

Club 200: This week's £60 winner is Anne Connolly. Please collect your cheque from Fr Rafal. The current loan stands at £241,452.82.

Collection: Offerings can be made by bank transfer, the details of which are as follows: St Brides, Sort Code: 82-62-24, Account Number: 40500017. There are baskets for the Sunday collection near the exit door. During the period between 29 May and 6 June all cash collections and donations amounted £1,146.58, of which £417.00 was gift aided. The special collection for the Apostolate of Life raised £322.63. Thank you.

SSVP: Donations can be made to St Bride's SSVP by bank transfer. Details: Bank: Clydesdale Bank: Account Name: SSVP MW 05015; Account Number: 20538417; Sort Code: 82 62 24.

There will be a special collection for *Peter's Pence* next Sunday.

The July *Day by Day Book* is available at the back of the Church. Price: £1.00

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: John Wright

Recently Dead: Jean Scullion, Jimmy Coyle, Gerald Monaghan, Alan Scott (Glenboig), Olive Mulligan (Paisley)

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

St Bride's RC Church East Kilbride

Whitemoss Avenue, East Kilbride, G74 1NN

Telephone: (01355) 220005

Website: www.sbek.org

Twitter @StBrideEK

Facebook @StBrideEK

frarafal@rcdom.org.uk

stbrideeastkilbride@rcdom.org.uk

bulletin@sbek.org

Administrator: Father Rafal Sobieszuk

Hall Bookings – Mrs Annemarie McMillan hall@sbek.org

19 June 2022

The Most Holy Body and Blood of Christ



Masses

Monday to Saturday 10.00 am

Saturday 6.00 pm Vigil Mass

Sunday 9.30 am, 11.30 am and 6.00 pm.

Holy Hour

Thursday evening 7.00 to 8.00 pm

Confessions - On request

Feast Days: Tuesday 21 June: *St Aloysius Gonzaga*; Thursday 23 June: *The Nativity of St John the Baptist*; Friday 24 June: *The Most Sacred Heart of Jesus*; Saturday 25 June: *The Immaculate Heart of the Blessed Virgin Mary*.

The Pastoral Letter of the Bishops of Scotland, 'On the Holy Eucharist', can be seen at the back of the Church or on the Parish social media pages.

The **coffee morning** will finish this Thursday, 23 June, for the summer break. Thank you to all volunteers and attendees.

The Annual Scalan Mass returns this year on Sunday 3 July, at 4.00 pm. We are having an overnight on Saturday 2 July in the Britannia Hotel, Coylumbridge. The total cost of coach and dinner, bed and breakfast will be £169. We are leaving Moodiesburn on the Saturday morning about 11.00 am to head for the hotel and settle in, using the facilities which did include a swimming pool the last time. There is a mixture of double, twin and single rooms but best to see if there is someone with whom you can share. The single room has a supplement of £40. To book a place, please send £169, preferably in cash but, if using cheques, please write it out to "RCDM St Michael". The postal address is Saint Michael's, 133 Glenmanor Avenue, Moodiesburn, G69 0DL. You can phone 01236 872537 for further information. We have until 9 June to settle matters with the travel company but a quick response well before that would help greatly.

Ukrainian War Refugee Appeal: We plan to send the fifth lorry of humanitarian aid for the refugees in Nadarzyn in Poland this Thursday after morning Mass. Many thanks for donations of items, and to our volunteers (especially our parishioners over the last two months), who prepared all the goods for transportation.

The Council in Nadarzyn is happy to receive any donations of usable items and will make good use of them all. Items most kindly welcomed are donations of food, toiletries, toys and books for children. At the moment Nadarzyn looks after 3k war refugees, who are being housed in private houses in this small council area. Please see our Parish Facebook and Twitter pages for video interviews, pictures, and updates. We are receiving donations every Friday between 12.00 noon and 5.00 pm in St Bride's Hall. We will have a break during the summer months of July and August. The last Friday for dropping off donations before the holiday break is this Friday, 24 June. Thank you to everyone for all your help and support.

New Diocesan Marriage Counselling Service: The diocese has now established a new Catholic marriage counselling service for couples married within the Church who may be experiencing marital problems. Couples seeking the support of this service are asked to enquire online at <https://marriagefamilylife.org>. Counselling sessions are led by Nadia Brown, a Glasgow-based accredited counsellor, who will meet couples in a room specially set-up at the Diocesan Offices for this purpose.

World Meeting of Families: The Bishops' Conference of Scotland Marriage and Family Group has agreed to ask each diocese to celebrate Holy Mass on Sunday 26 June, either in the Cathedral or an appropriate parish church, to coincide with the celebration in Rome with our Holy Father. Bishop Toal will celebrate the Diocesan Mass for the World Meeting of Families on Sunday 26 June at 3.00 pm in the Cathedral, and families will be invited to be present.

Sunday 6pm Mass: For several years the congregation at this mass has been dropping down. During this year sometimes we only had thirty people present at this mass. Unfortunately, we must cancel this Mass as of 3 July 2022. Parishioners who have been attending this mass are asked to attend another parish Sunday mass. The last parish 6pm Sunday evening Mass will be celebrated on Sunday 26 June 2022. There are also Sunday evening Masses at 4pm in St Vincent's and at 5.15 pm in St Leonard's churches in East Kilbride.

St Vincent de Paul Parish Dance and Social will be held on Friday 24 June from 7.30 pm -11.30 pm. There will be a Disco, raffle, bar. The cost of the ticket is £10. For details and tickets contact Kathleen McCann on 07928051723.

Divine Mercy Image: Thank you to the man who anonymously donated the image of Divine Mercy to our parish. The painting has been finally delivered from the convent of Sister Faustina in Cracow to our Parish.

During the summer months of July and August we will be preparing the Parish bulletin only when there are funeral arrangements, or very important information that must be passed on.

On Friday 24 June at 11.00 am in our Church, the High School community of **St Andrew's and St Bride's** will have Holy Mass.

Congratulations to Carol and her family. Carol was received into the **full communion** with the Catholic Church on Pentecost Sunday at 6.00 pm Mass in our Church.