

ST COLUMBKILLE'S CHURCH

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CLERGY

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

Rev. Michael Ross (Deacon)



DIVINE MERCY SUNDAY (YEAR A)

11TH/12TH APRIL 2026

HOLY MASS

Mon - Fri:- 10am

***N.B. No 1pm Mass

Saturday:- 10am, 4pm (Vigil)

Sunday:- 9am; 10.30am; 12 noon; 4pm

FUNERAL MASSES THIS WEEK

Friday 17th April, 10am - *Margaret McFadden R.I.P.*

Saturday 18th April, 10am - *Bill Little R.I.P.*

ROSARY:- Mon-Sat after 10am Mass

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

Preparation Course for May Baptisms:-

Wednesday 29th April, 7pm, in the church.

HALL CAFÉ:- Tues, Thur 9am - 12noon, Sun 9am - 1.45pm

WELFARE CLINIC:- Saturday 2nd May, 10am-12noon

welfare.stcolumbkilles@gmail.com

SSVP:- For help visit - ssvpmotherwelldiocese.org.uk

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:- James McDaid, Joseph Love, Aidan McLaughlin, Patricia Docherty, Paddy McParland, Michelle Ferguson, Anne-Marie Kane, Mary Deighan, Theresa Tierney, Hugh Tonner, Margaret Rose McIlvenna, Michael Marlin

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:- Margaret McFadden, Kevin Cusack, Joseph Hendry, Gordon Dickson, Chisholm Keane, Bill Little, Breda Duffy, Susan Burke, Stuart Hodgkinson, Joe Boyce, Ben McArdle, Patrick Roarty, Jamie McNulty, Denise Ryan, Philip McCall, Patrick McLaughlin

Anniversaries:- Frank McLeod, Matt Mitchell Snr, Eric Lennon

Weddings:- Conor and Megan Campbell

Sanctuary Easter Flowers:- Margaret McFadden, Our Blessed Lady, William and Helen Cairns, Rita Cassidy, Jean Crawford, Cathy Steele

Weekly Collection - £3345

Holy Places - £2239

Building Fund - £1717

Thank you for your generosity.

This weekend's 2nd collection is to support the Young Adult's Pilgrimage

EASTER COLLECTION ENVELOPES

Please return as soon as possible to the green box in the stall. Thank you in advance for your generosity.

DIVINE MERCY SUNDAY

Jesus promised that **“the soul that will go to confession in preparation for this day and receive Holy Communion shall obtain complete forgiveness of sins and punishment”**. There will be confessions 2-4pm, Adoration 2-4pm, Divine Mercy Chaplet, 3pm and Holy Mass at 4pm. All welcome. Refreshments in the hall afterwards.

YOUNG ADULTS PILGRIMAGE TO ROME

Our second collection this weekend is to support our Young Adults Group with the costs associated with their pilgrimage to Rome.

UNION OF CATHOLIC MOTHERS

Next meeting is Thursday 16th April, 11.15am in the church hall. All women of the parish are welcome.

SAFEGUARDING IN THE CATHOLIC CHURCH

The Catholic Church in Scotland requires everyone who works with children or vulnerable adults to complete Safe Recruitment, including PVG membership. PVG membership must be renewed every five years. From 1st April 2026, it is illegal to work and volunteer with children and vulnerable groups unless your PVG is up to date. If your PVG is out of date, please step back from this work and contact Miriam McKernan who is our Parish Safeguarding Co-ordinator and she can help you update your PVG. To get in touch please email:-

safe.stcolumbkille@rcdom.org.uk

“Let's all treat everyone we meet as made in the image of Christ.”

FLOWER SPONSORSHIP

The flowers on the sanctuary of the altar can be sponsored in honour of a loved one, living or deceased. There are beautiful certificates available in the stall which can be given to the person you are offering the flowers for; their name will also appear in the bulletin. Forms are available at the back of the church, please fill out and return to the green box in the stall.

CHURCH WORKER'S SOCIAL

Reminder to those who help out in the parish to collect your invitation to our social event in the Burnside Hotel on Friday 22nd May. If you can join us please RSVP on the sheet at the back of the church by Sunday 19th April; this will allow us to confirm numbers with the hotel.

CASH GIFT AIDERS

If you use the yellow cash envelopes to make your donations to the Church, please collect your new boxes from the back of the church as well as a personalised letter which contains important information on the Bank of Scotland closure. Any questions please speak to Paul or Jim in the office.

BOOK CLUB

There will be no Book Club in April, next meeting 9th May, 10am. The book we are reading is ‘A Better Life’ by Lionel Shriver. New members welcome.

HALL CAFÉ

The café will be closed on the following dates:- 19th and 28th April, 10th and 24th May.

COMMUNION AND CONFIRMATION

This year's First Holy Communion will take place on Saturday 9th May, 11am. **N.B. There will be no 10am Mass that day.** The Confirmation is on Tuesday 19th May, 7pm. Please remember the children in your prayers as they prepare to receive these sacraments. The families of children making their First Holy Communion are invited to 12noon Mass on Sunday 10th May for a Mass of Thanksgiving, followed by a procession and then a party (just for the children!) in the hall. The children are welcome to wear their First Communion outfits or suitable party wear.

WHITE FATHERS

Mass for deceased family and friends at 9 Milrig Rd on Sunday 19th April, 12noon, followed by a buffet meal.

Fundraising bingo afternoon, Sunday 3rd May, 2pm. Entry £2.50. All welcome.

CLASSROOMS FOR MALAWI

Classrooms for Malawi are hosting a fundraising afternoon tea in the church hall on Wednesday 22nd April, 1.30 pm. Tickets cost £15, includes a prosecco on arrival, afternoon tea provided by Bakes by Erin plus entertainment. We are raising funds to re-roof Mang'omba Nursery, which was badly damaged in a storm. Tickets available from the hall cafe or by emailing:-

hello@classroomsformalawi.org

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Homemade scones with jam and Chantilly cream
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Tea and Coffee



Package 3

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