

# ST COLUMBKILLE'S CHURCH

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Charity No. SC011041

## CLERGY

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

Rev. Michael Ross (Deacon)



## 7<sup>TH</sup> SUNDAY OF EASTER (YEAR C)

31<sup>ST</sup> MAY/1<sup>ST</sup> JUNE 2025

### 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

Friday 6<sup>th</sup> June, 10am - *Sadie Docherty R.I.P.*

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

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

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 25<sup>th</sup> June 2025, 7pm, in the church.

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

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

Sundays, 9am - 1.45pm

WELFARE CLINIC:- Saturday 7<sup>th</sup> June, 10.00-12.00

If you require assistance out with our clinic times please contact us by email :- [welfare.stcolumbkilles@gmail.com](mailto:welfare.stcolumbkilles@gmail.com)

300 CLUB WINNER:- C Sannachan (No 373)

### Please pray for the following:-

**Sick:-** Sybil Beenie, Elizabeth Ward, Elizabeth Walsh, Anthony Murray, Margaret Samson, Joe Dunn, Daniel Toal, Mary Gallagher, Mirren McGrath, Ellen Murphy, Noelle Murphy, Steven Murphy, Anne Weir, Susan Burke, Grace Corry, Hugh Tonner, Peter Wilson, Neil McFadden

**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:-** Jim Weldon, Tony Rodden, Francis McPartland, Tommy Traynor, Mairi Gibson, Virginia Opara, Jack McGinn, Brian Dignam, Mary McKeown, Jack McKenna, Gerard Todd, Margaret Johnston, Ian McDonald, Sadie Docherty, Ann Ferguson, Oonagh Brogan, Iain Cooper

**Anniversaries:-** Michael Sharkey, Helen Ward, Bea van der Linden, Maureen Britton, Mary McLaughlin, Con Lynch, Donna Lynch, Frank Docherty, Kenneth Dorrian

**Baptisms:-** Oran Andrew McPhilemy, Jude Agbo, Sofia Campbell, Cole Joseph Dearie, Hugh Francis William Duncan

**Birthday Blessings:-** Anna Dunnachie, Nicole Russell, Pat McElhinney, Danny McCann, Claire Callaghan

**Sanctuary Flowers:-** The Coutt's Family, Our Blessed Lady, Michael Mallon, Cathie Steele, Rita Cassidy, Ellen Biggins, Bernard Biggins, Sarah Murray, Josephine Gallacher, Ella McCalman, Robert McCalman, John Howison, Margaret McGeorge, Alan Winton, Margaret Hoffman, Elizabeth MacPherson

**Weekly Collection - £2250**

**Thank you for your generosity.**

**This weekend's 2<sup>nd</sup> collection is for Communications.**

**SSVP:-** Volunteers needed to help with our Saturday morning foodbank (8 - 10.30am) once or twice a month. To find out more please contact:- 07935 359 292

### 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



### FR HENNESSY'S 80<sup>TH</sup> ~ THANK YOU

We received this beautiful letter from Fr Pat's family this week following his 80<sup>th</sup> birthday celebration and just had to share it with you.

Dear Father Bernard and Parish community,

We are not sure if we have adequate words to express how we feel about our recent visit to Rutherglen, what a wonderful surprise 80<sup>th</sup> birthday celebration you so lovingly arranged for our brother Pat. On behalf of all of us who had the privilege of being there we want to extend our most heartfelt thanks for what was truly a not to be missed, special weekend experience. To say Pat was overwhelmed just doesn't do it justice. He was completely taken aback in the most beautiful way, and you could see how deeply touched he was by every detail, every warm face, and the extraordinary love that poured from everyone.

We are especially grateful to you, Fr. Bernard, to the entire Rutherglen community for your kindness, your thoughtfulness, and the generosity of your efforts which you all put into making this celebration so meaningful. Your warmth, your generosity, and your sense of togetherness shone through in every part of the weekend. It was more than just a celebration, it reflected the deep love and respect you have for our brother Pat and it moved us all deeply.

We also want to give special thanks to James, Anne Marie and others too numerous to mention whose calm co-ordination and big hearts helped make everything run so smoothly. To the amazing volunteer drivers who gave so generously of their time, quietly making sure everyone was where they needed to be, always with a smile. Your efforts were such a big part of what made this weekend feel so easy, joyful, and welcoming. Pulling off such a surprise is no small task which involves a lot of work in the background, and you did it with such grace and care. We feel truly blessed to have been part of it all. You created not only an unforgettable memory for Fr. Pat, but for all of us who love him dearly.

Love and God Bless you all, united in prayer  
The Family and friends of Fr. Pat.

### PARISH YOUTH GROUP

The Youth Group returns this Monday 2<sup>nd</sup> June, 6-7.30pm in the hall. The following week (9<sup>th</sup> June) will be our last session before the summer holidays and will be a fun night with a bouncy castle and McDonald's for dinner!

### PROPOSALS FOR HALL REFURBISHMENT

The Fabric Committee were delighted so many parishioners participated in the conciliation process for the Hall Refurbishment. An overwhelming majority voted for Option B - new civic main entrance from Kirkwood St via a walled garden-like structure with disabled parking (removal of ramp). New lift will be installed. When more detailed plans are available we will display for further feedback.

### HOLY SOLES ~ CELTIC PARK

Our Holy Soles walking group have arranged a VIP tour of Celtic Park for Monday 23<sup>rd</sup> June. The cost of the trip is £12, the bus is free! There are 7 places left on the bus, please use the sign up sheet at the back of the church. **Your place is not secured until you have paid the full amount.**

### SONGS FROM THE HEART

Our fellow parishioner Owen McAulay would love to share with us some of the songs he has been writing for many years. So you are warmly invited to the Church Hall on Monday 16<sup>th</sup> June at 7pm. Tickets £5 from the Church Stall. All proceeds to the Hall Refurbishment Fund.

### ALTAR SERVER TRAINING

Calling all altar servers, old and new! There will be a training night on Monday 16<sup>th</sup> June, 6pm in the church followed by pizza afterwards in the church house. New altar servers welcome.

### 1<sup>ST</sup> TUESDAY CLUB

The 1<sup>st</sup> Tuesday Club is on Tuesday 3<sup>rd</sup> June, 1.30-3.30pm. The 1<sup>st</sup> Tuesday Club is a support group for those living with dementia and their carers. **N.B. There will be no Club in July.**

### GARDEN ANGELS

Our gardening group will meet on Monday 2<sup>nd</sup> June, after 10am Mass to do some work in the garden, new members welcome.

### ALPHA COURSE

Following on from the success of the Alpha course, there will be a meeting in the parish office on Monday 16<sup>th</sup> June, 6pm to make plans for a new initiative which will take place in Autumn. **This meeting is only for those who were involved in organising the Alpha course.**

# Funeral Purvey Packages

In St. Columbkille's Church Hall



Package 1

Selection of Breakfast  
Rolls  
Square Sausage  
Bacon  
Potato Scone  
  
Tea and Coffee  
  
Add on Homemade  
Scones with jam and  
Chantilly cream  
  
Add on a Selection of  
homemade cakes



Package 2

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  
brown sandwiches with  
various fillings  
  
Homemade sausage rolls  
  
Homemade scones with  
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Selection of homemade  
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