

# ST COLUMBKILLE'S CHURCH

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## CLERGY

Fr Bernard Mournian (Parish Priest) Fr Pat Hennessy (In Residence)

Rev. Michael Ross (Deacon)



## **3<sup>RD</sup> SUNDAY OF EASTER (YEAR A)**

**22<sup>ND</sup>/23<sup>RD</sup> APRIL 2023**

### HOLY MASS

**Mon - Fri:-** 10am, (Rosary, 10.30am), 1pm

**Saturday:-** 10am, 4pm (Vigil)

**Sunday:-** 9am; 10.30am (Children's Liturgy);  
12 noon, 4pm

### FUNERAL MASSES THIS WEEK

**DIVINE MERCY HOLY HOUR:-** Friday, 3pm

**CONFESSIONS:-** Mon-Sat 9.30-9.55am, Sat 3.30pm

**EUCCHARISTIC ADORATION:-** Mon-Sat, 9.30-9.55am

**BAPTISMS:-** To arrange a baptism please contact the Church Office.

### **Baptismal Preparation Course:-**

Wednesday 26<sup>th</sup> April, 7.30pm

Parents/Guardians who are getting children baptised in May are invited to attend.

**HALL CAFÉ:-** Open Tues, Thur, Sat, Sun:- 9am-12noon  
**Closed - Sunday 23<sup>rd</sup> April, sorry for the inconvenience.**

**WELFARE CLINIC:-** Saturday 6<sup>th</sup> May, 10.30-12.30

We are updating our **Parish Records**. Please take time to complete the pro-formas on the pews and return to the box at the back of the church.

**Gift Aid Envelopes** for 2023-2024 are available at the back of the Church for current members of the Gift Aid Scheme.

### WEEKLY DONATIONS

Please support your parish through the weekly collection. Contributions can be made in the form of a standing order or online donation through our website, using these bank details.

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**\*\*\*Filling out our Gift Aid form will allow us to claim an extra 25% of your donation from the taxman, at no cost to yourself**

### Please pray for the following:-

**Sick:-** Delia Gallagher, Christine Allison, Tony Quigley, John Barron, Joseph Pelosi, Frank Duffy, Patrick Roarty, Angela Dockerty, Mary Kelly, John McQueeny, Jane McNally, Andrew Cochran, Mark Gallagher, Kathleen McCabe, June Healy, Frank Gallagher, Patrick Roarty, Janet Johnstone, Baby Jude Wilson, Sienna Coleman, Jean McLaughlin, Marie Rodgers

**Recently deceased:-** Stevie Allen, Philip Reilly, Emily McAllister (nee Carter), Grace McGinley, John McCabe, Kathleen Duff, Nellie Rooney, Peter Clark, Helen Frinkiton, Janet Zisco, Stephen Cameron

**Anniversaries:-** David Milligan, Brian McLaughlin, Maeve McClenaghan (nee Sweeney)

**Bereavement Buddies** pray for the bereaved every day and we are here to listen. If you wish to contact us, please get in touch using the church contact details.

**Birthday Blessings:-** Lily Wilmott

**Weddings:-** Stephen and Suzanne Welsh

**Baptisms:-** Anya Rose Murray, Fiadh McNamara

**Sanctuary Flowers:-** Dorothy O'Hara, Mary Rafferty, Fay Paterson, Peter and Bridie Burke, Mary and John McLaughlin, Rita Cassidy, Marie Kelly, Stephen Kelly, David Milligan and Eileen Nugent.

**Weekly collection ~ £2432**  
**Thank you for your generosity**

### UNION OF CATHOLIC MOTHERS

Triennial Rally, Sunday 30<sup>th</sup> April, Motherwell Cathedral, Rally begins at 2pm, Mass at 3pm. Tickets £5, Dinner £10. For more details please contact Evelyn Kearney on 562-4367.

## REGINA CAELI PRAYER

During the season of Easter, from Easter Sunday until Pentecost, the Regina Caeli prayer takes the place of the traditional thrice daily recitation of the Angelus. Tradition says that St Gregory the Great heard angels chanting the first three lines one Easter morning and was inspired to add the fourth line.



*V. Queen of Heaven, rejoice. Alleluia.*

**R. For He whom you did merit to bear, Alleluia.**

*V. Has Risen as He said. Alleluia.*

**R. Pray for us to God. Alleluia.**

*V. Rejoice and be glad, O Virgin Mary. Alleluia.*

**R. For the Lord is truly risen. Alleluia.**

Let us pray.

O God, who gave joy to the whole world through the Resurrection of thy Son, Our Lord Jesus Christ grant we beseech thee that through the intercession of the Virgin Mary, His Mother, we may obtain the joys of eternal life, through the same Christ our Lord.

Amen.

## MAY DEVOTIONS

May Devotions will begin on Monday 1<sup>st</sup> May at 7pm and for all subsequent Monday's during May. We will recite the Rosary followed by Solemn Benediction. The final Monday in May there will be a torchlight procession.

## LOURDES PILGRIMAGE

On Monday 1<sup>st</sup> May, after May Devotions, there will be a meeting in the Parish Office for all the young adults who are going to Lourdes on 6<sup>th</sup> May. Travel packs will be given out at this meeting. If there are any prayer intentions you would like them to take to Lourdes, please fill out the slips of paper at the back of the church and put in the box provided. These will be taken to Lourdes and left at the grotto.

## BEREAVEMENT BUDDIES

Our next meeting is in the Church Hall, Thursday 4<sup>th</sup> May 10.45am-11.45am. You are most welcome.

## MEN'S RETREAT

Our next retreat will be in the church hall on Saturday 29<sup>th</sup> April after 10am Mass. Our speaker will be Fr Ross Campbell with a talk titled **'Truth, What Is That? A Catholic Response to Relativism.'**

## SPONSORED WALK 2023

Our Sponsored Walk this year will take place on Saturday 13<sup>th</sup> May, the feast of Our Lady of Fatima. This will be a family event and everyone is invited to join us. We will gather for 10am Mass then we will go for our walk around Overtoun Park, followed by recitation of the Rosary. There will be refreshments back at the hall, **after** we complete our walk! Entry fee is £5/person with all money raised going towards the Building Fund. Please sign up at the back of the church on the sheet provided. Place your £5 entry with your name and place it in any of the boxes of at the back of the church, sponsorship forms are at the back of the church. All donations will be topped up by 15%.

## LEGION OF MARY

Our parish group are organising a bus for Carfin Grotto on the 13<sup>th</sup> of each month, from May till October. There will be Rosary Procession, Mass, Adoration and Benediction, 7.30pm-9.15pm. If you would like to attend please sign up at the back of the church. For more details contact Theresa on 07794 858 871 or Cath on 07734 484 321

## ROME PILGRIMAGE

There will be a meeting for all those going the Parish Pilgrimage to Rome/Assisi in the Church Hall on Monday 15<sup>th</sup> May after May devotions.

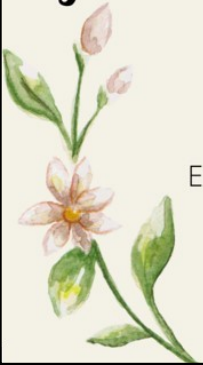
## SPUC:-CALL TO ACTION

SPUC are asking for your help with 2 of their current campaigns - Don't Criminalise Compassion and Lives Worth Living. Please consider contacting your MSP to let them know your views and to ask them to vote against these draconian and regressive legislations regarding abortion and assisted suicide. There is literature regarding both campaigns at the back of the church.

## EVENING OF IRISH CULTURE

Please join us to celebrate an evening of Irish Culture with St Roch's 'Wee' Ceili Band and Irish step dancing from the Coyle School on Saturday 13<sup>th</sup> May, 7.30-9.30pm in the church hall. Tickets are available from the parish stall or the hall, priced at £5 each.

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