

ST COLUMBKILLE'S CHURCH

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Rev. Michael Ross (Deacon)



3RD SUNDAY OF LENT (YEAR B)

2ND/3RD MARCH 2024

HOLY MASS

Mon - Fri:- 7 am (Monday only), 10am, (Rosary, 10.30am) 1pm

Saturday:- 10am, 4pm (Vigil)

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

STATIONS OF THE CROSS:- Mon, 7pm

FAITH SHARING GROUP:- Mon after Stations of the Cross

DIVINE MERCY HOLY HOUR:- Friday, 3pm

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

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 26th March 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:-

3rd, 16th, 30th and 31st March

WELFARE CLINIC:- Saturday 16th March, 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.

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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:- Pat Barrett, Kathleen Fichini, Christine Allison, David M^cColl, Margaret Macmillan, Craig Simpson, Mary Knight, James M^cManus, Maureen Monaghan, Catherine Arrabal Ward, Phil Barron, Hugh Tonner, Charles Whyte, Declan M^cDonald, Lisa M^cLaughlin, Pat Doyle, Paul Anderson, Fr Martin Kelly, Baby Noah Murray, Mary M^cColgan, Tricia Buist, Margaret Wilson

Recently deceased:- Adela Parra, Mary Kelly, John Currie, Ellen Coll, Margaret Wade, Margaret M^cKenna, Tommy O'Brien

Anniversaries:- Dorothy O'Hara, Mary Josephine Murray, Hugh M^cGowan, Margaret Allison, Cissie Allison, Kate Martin, Mary Carey, Grace and Michael Sweeney, Netta Finnegan, Peter and Annie Hastings, John Gray, Terry Bell, Charles Loughran, James Doherty, Mary Callaghan (M^cColgan), Margaret M^cNamara, Helen Ward

Month's Mind:- Michael and Margaret Malone

Birthday Blessings:- Stella Kieran, John Quinn

Baptisms:- Sloane Finlay, Reo Sonny Henvey

Weddings:- Gerald and Michelle Keegan

Sanctuary Flowers:- There will be no flowers on the sanctuary during the penitential season of Lent, any donations received for February will go to the flowers for the Easter season. To sponsor the flowers 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 - £2225

Sick and Retired Priests - £1465

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Next weekend's 2nd collection will be
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300 CLUB

February Winner:- Ann Corr (No 319)

Next draw 24th March

CALL TO ACTION - ABORTION AMENDMENTS

MPs are being given the opportunity to vote on lowering the abortion time limit from 24 weeks to 22 weeks. If this amendment passes, it will be the first positive change to our abortion laws to happen for over 33 years. Please fill out a postcard in support of this amendment from the back of the church and leave in the basket provided and we will send them on to our local MP, Michael Shanks.

At the same time another amendment will be voted on which proposes decriminalising abortion. This would mean that a woman who took abortion pills at home at any stage of pregnancy, even just before natural birth, and so ended the life of a full term baby, would not commit any offence. Please contact your MP to let them know your thoughts on this amendment. SPUC have drafted a template letter which can be found at the address below along with further information about the amendment:-

www.spuc.org.uk/abortionamendments

YOUNG ADULT'S GROUP

What a fantastic turnout we are getting at our weekly talks, the dining room is packed each week! Our series of talks about the lives of the saints continues; this Tuesday 5th March at 7pm we will hear from Sr Andrea Fraile about St Gianna Beretta Molla.

Our final talk of the series on 12th March, will be open to all parishioners and will take place in the church hall. Dr Eleanor McDowell will give a talk on Venerable Margaret Sinclair.

CHILDREN'S STATIONS OF THE CROSS

We are looking for children to lead Stations of the Cross on Good Friday, 29th March. 12 noon. If you are interested please give your name to Irene Lochrin at the 10.30am Sunday Mass or send an email to ilochrin@gmail.com There will be an opportunity to practise nearer the time.

UNION OF CATHOLIC MOTHERS

Our parish UCM group are meeting on Thursday 7th March, 11am in the committee room in the hall. All women of the parish welcome.

ALTAR SERVERS MEETING

Our next meeting will take place on Monday 4th March, 6pm in the church and will last approx. 30mins. We welcome 3 new altar servers. New servers welcome.

WHITE FATHERS FUNDRAISER

The White Fathers Parents and Friends Association are having a fundraising evening on Friday 8th March, 7pm at 9 Milrig Road. There will be bingo, raffle and prizes galore! Entry is £2 and there will be tea, coffee and home baking. Please come along and support the missions. Everyone is very welcome.

GEORGE MUNN EASTER EGG APPEAL

Please donate an Easter egg and give someone that 'eggstra' special Easter. Local charities, nursing homes and local kids will benefit from the eggs. Please place in box at the back of the church.

ST PATRICK'S NIGHT

Our St Patrick's Night celebration this year is on Friday 15th March, 7pm in the hall. There are only a handful of tickets left, priced £12 which includes live music from Quigley's Point and hot filled rolls. We are delighted that Jerry O'Donovan, the Consul General of Ireland has very kindly accepted our invitation to join us.

HOLY SOLES DAY OUT

Our Holy Soles are taking the high road for a tour of Loch Lomond on Monday 11th March! The bus will leave after 10am Mass to head to Luss, thereafter we will head to the Oaktree Inn in Balmaha for a 2 course lunch and a walk about, the bus will return to the church about 4pm. Cost for the day out is £25. To book your place there is a £10 deposit to pay, this is the only way to secure your place. Please place your money in an envelope and put in the green box in the stall. There are 16 places available on the bus, first come, first served.

MEN'S GROUP

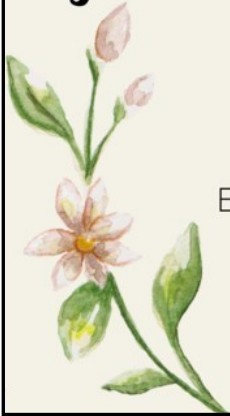
There will be no meeting in March, due to Holy Week. Our next meeting will be Saturday 27th April, speaker to be confirmed nearer the time.

12NOON MASS CHOIR - MEMBERS WANTED

Our choir at 12noon Mass are looking for new members. If you would like to join please speak to Frank McPhail or Kathleen Connor before 12 noon Mass on any Sunday.

FOOTBALL MEMORIES:- No Football Memories this month due to holidays. We will return next month

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Contact for more details

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Phone: Donald **07840640915**

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