Lanarkshire Crematorium at 11am.
2. **R.I.P. Bill Paterson** – Rosary in Heritage on Wednesday at 7pm. The Body Reception on Thursday at 6pm. Requiem Mass on Friday 2 March at 10am then onto South Lanarkshire Crematorium at 11am.
3. **R.I.P. Isabella Smith** – to be arranged.
4. **R.I.P. Nan Preston** – to be arranged.

*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 25th February 2018
2nd Sunday in Lent Year B



Masses

Monday-Saturday 10.00am
Tuesday and Thursday 7.00am
Saturday 6.00pm Vigil Sunday
9.30am, 11.30am & 6pm

Stations of Cross and Holy Hour

Thursday 7.00pm

Confessions

After Saturday morning and Vigil
Mass, Holy Hour and on request

Feast Days: Saturday 3 March, St Casimir.

Weekday Masses and Holy Hour:

Monday 26 February	Mass in the Parish Centre 10am
Tuesday 27 February	Mass in the Parish Centre at 7 am and 10am
Wednesday 28 February	Requiem Mass in Church at 10am
Thursday 1 March	Mass in the Parish Centre at 7am and 10am Stations of the Cross in the Church at 7pm, followed by Adoration of the Blessed Sacrament
Friday 2 March	Requiem Mass in Church at 10am
Saturday 3 March	Mass in the Church at 10am

Lenten Talks: We welcome our friends from the village churches for Lenten Talks to be held in our Parish Centre each Sunday of Lent, beginning last Sunday 18 February at 7.30pm. Please see poster at back of Church. All welcome.

Care Home: Mass will be celebrated in Acorn Park Nursing Home on Wednesday 28 February at 2.30pm.

Contemplative Theology: reflecting on our faith in a prayer-filled environment, bearing fruit in action. We will meet in the Xavier Centre, Carfin on Thursdays 1st, 8th and 15th March from 7.30 - 9pm.

World Day of Prayer: Friday 2 March. Hosted this year by the Salvation Army. All welcome. 2pm at The Salvation Army, 25 Mid Park, The Murray, East Kilbride.

Aid to the Church in Need: Dr John Watts visited our parish last weekend to talk on behalf of Aid to the Church in Need. John would like to thank everyone for your continued prayers and the donation of £2756.79 (including collection and stall).

Pioneer Total Abstinence Association of the Sacred Heart: The National Council in Scotland will once again promote the “**Short-Term Pledge for Lent**”. Prayer leaflets are available at the back of the Church. There will also be a **Lenten Evening Retreat:** led by Fr Eamon Sweeney in St Patrick’s Church, Coatbridge on Tuesday 27 February at 7pm. All are welcome to attend.

Collections: Last Sunday’s collection raised £1,165.17 for our parish, of which £461.70 was Gift Aided. Thank you for your generosity.

Club 200 winner: this week’s £60 winner is **Michael Caulley**. Please collect your prize from the sacristy

In the interests of safety: If young children need to use the toilets during Mass, please ensure that they are accompanied by a parent or responsible adult. Thank you.

Sunday Café: resumes this week.

Bereavement Group: will meet this Thursday 1 March at 8pm in the Library.

Gonzaga Lectures: this year’s lectures take as their inspiration the theme of Reconciliation. The lectures will take place at 7pm in the Royal College of Physicians and Surgeons. Afterwards there will be an opportunity for tea/coffee and an informal conversation with the evening guest speaker:

- **Tuesday 27 February:** Jan Graffus, Stonyhurst College Curator. “*The World is our House: Jesuits, Culture and Spirituality*”.
- **Tuesday 6 March:** Fr Frank Turner SJ, British Province of the Society of Jesus and Delegate for the Intellectual Apostolate. “*Integral Ecology as Integral Conversion*”.

3rd World Group: “Our grateful thanks to everyone who supported our recent fund raising events. The Ash Wednesday special collection amounted to £827.94 and the Studio 32 concert raised £560. Thank you for your generosity. Our next event will be the annual Millport cycle run in June. More details to follow shortly.”

Ladies Phoenix Club: meets this Monday 26 February at 1.30 in the Hall. Craig Mains will be speaking about Glasgow’s connection with the Slave Trade. The club is always happy to welcome new members so if you are at a loose end, come along and join us. Tea/Coffee £2. There will also be a raffle.

For Our Children and Young People

High School: Mass will be celebrated in the school oratory on Monday, Wednesday and Friday at 8.20am.

High School is delighted to welcome Studio 32 for a Musical Evening on Friday 2 March at 7.30pm. Tickets are £5.

Children’s Liturgy - Children’s Liturgy continues in the Hall at 9:30am this Sunday (25 Feb). This is the final week (week 4) of our programme of Sacramental Preparation for children taking their First Communion. Our thanks to the large number of P3 children who have participated in the programme and to their parents for bringing them along.

Next Sunday (4 March), the 4 week programme of Sacramental Preparation for Confirmation will start at 9:30am in the Hall, while Children’s Liturgy continues. The next **family mass** will take place on Easter Sunday.

Baptism Congratulations: to Freya Alana Parker and to her parents Brenda Eagan and Marc Parker. Freya will be baptised in our Church this Sunday at 1pm.