Bulletin notices and names for the sicklist can be handed in to the chapelhouse or emailed to bulletin@sbek.org. The deadline for receipt of notices each week is Thursday lunchtime.

Website and Twitter: There's lots of information at www.sbek.org about our parish, its clergy, people and history, as well as useful links to the readings of the day, rotas, bulletins and other documents. You can see the most up-to-date news by clicking on the "Twitter" link on the homepage of our website (or go to twitter.com/StBrideEK). You don't have to have a Twitter account to read our messages, but if you like what you see you can "follow" us @StBrideEK to get regular updates.

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

Lorraine Tamburrini, Jo Reilly, Graham White, Ellen Kelly, Ellen Welsh, Lily Halleron, Bernadette Coogans, Alexander Warren, Marjory Hughes, Dan Hughes, Nan Martin, Richard Tamburrini, Chris Cusack, Ann O'Neil, Pat Fullarton, Lorraine O'Donnell, Jack McLaughlin, Mary Hoban, Ann Robb, Rose Drumgold, Cathie Spiers, Betty Murphy, Joseph Gallagher, Robert Moffat, Elizabeth Graham, Jim McFarlane, Robert Williamson, Mairi Louise Carberry, Helen Paynter, Dermot Ryan, Fr Michael O'Leary, Debra Smith, Elizabeth Hunter, Patricia Thomson, Alec Cowan, John Kane, Richard O'Donnell, Harry Sheridan, Jim Thornbury, Sheila Torrance, Alice Nimmo, Peter Dryden, Frank Mellon, Lyndsay McMahon, Iris Fraser, Malcolm Buchanan, Michael McShane, Laura Cunningham, Joe McGhee, Olivia Anderson, Mariella Findlay, Margaret McPhail, Daphne Dowie, Maureen Russell, Albert Di Maio, Mark Di Maio, Derek O'Neil, Josephine Smith, Phil Moran, Betty Moran, Mgr Peter Smith, Peter King, Marie King, Michael Logan, Adriana Sidoti, Matthew Craig, John Muldoon, Baby Aiden McCready, Alastair MacMillan, Nan Cassidy, May Muir, Jean O'Hare, Molly Sheridan, Peter McCormack, GinaTaylor

Recently Dead: Brendan McGhee, Mary Fraser, Marie McLinden, Lorna Welsh (St Leonard's Parish, died in Lourdes).

Anniversary: James Tollan, Ellen and Joe Airlie, Rose Fox

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 14th August 2016



Twentieth Sunday of the Year

Masses

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

Confessions

After Vigil Mass, During the Thursday **Evening Holy Hour (from** 7.00pm) and on request.

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Sunday reflection from the Redemptorists:

Do not lose sight of Jesus.

The path to heaven is likened to a race in which we are to keep our eyes on Jesus our leader. The saints are praying for us to reach the finishing line. With so many cheering us on, how can we fail? We are called never to give up, even when the going is hard. We are bound to suffer for our faith, just as Jeremiah the prophet did, but the Lord will deliver us.

Feasts this Week:

Monday, The Solemnity of the Assumption of the Blessed Virgin Mary (not a Holyday of Obligation this year); *Saturday,* St Bernard.

Coffee Mornings will resume in the Hall after 10.00am Mass on Thursday 25th August.

Care Homes: Mass will be celebrated at 2.00pm on Tuesday 16th August in McKillop Gardens.

Readers for 10.00am Mass this week:

Monday 15th, Frances and Anne McH; Tuesday 16th, Sadie; Wednesday 17th, Sally; Thursday 18th, Christine; Friday 19th, Dan.

RCIA (Rite of Christian Initiation of Adults): Are you interested in becoming a member of the Catholic church, or simply in finding out more about the Catholic faith? Our parish RCIA programme starts late September - please speak to Deacon John if you would like more information.

Permanent Diaconate Programme "Come and See" Enquiry Night: Are you interested in finding out more about the permanent diaconate? Come along to the 'Enquiry Night' without fear of any commitment to take things further. This is simply an informal evening to share information about the permanent diaconate and the present programme of formation leading to ordination as a permanent deacon. Holy Family Parish Centre, Calder Road, Mossend, Tuesday 16th August at 7.30pm. *The permanent diaconate is open to all males over 25 yrs of age.*

The Bereavement Group will meet on Thursday 18 August at 8.00pm in the parish library.

St Andrew's and St Bride's High School: School term begins for all students on Monday 15th August.

St Kenneth's Primary School will re-open on Monday 15th August at 9am for pupils of Primary 2 to 7 and at 9.30am for new Primary 1 pupils. There will be a coffee morning for all parents and especially to welcome our new parents on Wednesday 17th August at 9.15am. We would be delighted to meet as many parents as possible to start off our new term. There will also be a Mass in the school on Friday 26th August at 2.00pm to mark the start of the new term.

St Hilary's Primary: Pupils return on Monday 15th at 9.00am with our new Primary 1 intake starting at 10.00am. Primary 1 begin full time on Monday 22nd August.

Carfin Grotto:

Sunday 14th August at 7.00pm: Torchlight Rosary Procession for the Vigil of the Assumption

Sunday 21st August at 1.30pm: Rosary Procession for Polish Day, followed by Confessions.

Sunday 28th August at 3.00pm: National Grandparents' Pilgrimage Mass, followed by Rosary Procession

Sunday 4th September: National Pilgrimage in the Jubilee Year of Mercy in honour of St Margaret of Scotland, with Mass at 3.00pm and opportunity for Confession from 12 noon. The Parish Church also has a Door of Mercy, so people can fulfil all the conditions to receive the Plenary Indulgence for the Jubilee Year during their Day of Pilgrimage.

Going the extra mile for SCIAF: As part of a week-long cycle round various parishes and schools Alistair Dutton, director of SCIAF is visiting St Brides this Sunday 14th Aug at 6.00pm Mass. After Mass you are welcome to meet him where he will be promoting SCIAF's vision for the next 5 years and sharing stories of how SCIAF have helped families in Africa, Colombia and India. Come and join us in the hall after Mass for teas/coffees and a chat.

FFAMS (Families & Friends Against Murder & Suicide) invites you to walk around Strathclyde Park (or part of the park) on Sunday 11th September from 5.00pm, to raise awareness about the impact of suicide on families and communities. Everyone is welcome - No registration fee, sponsorship or fundraising required.