

# ST COLUMBKILLE'S CHURCH

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## CLERGY

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

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## **19TH SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME (YEAR A)**

**12<sup>TH</sup>/13<sup>TH</sup> AUGUST 2023**

### HOLY MASS

Mon - Fri:- 10am, (Rosary, 10.30am)

**TUESDAY 15<sup>TH</sup>**

**\*\*\*THE ASSUMPTION OF THE BLESSED VIRGIN MARY\*\*\***

**Mass Times:-** Vigil (Mon), 7pm, 10am, 1pm and 7pm

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

**Sunday:-** 9am; 10.30am;

12 noon, 4pm

### FUNERAL MASSES THIS WEEK

Friday 18<sup>th</sup> August, 10am - *Thomas Keegan R.I.P.*

**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 30<sup>th</sup> August, 7.00pm

This is for all parents/guardians who are presenting their child for baptism in September.

**HALL CAFÉ:-** Open Tues, Thur, Sat, Sun:- 9am-12noon .

**Closed Thurs 17<sup>th</sup>, Sat 19<sup>th</sup> and Sun 20<sup>th</sup> August**

**WELFARE CLINIC:-** Saturday 19<sup>th</sup> August, 10.30-12.30

**Contact us:-** [welfare.stcolumbkilles@gmail.com](mailto:welfare.stcolumbkilles@gmail.com)

### 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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### Please pray for the following:-

**Sick:-** Allan Sharp, Dr Richard Fox, Hugh Bryceland, Colette Gallagher, Lorraine Pollock, Lewis Patrick, Mary McCullagh, Angela Doherty, Jacqueline McGeown, Stephen O'Donnell, Mary Lachlan, Delia Gallagher, Frank McManus, James McGill, Bob Kerr

**Recently deceased:-** Mary Toal, Anne Fox, Bernard Rooney, John Cullen, Martin Fitzpatrick, Brendan Shiels, Anne McIntyre, Anna McKeown, Moira Britton, John Holmes, Gertie O'Neill, Peter Devlin, Thomas Keegan, Margaret Friel

**Anniversaries:-** Bennie McCormick, Nora Dillon, Una Sillars, Ellen Coyle, Pauline Fitzpatrick, Jean Ward, Margaret McLaughlin, Kathleen Milligan, Brendan Doogan, Francis Doogan, Shiela O'Brien, Pauline Jane Donatello, Catherine Carroll, Thomas Anderson, Margaret Anderson, Mark Melville, Frank McKenna

**Month's Mind:-** Frank Duffy

**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:-** Maureen McNamara, Hilary Sharkey

**Sanctuary Flowers:-** Kathleen and John Milligan, Paul James O'Donnell, Fay Paterson, James and Bridget McGovern, Ryan McLaughlan

To sponsor the flowers for the sanctuary for August please fill out a form, which can be found at the back of the church. Flowers can be sponsored in honour of a loved one and the names printed in the bulletin for the month of August.

**Weekly collection - £1980**

**Thank you for your generosity**

### **ASSUMPTION OF THE BLESSED VIRGIN MARY**

Tuesday 15<sup>th</sup> August is the Solemnity of the Assumption of the Blessed Virgin Mary and is a Holy Day of Obligation, Mass times for this feast day are given on the front of the bulletin.

The Assumption of the Blessed Virgin Mary is one of the four Marian dogmas of the Catholic Church. Pope Pius XII defined it on 1 November 1950 in his apostolic constitution *Munificentissimus Deus* as follows:

*We proclaim and define it to be a dogma revealed by God that the immaculate Mother of God, Mary ever virgin, when the course of her earthly life was finished, was taken up body and soul into the glory of heaven.*

### **GROUNDWORKS PROJECT UPDATE**

While the building work is ongoing please follow the designated routes to access the Church safely during the work. **Please DO NOT access the church via the grass.** Our Sponsor a Paver fundraiser is still ongoing, application packs are available from the stall. **The church can now be accessed from the side door.**

### **CHILDREN'S LITURGY**

The Children's Liturgy will start back up again at 10.30am Mass on Sunday 20<sup>th</sup> August. Children in P1-P4 are welcome to attend. The Children's Liturgy Group would welcome new helpers. The commitment is one in every four Sundays at the 10.30am Mass, during the school session. No experience is required. If you are able to help please give your name to one of the stewards who will pass on your name to the group.

### **FAMILY RACE NIGHT**

Tickets for our Family Race Night on Friday 25<sup>th</sup> August are now available to buy from the hall and the stall, priced at £5 each which includes tea/coffee and a hot roll.

### **BOOK CLUB**

Our new book club will begin after 10am Mass on Sat 9<sup>th</sup> September in the conference room in the hall. All welcome to join us! Thereafter we will meet on the 2<sup>nd</sup> Saturday of the month.

### **HALL CAFÉ**

The hall café will be closed on the following dates:- Thurs 17<sup>th</sup>, Sat 19<sup>th</sup> and Sun 20<sup>th</sup> August.

### **CLASSROOMS FOR MALAWI FUNDRAISER**

Classrooms For Malawi are hosting an afternoon tea fundraiser to raise funds to complete the kitchen at Bright Future Nursery, Malawi on Wednesday 30<sup>th</sup> August, 1pm - 4.30 pm in the church hall. Bakes by Erin will provide the afternoon tea and the entertainment will be provided by Frankie Farrell. Prosecco on arrival. Tickets: £15 available from the hall cafe or [info@classroomsformalawi.org](mailto:info@classroomsformalawi.org)

### **LEGION OF MARY**

Legion of Mary are hoping to recruit new members. We are a Spiritual Ministry visiting the sick and elderly and are also involved in the local primary school. If you have the time why not join us we would love to meet you everyone welcome. For more information speak to one of our clergy or Cath Foley 07734484321.

### **SVDP FOODBANK**

The Food Bank is running low on all items and **urgently** request the following :  
tins of soup, tuna, meatballs, vegetables, meat, potatoes and fruit, toilet rolls, small bottles of juice and cartons of long life milk. As a treat to our families - biscuits and crisps  
Thank you for all your continued generosity and support to help our local families.

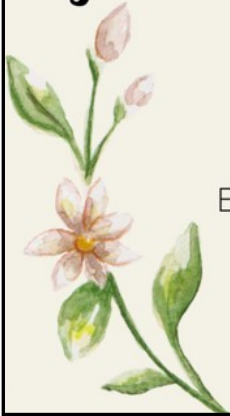
### **THE BEGINNING EXPERIENCE**

The Beginning Experience are holding a weekend for those who find themselves suffering bereavement through divorce, separation or widowhood from 29<sup>th</sup> September - 1<sup>st</sup> October at the Conforti Centre, Coatbridge. For details contact Louise on 07926 571 004 or email: [louisep398@gmail.com](mailto:louisep398@gmail.com)

### **ENQUIRY EVENING - RCIA**

There will be an Enquiry Evening in the Parish House on Tues 12<sup>th</sup> September, 6.30pm for those interested in the Catholic Faith and the Rite of Christian Initiation of Adults. The course is also open to those who are Baptised and wish to receive the Sacraments of Reconciliation, First Communion and Confirmation or for Catholics who wish to learn more about their Faith. Meetings are on Tuesdays, 6.30pm in the Church House, September - May 2024. All materials provided. For more info contact Chris Hughes: 07846 112 407

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