

**Choir Recruitment:** we have an existing choir in our parish which performs on feast days. We would love to welcome new members. The recruitment meeting will be held in our church at 7pm next Sunday 7 October. We invite new people who would like to join our parish choir. The choir performs on feast days and rehearsals take place at a convenient time. There is not too much work for you, if you want to join the choir.

**Collections:** Last Sunday's collection raised £1,219.33 of which £566.40 was Gift-Aided. The special collection raised £419.31 for the Student Priests' Fund.

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

The Diocesan Office has advised parishes that with the introduction of new Data Protection laws on 25 May 2018 it is no longer permissible to publish the names of the sick on the online version of parish bulletins.

It is still permissible to do so on the print version.

**Anniversaries:** James McGuigan, Mario Marzella, John Garrity, Kathleen Buchanan, Joseph McCaffery, Tom Martin, Mary & Walter Laschuk.

**Birthday Remembrance:** John M Muldoon

**Recently Deceased:** Joseph Smith, Dominic Saroli, Grace Friel, Gerry Flannigan, Sadie McStay, Bertie Brennan (Glasgow).

**Funeral arrangements for R.I.P. Ann Devlin:**

Thursday 4<sup>th</sup> October at 6pm – Vigil for the deceased followed by Rosary

Friday 5<sup>th</sup> October at 10am – Requiem Mass

Friday 5<sup>th</sup> October at 11am – Linn Crematorium

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

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**30<sup>th</sup> September 2018**  
**26<sup>th</sup> Sunday B**



**Masses**

Monday-Saturday 10am

Saturday 6pm Vigil

Sunday 9.30am, 11.30am & 6pm

**Holy Hour:** Thursday 7pm

**Confessions:** After Saturday morning and Vigil Mass, during

Holy Hour and on request

**Feast Days:** *Monday 1 October*, St Teresa of the Child Jesus; *Tuesday 2 October*, Memorial of the Guardian Angels; *Thursday 4 October*, St Francis of Assisi.

**New Statues, heating system & CCTV cameras:** there will be an open meeting to discuss the proposed new statues, the existing heating system and the possibility of installing CCTV cameras in our church. The meeting is open to all and will be held in the parish hall at 2pm next Sunday 7 October.

**Autumn season of Contemplative Theology:** at the Francis Xavier Centre, Carfin. Starts at 7.15pm on the following Thursday evenings: 27<sup>th</sup> September, 4<sup>th</sup>, 11<sup>th</sup> and 25<sup>th</sup> October. No need to book. Just come along on the night, whether or not you have attended before. **All welcome.**

**St Bride's Ladies Phoenix Club** meets this Monday 1<sup>st</sup> October at 1.30pm. Our guest will be Linda Fabiani, MSP. Everyone welcome. Tea/coffee £2. We will also have a raffle.

**Parish Groups:** our Pastoral Planning Team has prepared the list of all our parish groups with short description of their activities. We are proud to have so many groups and volunteers in our parish. Some parish groups would love to welcome new members. Please, take a copy with you.

**Third World Group:** The Quiz night is on Saturday 3 November in the Pastoral centre at 7.30 prompt. Tickets are £6 and include a light supper. Phone Katrina on: 248381. Bar.

**Baptismal Course:** There will be a baptismal course for all parents and godparents who are preparing for baptisms and for those who wish their child to be baptised. The meeting will be held in Parish Library on Thursday 11 October at 6.30-7.30pm.

**Annual Mass for the sick:** will be celebrated on Wednesday 25 October at 7pm in our church. All parishioners who have various health problems are most welcome.

**Club 200:** this week's £60 winner is **Anne Marie Dickson**. The winner of the Quarterly prize is **Marie McLaughlin**. Please collect your prize. For those who pay by cash or cheque, subscriptions are now due for the next 6 months (£30) or 12 months (£60). We will be available after Sunday Masses to collect subscriptions.

**The Bishops' Conference of Scotland** issued Decree on the Observance of Holy Days of Obligation in the Dioceses of Scotland. **Bishop Toal** has prepared a letter on the above. Both documents are available at the back of the church and on our website.

**Studio32:** back by popular demand, Friday 26 October. Tickets are on sale, £6. Bar/light supper. Doors open at 7pm.

**St Andrew's High School Anniversary:** A mass is being held in St Vincent's at 4pm this Sunday 30 September to mark the 40 years since **St Andrew's High School** was opened. Anyone with any connections to the school is very welcome.

**Parish Together Committee:** There will be a meeting in the Library after 10am mass on October 9<sup>th</sup>.

**RCIA:** The final enquiry evening will be held in the Parish Library on Tuesday 2 October at 7pm.

**Church Fence Repainting:** Thank you for wonderful response last week. Please speak to Fr Rafal if you want to help.

**The Pioneer Association** Annual Rally will be held in St Patrick's Church, Coatbridge on Friday 12<sup>th</sup> October 2018. Mass will be at 7.00pm, followed by meal in the hall. Tickets cost £15.00.

**SPUC Scotland National Conference**, 200 St Vincent Street. Glasgow – Saturday 13<sup>th</sup> October 2018 9.15am-4pm. The day includes refreshments throughout the day and a hot lunch. Full Price tickets are £30, and can be booked on 0141 221 2094 or [Charlie@spucscotland.org](mailto:Charlie@spucscotland.org)

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

**Parish Youth Group:** There will be a meeting in the Parish Centre this Sunday 30 September at 7pm of a Youth Group for young adults aged 16 –25. Youth Leaders and young people, who are interested in joining our Youth Group, are invited to attend.

**High School Mass:** will be celebrated on Monday and Friday at 8.20am.

**Children's Liturgy:** is held in the Parish Centre at 9.30am on Sundays. We are looking for additional leaders, so please contact one of the current leaders for more information.

**St. Hilary's Primary School:** will be resuming their 'Scotland Reads' programme after the October holiday. 'Scotland Reads' provides reluctant readers with the opportunity to engage in shared reading experiences with a volunteer on a weekly basis. If you are interested in volunteering, please contact the school on 01355 232 066. Thank you.