

Gdansk 2018: Between 4 and 11 June 2018 our parishioners will go for a pilgrimage to Gdansk in Poland. Our next and final meeting will be held in our parish this Sunday 6 May at 2pm. We will update you on some changes to the itinerary. Another deposit of £200 or £300 will be required.

Sponsored cycle Run at Millport. Sponsor forms for cyclists or walkers with full details on reverse available at back of church; also sponsor forms for Fr Rafal. Please enter your names on the bus list with phone number. Proceeds are for Sr Eleanor Gibson towards the support & education of street children in Nairobi Kenya. Not only is it a great day out it is one of your Third World Group's main fundraising events now its 35th year! We depend on your support and generosity as ever.

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

Charlie Logan (Sandyhills), May Rae (Old Parish Church), Ben Carmichael, John McGinley, Arthur McHugh, Kenneth McNish (London), Daphne Dowie, Lennox McDonald Walker (Edinburgh, aged 10), Ruby McLean, Eamonn Campbell, David Scott, Ann Devlin, Joseph Malone, Tess Murray, Tom O'Brien, Joan Robson, Margaret Robertson, Claire Fox (Coatbridge), Eddie O'Neil, Robert Dunlop (OLOL), Andy Dunn, Cathy Kelly, Maureen Watson, Eileen Biggins, Cath Despard, Michael Todd, Kathleen Rourke, Ann Dillon, Christy Joyce (Dublin), Joseph Gallacher, Chiv Brown, Colum Maguire, Rosey McGeady, Clive Murdoch, Tom Fahey, Tomas McFarlane, Agnes Dowling, Mary Hoban, Liz Gallagher, Bernadette Coogans, Frank Coogans, Lily Halleron, Nan Martin, Cathy Clark, Ann O'Neil, Rosina 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, John McAdams, Jim McFarlane, Tricia Miller.

Birthday Remembrance: George MacLellan.

Recently Deceased: Geraldine Ramsden, Cathriona MackNess (Buchanan).

Anniversaries: Steven Boyle, Sarah Coyle, Antonio DeVito, Anthony Dillon, Margaret Dillon, Eddie Meighan, Sheena Park.

Funeral Arrangements for R.I.P. Elizabeth Gallagher: Body Reception at 6pm on Thursday 10 May. Requiem Mass on Friday 11 May at 10am then internment at Philipshill Cemetery at 11.15am.

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

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6th Sunday of Easter B Sunday 6th May 2018



Masses

Monday-Saturday 10am

Saturday 6pm Vigil

Sunday 9.30am, 11.30am

& 6pm

Holy Hour

Thursday 7pm

Confessions

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

Holy Day of Obligation: *Thursday 10 May* is the Solemnity of The Ascension.

- Vigil Mass in our church at 7.30pm on Wednesday 9 May.
- Mass in our Church at 10am for our parishioners and High School pupils. The coffee morning will be on in the Parish Centre as usual.
- Mass in our Church at 12.40pm for our High School pupils.
- Mass in St Kenneth's Primary at 2pm.

Faith Sharing Group: will meet this Sunday at 3pm in the Hall.

Care Home: Mass at Cathkin care home on Monday 7 May at 2pm.

Parish Lunch: Thursday 24 May in the Parish Centre. The cost of the buffet lunch is £5. Everyone is welcome and names will be taken at the coffee morning.

Legion of Mary: The 10am Mass will be offered for the beatification of the venerable Edel Quinn on Friday 11th May.

Readers' Rota 10am Mass Mon-Fri: The latest rota (9 May – 14 June) is displayed on the noticeboards at the back of the church and in the sacristy, and on the website.

Collections: Last Sunday's collection raised £1622.34 for our parish, of which £562.50 was Gift-Aided. Thank you for your generosity. This Sunday we have a special collection for our renovation fund.

World Communication Day is next Sunday. There will be a special collection.

Club 200: this week's £60 winner is **Brenda Phimister**. Please collect your prize.

Feast of Our Lady of Fatima: To celebrate the Feast of Our Lady of Fatima, which takes place on a Sunday this year, there will be Holy Mass, a Rosary Procession, concluding with Benediction, in Carfin Grotto (weather permitting) and St Francis Xavier's Church next Sunday, 13 May at 7.30 pm.

90th Anniversary of the Legion of Mary: Mass will take place on Pentecost Sunday, 20 May at 3pm and the Principal Celebrant will be Archbishop Philip Tartaglia. This will be followed by a Rosary Procession in the Grotto at 5pm.

St Bride's Pens: You may wish to get a good quality pen with the name of our church engraved on it. Available at the back of the church.

Diocesan Corpus Christi Procession: will take place in Carfin Grotto on Sunday 3 June at 3pm. Clergy wishing to take part are asked to bring an Alb and stole. This is also an excellent opportunity for those children who made their First Communion this year to come along in their First Communion outfits to join with other children from the Diocese.

SCIAF Fun Run: Deacon John is running a 6K for SCIAF on 2nd June. Every little bit helps. <https://www.justgiving.com/fundraising/johnmcgarry>

Kilbryde Hospice: Margaret Mary Cowan and her husband Alan are walking 120kms of El Camino de Santiago for Kilbryde Hospice in mid-June 2018. If anyone would like to sponsor them you can do so using the sponsor form at the back of the church or at Coffee Morning on Thursdays. Sponsorship can also be made at <https://www.justgiving.com/fundraising/margaret-mary-cowan3>

Choral Classics for a Spring Evening. Motherwell Diocesan Choir will perform on Wednesday 16 May at 7.30 pm in Motherwell Cathedral. A coach has been arranged to and from Motherwell. All proceeds will go to Mary's Meals and St Andrew's Hospice. Tickets and further information are available from Margaret Hendry (Tel: 231751) and Marion Greenan (223088). Suggested donation is £5.

Stall: 1st Holy Communion cards, rosary beads etc. are available at the stall.

Church Fence: On Monday 7th May after the morning Mass we are going to repaint the fence next to the church, which is in a very bad condition. Volunteers wishing to help repainting the fence are welcome.

For Our Children and Young People

Mass in the High School: School Oratory; 8.20am on Friday.

National Catholic Schools' Mass: will be celebrated in Falkirk Stadium at 1pm on Thursday 14 June 2018. This Mass is the highlight of our calendar of events to mark the centenary of the 1918 Education (Scotland) Act.

Quiz Night – 11May: St Andrew's & St Bride's High School will be hosting a Quiz night to raise funds for our sports teams. £5 per person/teams max of 8. Bar and raffle on the night. There will also be an Auction for signed Celtic, Rangers and Scotland strips. Venue: St Bride's Pastoral Centre. Doors open at 7pm. Quiz starts at 7.30pm. To guarantee a place call the school on 01355 574110 or email office@st-a-and-st-b.s-lanark.sch.uk

Children's Liturgy: There is no Children's Liturgy this Sunday as it is a holiday weekend. There is a Family Mass with Young Readers next Sunday, 13 May.

First Communion: this year P4 pupils from St. Kenneth's Primary will receive First Holy Communion on two Saturdays - 12th and 19th May in our Church at 10am.

Baptismal Congratulations to Rebecca and Graham Meek whose son Finn will be baptised this Sunday at 1pm.