# ST COLUMBKILLE'S CHURCH

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#### **CLERGY**

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Rev. Michael Ross (Deacon)



## 5<sup>TH</sup> SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME (YEAR B) 3<sup>RD</sup>/4<sup>TH</sup> FEBRUARY 2024

#### **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 **EUCHARISTIC ADORATION:**~ Mon~Sat 9.30~9.55am

**BAPTISMS:**~ For baptisms please contact Church Office \*\*\*Baptisms are held on the first and last Sunday of every month at either 10.30am or 12noon Mass

#### Baptismal Preparation Course:~

Wednesday 28<sup>th</sup> February 2024, 7pm, in the church. Parents who wish their child to be baptised in March are required to attend.

HALL CAFÉ: Open Tues, Thur, Sat, Sun: 9am-12noon. The Hall Café will be closed on the following dates: 10th, 17th, 18th, 24th and 25th February

**WELFARE CLINIC:**-Saturday 17<sup>th</sup> February, 10.30~12.30 **Contact us:**- welfare.stcolumbkilles@gmail.com

### WEEKLY DONATIONS

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

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: Maureen Monaghan, Catherine Arrabal Ward, Phil Barron, Hugh Tonner, Charles Whyte, Declan McDonald, Lisa McLaughlin, Pat Doyle, Paul Anderson, Fr Martin Kelly, Baby Noah Murray, Mary McColgan, Tricia Buist, Margaret Wilson, David McLaughlin, Kathleen McGurk, Paul McAlindon

Recently deceased: Betty Ralston, Janette Gilroy, Brian Malone, Philip Payne, Cathy McGoldrick, Angela Doherty, Jimmy Murphy, Cathy Gowans, Sheila Servis, Susan Thompson, Lily Padden, Margaret Campbell, Michael McCormick, Ellen Brien, Anthony Bundy, Margaret Boyle, Deborah Brook, Margaret Scullion, Anita McLure, Kitty McGarvey, Jim Thomson, John Russell

Anniversaries: Isabel Logie Stevenson, Charles Downey, Fr Walter Scott, William and Annie McColgan, Isabella Donnelly, Rose and Dan Coll, Sheila Parker, Catherine Hughes, Jim McGowan, Jim Thomson, Christine McKenna, Roderick and Jeanette Docherty

Birthday Blessings: ~ Kitty Cowan

Sanctuary Flowers:- There will be no flowers on the sanctuary during Lent, any donations received for February will go to the flowers for the Easter season. To sponsor the flowers for the sanctuary for Easter 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. Certificates are available if it is being given as a gift, these are available from the stall.

Weekly Collection ~ £2026 St Margaret's Crib Appeal ~ £369

Thank you for your generosity

#### FREE FONTES MAGAZINE

Please pick up a free copy of the February issue of **FONTES**, our Diocesan magazine.

\*\*\*OUR FULL LENTEN PROGRAMME IS NOW AVAILABLE AT THE BACK OF THE CHURCH, PLEASE HELP YOURSELF!

#### LENT 2024

Lent is almost upon us! Despite the Christmas season just finishing Ash Wednesday is just over a week away! This year Ash Wednesday is 14th February and to help in our Lenten observances we will begin a period of 40Hours Eucharistic Adoration on Ash Wednesday, which will run until Saturday 17th February. During this period we will need Guardians of the Blessed Sacrament. There are sheets at the back of the church to sign up to be a guardian. Running concurrently with our 40Hrs there will be an exhibition about Blessed Carlo Acutis in the hall. The timetable of events for the exhibition, 40 Hrs and for all our Lenten services is at the back of the church. Please help yourself to a leaflet and take one for family and friends.

#### ALTAR SERVERS MEETING

Our next meeting will take place on Monday 5<sup>th</sup> February, 6pm in the church and will last approx. 30mins. New altar serves welcome.

### 1ST TUESDAY CLUB

The 1st Tuesday Club is a support group for those living with dementia and their carers. Our next meeting is on Tuesday 6th February, 1.30-3.30pm. All welcome.

signage for the church: We are delighted with the new signage for the church and Rutherglen's coat of arms which has been added to the Piazza. You will notice Our Blessed Lady is depicted at the top, this was part of the original design when the coat of arms was first fashioned and can still be seen on the front of the Town Hall.

#### LEGION OF MARY

We are looking for new members! We are a spiritual ministry visiting the sick and elderly and we are involved with St Columbkille's Primary School. For more information please speak to one of our clergy or phone Cath Foley on 07734 484 321.

## HCPT FUNDRAISER WITH ATLANTIC REEL

Please join us on Friday 9th February from 7:30pm ~ midnight in the church hall for an evening of live music with Atlantic Reel, raffle & hot rolls. Tickets priced £10 from Anne Marie (07900 896520) or you can pay on the door. All monies go towards taking children, young adults and our youth group to Lourdes.

#### **FAITH SHARING GROUP**

Our Faith Sharing Group will be meeting on Mondays during Lent after Stations of the Cross, 7.30 ~ 8.30pm in the room next to the sacristy, beginning Monday 19th February. All welcome.

#### **BULLETIN ADVERTISING**

For those who advertise in our bulletin:- It's renewal time! If you would like to renew your advertisement for another year please get in touch with the Church Office.

New advertisers are most welcome!

## WELLSPRING ~ DIOCESAN RENEWAL PROJECT

Wellspring - This is a word we hope you will become familiar with. It is the name of our new diocesan renewal project which launches next week. It takes its name from the medieval 'Our Lady's Well' which gives its name to the town and Diocese of Motherwell. The image of water and Our Lady is familiar to us also from Lourdes, where Our Lady caused a spring of water to gush forth for St Bernadette to wash and drink. Water is a symbol of the Lord's healing, forgiveness and life giving power. We pray that through Wellspring, our diocese will experience a new and abundant spring of living water that we may grow as faithful disciples ready to share the riches of our faith.

#### YOUNG ADULT'S GROUP

We have a fantastic line of up talks and speakers for our Young Adult's Group this Lent. The series of talks is entitled, **Pivotal Players: Lives of the Saints** and it's the turn of the ladies; those inspirational women who have in so many different ways given their all to the Lord! The first talk will be on Tuesday 13th February at 7pm in the Church House and will be given by Fr Joshua Moir on St Catherine of Siena. She was an Italian mystic from the 15th century who was a huge influence on the Popes of her day and a fierce defender of the Catholic faith in the face of the many schisms at the time. She is one of only 3 women to be made a Doctor of the Church. All adults aged 16~35 are welcome to attend.

#### 300 CLUB

January Winner (£100) - Mrs Hunt (No 66) Cards for existing and new members are on the table at the back of the church



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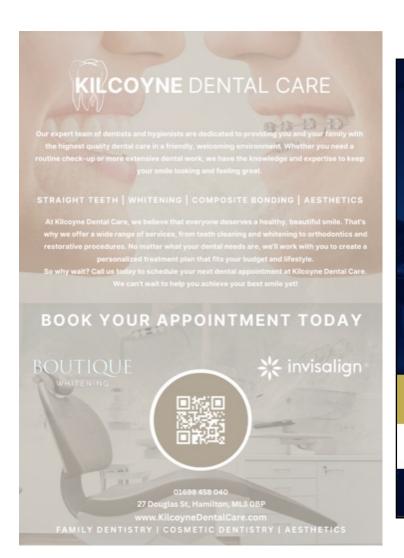
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