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CLERGY

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Rev. Michael Ross (Deacon)



24TH SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME (YEAR A)

16TH/17TH SEPTEMBER 2023

HOLY MASS

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

Saturday:- 10am, 4pm (Vigil)

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

*****NO CHILDREN'S LITURGY - 24TH SEPTEMBER*****

FUNERAL MASSES THIS WEEK

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 27th September, 7pm.

Parents who wish their child to be baptised in October are required to attend.

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

WELFARE CLINIC:-Saturday 30th Sep, 10.30-12.30

Contact us:- welfare.stcolumbkilles@gmail.com

*****POLITE NOTICE:-** Please observe a quiet prayerful atmosphere in church prior to Mass. And after Mass please conduct conversations outside where possible.

WEEKLY DONATIONS

Please support your parish, donations can be made through our website, using the bank details below or by scanning the QR code.

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Please pray for the following:-

Sick:- Mary McCullagh, Mary O'Hara, Josephine Curley, Christine Allison, Liam Haggerty, Dr Richard Fox, Allan Sharp, Hugh Bryceland, Colette Gallagher, Lorraine Pollock, Lewis Patrick

Recently deceased:- Anne Marie Loughran, Sally Dolan, Maureen Duffy, Maurice Coll, John Jones, Neil Gallagher, Andrew Milligan, Patrick McAuley, Sally McGettigan, Ann Millward, Philip Foye, Ellen McGarvie, Lewis Burnside, Margaret Ennis, Maureen Duffy, John Lamont, Alison Scott, Cormac O'Hara.

Anniversaries:- Rosaleen Mournian, Dr Desmond Quigley, Antoinette Cosgrove, Thomas Kennedy, Sam Gallagher, John Paul O'Hare (Quinn), James Patrick Lennon, Mary Kinnear, Sam Miller

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:- Josephine Bonner

Sanctuary Flowers:- Rosaleen Mournian, St Therese, Marian and Danny Campbell, James and Mary Shields, William and Jean Quinn, Willie and Myra Cameron, Bill and Cathryn Webster, Sam Gallagher

To sponsor the flowers on the sanctuary for September please fill out a form at the back of the church. Flowers can be sponsored in honour of a loved one and the names printed in the bulletin. Certificates are available if the sponsorship is a gift for someone. Please ask at the office.

Weekly collection - £1846

Ecclesiastical Students - £1325

Thank you for your generosity

1PM MASS AND DIVINE MERCY

Our week day 1pm Mass, and Divine Mercy devotion will return on Monday 2nd October. This is to facilitate the smooth running of the groundworks project.

GROUNDWORKS PROJECT UPDATE

While the building work is ongoing please follow the designated routes to access the Church safely. Thank you for your patience.

RCIA

We had a fantastic response to our Enquiry Evening on Tuesday for those who are interested in the Catholic Faith and the Rite of Christian Initiation of Adults; thank you to everyone who came along. If you would like to learn more about RCIA it's not too late, please do join us for our meetings on Tuesdays, 6.30pm in the Church House, you will be made most welcome. All materials provided. For more info contact Chris Hughes: 07846 112 407.

BULLETIN BY EMAIL

Many of you recently signed up to receive the bulletin by email therefore we would kindly ask you to leave the printed copies of the bulletin for those parishioners who rely on this format. This will reduce paper usage for the parish.

To receive the bulletin by email please sign up via the online form on our website or by using this QR code.



CATECHESIS OF THE GOOD SHEPHERD

Our catechetical program will re-commence on Sunday 17th September, 11.45am-12.30pm. This program is for children aged 3-6years. If you would like to enrol your child or for more information please speak to Deacon Michael.

MEN'S GROUP

The next meeting will be Saturday 30th September which will begin with 10am Mass followed by a talk from Michael McGrath entitled 'Appreciating the Gift of Scripture.'

YOUNG ADULTS GROUP

Our Young Adults Group will resume on Tuesday 3rd October. We have a fantastic series of talks lined up for you! If you are aged 16-35 you are most welcome to attend. Please speak to Fr Mournian about joining the group.

SOCIAL COMMITTEE

The Social Committee will meet Sunday 1st October, 1.45pm in the Hall Café. Please have any suggestions returned to the suggestion box before this date. Thank you.

PARISH YOUTH GROUP

A new and exciting opportunity for the young people of our parish! Fr Mournian is looking to start a youth group for children from P4-P7. There will be a meeting on Monday 16th October, 7.45pm, in the meeting room of the church for anyone who is interested in helping set this up. We are looking for both parent and parish volunteers, a great opportunity for Caritas students and student teachers. Without your help this cannot go ahead.

CALL TO ACTION ~ ABORTION BUFFER ZONES

This Bill will be debated soon in Holyrood which will ban prayer around abortion clinics, a massive attack on religious freedoms and removes a lifeline for women who feel they have no other choice than abortion. Please contact your MSP to make your views known. Please visit www.spuc.org.uk/nobufferzonesScotland to access an email template.

GAELIC LEAGUE GLASGOW

The Gaelic League Glasgow's Children's group is on Sunday 17th September, 12.30-2.15pm in the church hall. A great chance for primary school age children to have lots of fun, meet new friends, & learn some Irish (Gaeilge) through drama, music, art, dance, games and sport!

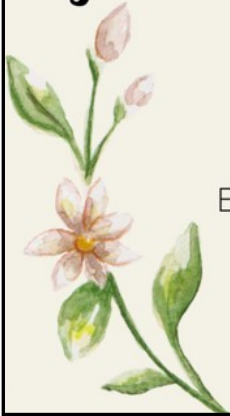
BOOK CLUB

We had a great turnout at our inaugural meeting of the Book Club. The book we are reading is called 'Orphans of the Storm' by Celia Imrie. Our next meeting will be Saturday 14th October after 10am Mass, in the meeting room of the church hall.

TESS SMYTH TRIBUTE DANCE

Tess Smyth Tribute Dance in aid of the Prince and Princess of Wales Hospice on Saturday 7th October in Christ the King Church Hall, 7.30-midnight. Tickets, £10 from Clare Cannon 07768632209

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