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8TH SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME (YEAR C)

1ST/2ND MARCH 2025

HOLY MASS

Mon, Tues and Fri:~ 10am, (Rosary, 10.30am), 1pm

*****ASH WEDNESDAY:**~ 7AM, 10AM, 1PM, 7PM***

Thurs:~ 10am, 1pm, 7pm

Sat:~ 10am, (Rosary 10.30am), 4pm (Vigil)

Sun:~ 9am, 10.30am (Children's Liturgy), 12 noon, 4pm

FUNERALS

Saturday 8th March, 10am - *Margaret White R.I.P.*

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

EUCCHARISTIC ADORATION:~ Mon, Fri, Sat 9.30-9.55am

Thurs:~ 9.30am - 7pm

DIVINE MERCY HOLY HOUR:~ Friday, 3pm

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 2025, 7pm, in the church.

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

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

Sundays, 9am - 1.45pm

*****Closed 2nd March*****

WELFARE CLINIC ~ Saturday 5th April, 10.00-12.00

If you require assistance out with our clinic times please contact us by email :- 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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Account No: 10163767

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Please pray for the following:-

Sick:~ Susan Burke, Grace Corry, Hugh Tonner, Peter Wilson, Neil McFadden, Kathleen Docherty, Theresa Tierney, Paul McElhinney, Huw Rodway, Sandra Burke, Robert McAnsh, Elizabeth Walsh, Kathie Barrett, Breeda Oju James Heffernan, Mary McColgan, Steven Murphy, James McDaid,

To print a sick person's name in the bulletin you MUST have their permission AND have ticked the appropriate box on the Mass offerings envelope. Due to data protection, we are unable to print their name if permission has not been given. Mass will still be offered.

Recently deceased:~ Theresa Garrity Barr, Robert Higgins, Isobel Wilson, Sean McElwee, James Sweeney, Eileen McCrossan, Chrissie Sweeney, Rob Voeten, Hugh Scott, Haydn Carr, Grace McCann, May O'Connor, Mr Kane, Gavin Flanagan, Rita Gillespie, Frankie Tully

Anniversaries:~ Dorothy O'Hara, Terence Bell, John McLaughlin, James Brennan, Mary McGarvey, Barbara Grant, Mary Gallagher, Peter and Annie Hastings, Michael and Grace Sweeney, Charlie Loughran, Nan McGregor, Netta Finnegan

Months Mind:~ Joe Millar

Birthday Blessings:~ Eileen Mallon, Kathleen Ford

Baptisms:~ Eliana Diamond Chibimobim Uwakwere, Maura Briege Campbell, Conor Joseph McClean, Owen James McClean

Sanctuary Flowers:~ Mary Coutts, Danny Rodgers, Rose Patricia Ferry, Rita Cassidy, Paul James O'Donnell, Ella Drennan, Kathleen Barrett

Weekly Collection - £2167

Building Fund - £1017

Thank you for your generosity.

This weekend's 2nd collection - Building Fund

LENT 2025

Ash Wednesday is 5th March this year and marks the beginning of the penitential season of Lent. Holy Mass and the distribution of ashes will be at 7am, 10am, 1pm and 7pm. It is a day of fasting and abstinence. **Fasting** is required of adult Catholics between 18 and 59yrs old. You are permitted to eat one full meal, as well as two smaller meals that together are not equal to a full meal. **Abstinence** (refraining from the consumption of meat) is obliged for Catholics 14yrs and older.

Our full timetable is now available at the back of the church, please feel free to take one for yourselves and for friends and family as well.

In addition to our normal Mass schedule there will be additional Masses celebrated:-

- 7am on Mondays
- 7pm on Thursdays.
- 8.15am Mass on Fridays during term time for our primary school children with tea and toast after Mass. Please note this will take place in the church **NOT** the school.

Exposition of the Blessed Sacrament will take place on Thursdays 9.30am - 7pm. Guardians of the Blessed Sacraments sign up sheets are at the back of the church.

SANCTUARY FLOWERS

There will be no flowers on the sanctuary during the penitential season of Lent; any donations received during Lent 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 will be printed in the Easter Sunday bulletin. Certificates are available if it is being given as a gift, these are available from the stall.

ALPHA COURSE

The Alpha Course begins on Tuesday 4th March at 7pm in Room 2 on the 1st floor of the church hall. Dinner will be served on arrival so please arrive promptly. We are looking forward to seeing you all.

1ST TUESDAY CLUB

The 1st Tuesday Club is on Tuesday 4th March, 1.30-3.30pm. The 1st Tuesday Club is a support group for those living with dementia and their carers. Please join us, all welcome.

DAY OF PRAYER FOR ABUSE VICTIMS

The Catholic Church in Scotland has set aside Friday 7th March 2025 as this year's Day of Prayer for those who have experienced abuse. Please pray that all who have suffered abuse may experience healing from shame, isolation, anger, and despair and they will be listened to with compassion, treated with dignity, and supported in the journey to wholeness.

PIONEER TOTAL ABSTINENCE ASSOCIATION OF THE SACRED HEART

Why not think about taking the Short Term Pledge for Lent? This is a promise made in honour of the Sacred Heart and with the help of the Blessed Virgin to abstain from all intoxicating drink until Easter Sunday. For more information please contact Susan McBride on 01698 375950

HOLY SOLES

The Holy Soles walking group have organised a wee day out on Monday 24th March to the Kelpies and the Falkirk Wheel! Cost for the day trip is £34 which includes a tour inside the Kelpies, lunch at the Falkirk Wheel (soup, sandwiches, cakes, tea and coffee) followed by a boat trip on the one and only Falkirk Wheel. The bus, which will leave after 10am Mass, is Fr Mournian's favourite price....it's free! There are only 32 places on the bus. To secure a place on the bus sign up using the sheet at the back of the church. **Your place will not be secured until you have paid the money in full.** Please put the money in an envelope marked with your name on it in the green box in the stall.

ST PATRICK'S NIGHT

Celebrate St Patrick's night in the church hall on Saturday 15th March; tickets cost £12 which includes a hot filled roll, with music by Quigley's Point. We have a football card (£5/team) the prize is a framed, signed Celtic top and a fantastic raffle with lots of great prizes. Tickets cost £1/strip. All available from the stall or on the night!

300 CLUB

February Winner:- Liz Sweeny (No 14)
Next draw:- Sunday 30th March

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Tea and Coffee

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homemade cakes



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Selection of white and
brown sandwiches with
various fillings

Homemade sausage
rolls

Homemade scones with
jam and Chantilly cream

Selection of homemade
cakes

Tea and Coffee



Package 3

Homemade Vegetable
Soup
Selection of white and
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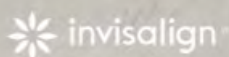
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