Club 200: this week's £60 winner is Catherine McPherson.

**Collections:** Last Sunday's collection raised £1507.33 of which £459.50 was Gift-Aided. Thank you for your generosity.

**The Beginning Experience:** are holding a residential weekend for those who find themselves suffering bereavement through divorce, separation or widowhood on 5-7 October at the Conforti Centre Coatbridge. For details contact Catherine on 0131 665 3383 or <a href="mailto:catherinennumather:catherine">catherinannumather:catherinennumath

#### 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.

1st Anniversary: John McShane, Joan Loughrey (Cathcart),

Anniversaries: James McCabe, Charlie and Nora Rooney, Ina Campbell

**Recently Deceased:** Michael Doherty, Lynette Malik, John Grant, Isabella Sweeney, Kevin Connelly, Carolanne O' Donell (Cumbernauld), Cathy O' Brien (Florida).

**Funeral Arrangements** for Michael Doherty **Reception and Requiem Mass** 10.00am. Saturday 8<sup>th</sup> September in St Brides
Church followed by committal at East Kilbride Cemetery.

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 2<sup>nd</sup> September 2018 22<sup>nd</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 **Feasts Days:** *Monday 3 September*, St Gregory; *Saturday 8 September*, Birthday of the Blessed Virgin Mary.

**National Pilgrimage in honour of St John Ogilvie:** will take place this Sunday 2 September at 3pm at the Shrine to Our Lady of Lourdes, Carfin.

**Parish Italian Family Afternoon:** This Sunday 2 September at 12.30pm in the Parish Centre. Dishes will be prepared by Vitale an Italian chef. All families welcome along with children and friends. Buon appetito!

**Third World Group:** the next meeting will take place this Monday 3 September at 7.30pm in the library. New members will be most welcome. Enquiries to Aileen on 01355 228437.

**Traidcraft Stall** resumes at the Thursday coffee morning with new products cards and crafts. Many grocery items are available. Please have a browse. You will find excellent tasty items and inspiring craftwork. By buying you are supporting poor farmers and artisans in the developing world improve their lives and give their families hope for the future. The new Autumn catalogue will be due soon.

**Ladies Phoenix Club:** resumes this Monday 3 September at 1.30pm. All ladies are invited so please come along and enjoy the concert given by Our Lady's Musical Society. Tea/ Coffee £2.00

**"The Catholic App"**: helps you find Mass, Confession, churches, online parish communities and more. It now covers the Diocese of Motherwell. You can download the app for iPhone/iPad or Android smartphones/tablets by searching for "The Catholic App, Musemantik" in the Apple App Store or Google Play. Facebook Page: <a href="www.facebook.com/catholicapp/">www.facebook.com/catholicapp/</a>

**Ecumenical Songs of Praise:** will take place in Our Lady of Lourdes Church this Monday 3 September at 7.30pm. All welcome. There will be a retiral collection for Kilbryde Hospice

**Annual Pilgrimage for Beatification of Venerable Margaret Sinclair:** will take place next Sunday 9 September from 2.00pm till 6.00pm at St Patrick's Church Cowgate Edinburgh. Holy Mass at 4.30pm.

**Pilgrimage to Dublin:** The 3 day pilgrimage was a great success for all pilgrims from St Brides, and all who joined us from other parishes. The Mass in Phoenix Park with Pope Francis was uplifting in spite of the inclement weather and the walk to and from the Coach Park. Heartfelt thanks to Marion Greenan for organising and leading us with Deacon John over the 3 days. Deo Gratias!

**Mary's Meals Day, Scotland:** will take place next Sunday 9 September at Glasgow Royal Concert Hall. Doors open at 12.45pm and programme starts at 2pm. To reserve free places, please visit:

www.marysmeals.org.uk/MarysMealsDay or call 08006981212.

**Diocesan Mass:** Wednesday 19 September at 7pm in Motherwell Cathedral to which all couples celebrating significant wedding anniversaries are invited to participate and renew marriage vows.. If you wish to attend, please speak with either Fr Rafal or Deacon John.

The Mariposa Trust: supports people who have lost babies at any stage of pregnancy, at birth, or in infancy. The charity offers a comprehensive package of befriending and support. The trust is holding one of its **Saying Goodbye** services **22 September, at 11am in Glasgow Cathedral**. This is open to anyone who has either personally lost a baby at any stage of pregnancy, at birth or in early years, or who has been affected by a family member's or friend's loss. The service also welcomes anyone who is grieving the fact that they have not been able to have children. Babies and children are also invited to come with their family, as the Saying Goodbye service is truly a family event for all.

**South Parish's 60th Anniversary Concert:** The South Parish will mark its 60<sup>th</sup> anniversary with a concert by the local singing group **'Octave'** on **Saturday, 29 September at 7.30pm**. Tickets will include refreshments and cost £10. Proceeds will be split between the church and Alzheimer Scotland. Please contact Barrie Crawford for tickets: (email: <a href="mailto:acrawford27@btinternet.com/">acrawford27@btinternet.com/</a> phone: 01355 239850 or 07505 870112).

### For Our Children and Young People

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

**Welcoming Mass for new school term** will be celebrated at St. Hilary's on Monday 3 September at 2.00pm and at St Kenneth's on Friday 7 September at 2.00pm

**Children's Liturgy:** there will be a meeting of Children's Liturgy leaders this Wednesday 5 September at 7pm in the Guild Room to plan the programme for the 2018-19 session. Anyone interested in becoming a leader is also invited to attend.

**Information Evening / Parental Workshop for S5/S6 pupils from the High School:** These will be held in school on Thursday 6<sup>th</sup> September from 7.00 till 9.00pm approx.