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CLERGY

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

Rev. Michael Ross (Deacon)



EASTER SUNDAY (YEAR A)

4TH/5TH 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

Wednesday 8th April, 10am - *Joseph Hendry R.I.P.*

Thursday 9th April, 1pm - *Francis Campbell R.I.P.*

Friday 10th April, 10am - *Patricia Anne McCaughey 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

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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:- Lawrie Rose, Francis Campbell, Margaret McFadden, Bernard McArdle, Rona McPhee, Joseph Hendry, Tommy Downey, Bobby O'Neill, Susan Burke, Anne Murphy, Helen Flannigan, John Cannon, Mary Margaret McLaughlin, Laura Anne Stuart, Bill Little, Colin McFarlane, Thomas O'Neil, Paddy Sweeney, Rosemary Tait

Anniversaries:- Cathie Connolly, Jessie Taylor, James Simpson, Michael J D'Arcy, Lucia Maria Chambers, John Farrell Donnelly, James Fitzpatrick, Annie, Michael, Joe and Hugo Doaty, Mary Linstrum

Birthday Blessings:- Fr Bernard Mournian, Anne Duncan, Margaret McCarron, Mary McParland, Mr Dunnally, Mr Bill Nash, Margaret Feeney

Baptisms:- Ava Rose Slattery, Kyla Rose O'Neill, Sienna Eyre, Thea Lamont

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

Weekly Collection - £2631

Thank you for your generosity.

This weekend's 2nd collection - Building Fund

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

300 CLUB

March Winner - John Wilson (No 65)

Feb Winner - Christine McAuley (No 363)

***Christine - Please contact the office.

EASTER MESSAGE FROM THE CLERGY

“Christ is risen! He is risen indeed! Alleluia.” This traditional greeting on Easter morning echoes the greeting of the angel to Mary Magdalene. As we proclaim the Easter acclamation with joy in our hearts, the clergy of St Columbkille’s would like to wish you all a very happy and blessed Easter season. During this Easter season may the risen Lord be ever more present in your lives. As with the Feast of Christmas, Easter is too special to be restricted to just one day, therefore the Church celebrates the Easter season or Eastertide. The Feast of Easter lasts for eight days – The Easter Octave. Mass on each of these days is an Easter Mass.

Thank you to everyone involved in preparing the church for Easter and to all those who participated in the liturgies.

DISTRIBUTION OF EASTER WATER

The Legion of Mary group in our parish have donated bottles of Easter water for you to take home to bless your home and family. We kindly ask that you only take **1 bottle per household** so there is enough for everyone. Thank you.

EASTER COLLECTION ENVELOPES

Please return during the special second collection on Easter Sunday, or place in the green box in the stall. Thank you in advance for your generosity.

1PM MASS

No 1pm weekday Mass until Monday 20th April.

BEREAVEMENT BUDDIES CAFE

We will meet in the church hall on Tuesday 7th April, 10.45-11.45am. All welcome to join us during Easter Week. We are here to listen.

DIVINE MERCY SUNDAY

Divine Mercy Sunday is celebrated the Sunday after Easter Sunday, 12th April. 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.

CHURCH WORKER’S SOCIAL

Invitations to our church worker’s social in the Burnside Hotel on 22nd May are at the back of the church, addressed to each of you personally and organised by way of the ministry/volunteering group you are part of. Please collect your invitation. If we have missed anyone please accept our apologies, and add your name and ministry/volunteering group to the list at the back of the church and an invitation will be prepared. **Only RSVP on the sheet at the back of the church if you can attend.**

RCIA CANDIDATES

Congratulations and a warm welcome to Elaine, Jacqueline and David who were received into the church at the Easter Vigil. Please keep them in your prayers as they join our community. Thank you to our RCIA team, who do such a fantastic job, year after year. If you would like to know more about the RCIA please speak to one of our clergy.

8.15am MASS DURING LENT

Thanks to Stella and Carol for making the tea and toast for the school kids during Lent. Festive Mass with breakfast for all those who attended at 8.15am on 1st May.

YOUTH CLUB

Thank you to the Youth Club leaders for taking the children bowling last week. We are now off for Easter and will return on Monday 20th April.

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.

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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 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
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