## ST COLUMBKILLE'S CHURCH

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#### CLERGY

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

Rev. Michael Ross (Deacon)

# PALM SUNDAY (YEAR A) 1<sup>ST</sup>/2<sup>ND</sup> APRIL 2023

#### **HOLY WEEK SERVICES**

Holy Monday: - Mass - 7am, 10am 1pm

REQUIEM ~ 10am Lena Tortalani, R.I.P.

Rosary ~10.30am

Confessions ~ 9.30~9.55am, 7~7.30pm

Stations of the Cross ~ 7pm

Holy Tuesday: - Mass - 10am, 1pm

Rosary ~10.30am

Confessions - 9.30-9.55am

Confessions and Adoration ~ 7~8pm

Spy Wednesday: - Mass - 10am, 1pm

Rosary ~10.30am

Confessions ~ 9.30~9.55am

Holy Thursday: - Morning Prayer - 9.45am

Church Cleaning ~ 10.20am Mass of the Lord's Supper ~ 7pm

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Good Friday: - Morning Prayer - 10am

Rosary ~ 10.30am

The Lord's Passion and Kissing of the Cross - 12noon (for children), 3pm, 7pm

Holy Saturday: - Morning Prayer - 10am

Rosary ~ 10.30am Easter Vigil ~ 8.30pm

Easter Sunday: - 9am; 10.30am; 12noon

\*\*\*PLEASE NOTE THERE IS NO 4PM MASS ON EASTER
SUNDAY\*\*\*

#### 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.

Sort Code: 83-26-24 Account No: 00255006

\*\*\*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:- Patrick Roarty, Angela Dockerty, Mary Kelly, John McQueeny, Jane McNally, Andrew Cochran, Mark Gallagher, Kathleen McCabe, June Healy, Frank Gallagher, Margaret McBeth, Patrick Roarty, Janet Johnstone, Baby Jude Wilson, Sienna Coleman, Jean McLaughlin, Marie Rodgers

Recently deceased: Christopher John Knotts Freeburn, John Crawford, Michael Joyce, Fr Tony Walsh, Daniel Kane, Betty Lafferty, Mary Murphy, Isa Wilson, Mary Murphy, Helen Sweeney, Lena Tortolani, M Tortinalli, Francis Morton, Anne Gallagher, Susan McCue, George Cosker, John Canning, Elizabeth Lafferty, Leticia Banks, Elzbieta Ewa Brzezinska

Anniversaries: Elaine Harvey, Patricia Plommer, Albert Allison, John Farrell Donnelly, Thomas McColl, Edward McFadyen, Grace McFadden, Lucia Maria Chambers, Michaek D'Arcy, Jim Fitzpatrick

**Birthday Blessings:** Rose Wilson, Fr Bernard Mournian, John Donnelly

Baptisms: ~ Carlin Martin O'Hanrahan

Sanctuary Flowers: Dorothy O'Hara, Mary Rafferty, Fay Paterson

Weekly collection ~ £1916 Building Fund ~ £309,000 Thank you for your generosity

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.

**Easter Collection** envelopes are available at the back of the church.

**300 Club:-** March winner is Margaret McBeth (104). Next draw:-23rd April

#### **EASTER TRIDUUM**

Triduum comes from the Latin word meaning 'three days,' and encompasses the three most sacred days in our Church's year. It begins at sundown on Holy Thursday, reaches a high point at the Easter Vigil and concludes on Easter Sunday. The liturgies are one continuous celebration commemorating the passion, death and resurrection of Jesus. Catholics are encouraged to observe the entire Triduum by attending all of the liturgies.

#### DISTRIBUTION OF PALMS

We kindly ask that you only take 1 palm per household so there are enough palms for everyone. All the palms have been blessed prior to distribution. As palms are blessed, they cannot be thrown away like rubbish but should be burned.

**EASTER FLOWERS:** To sponsor the flowers on the sanctuary for the Holy Season of Easter please fill out a form, which can be found at the back of the church and place in the green box in the stall. Names of sponsors will be printed in the bulletin for the Easter Season.

#### YOUNG ADULTS GROUP

Our series of Lenten talks has now finished, thank you to all our speakers, in particular to Professor Carruthers who gave our final talk on Tuesday night, which was open to all our parishioners, young and old! It was great to see so many of you there. Thank you to Ann, Moira and Gina for their catering and home baking throughout the whole series of talks. We look forward to the next series of talks.

#### PILGRIMAGE TO LOURDES

For our young people who are attending our pilgrimage to Lourdes, your itineraries are ready and can be collected from Fr Mournian. You must provide proof of travel insurance and a valid passport, please send these to Fr Mournian and any monies which have still be paid are due now.

**RECONCILIATION:** Congratulations to the children from St Columbkille's Primary School who received the sacrament of Reconciliation this week.

#### HALL CAFÉ

Café closed Thursday 6<sup>th</sup>, Saturday 8<sup>th</sup> and Sunday 9<sup>th</sup> April, reopening on Tuesday 11<sup>th</sup> April. Wishing all our customers a Happy and Holy Easter.

#### FR MOURNIAN'S BIRTHDAY

We would like to take this opportunity, on behalf of the parish to wish Fr Mournian a very Happy and Blessed Birthday on Wednesday of this week and to thank him for all that he does for the benefit of our parish. He works so hard for the parish and we are blessed to have him. We hope you get a chance to put your feet up and relax!

#### 1<sup>ST</sup> TUESDAY CLUB

The 1st Tuesday Club will celebrate their 9th Anniversary with a party on Tuesday 4th April from 1.30-3.30pm! We provide live music and refreshments. Contact Pat (07841-631378).

#### CHILDREN'S LITURGY

There will be no Children's Liturgy over the Easter Holidays, we will return on Sunday 23<sup>rd</sup> April. There is a children's service on Good Friday at 12 noon.

#### **DIVINE MERCY SUNDAY**

Divine Mercy Sunday is celebrated the Sunday after Easter Sunday. Jesus promised that "the soul that will go to confession in preparation for this day and receive Holy Communion shall obtain complete forgiveness of sins and punishment". The Chaplet of Divine Mercy should be recited daily from Good Friday to Divine Mercy Sunday. We will recite the Divine Mercy Chaplet at 3pm in the church, concluding with Solemn Benediction, there will be the opportunity for Confession. Sunday Mass is at 4pm.

#### SPONSORED WALK 2023

Our Sponsored Walk this year will take place on 13<sup>th</sup> May in Overton Park, Rutherglen, more details to follow. You are all invited to join us! There are slips on the pews if you would like to sponsor our clergy or if you would like your own sponsor form please speak to the church office. All donations will be topped up by 15%.

**WELFARE GROUP:** are in need of a laptop for their valuable work in the community. Please contact Fr Mournian if you can help.

**BEREAVEMENT BUDDIES:**~10.45~11.45am Tuesday 4<sup>th</sup> April in the hall cafe. We are here to listen. You are very welcome.

## Funeral Purveys available from St. Columbkilles Hall

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