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FR. Monaghan PARISH



Sunday Masses: (Saturday Vigil) 6.00pm, 10.00am, 12 noon and 5.00pm.

Weekday Masses: Monday to Friday at 9.30am

Weekday Devotions: Novena to Our Lady of Perpetual Succour on Thursday after 9.30am Mass. A basket is at the back of the Church for petitions.

Holy Rosary after each weekday Mass with special intention for vocations.

Sacrament of Confession: Saturday 5.30 - 5.50pm Morning Prayer of the Church held every weekday morning in the Cry Chapel at 9.10

Children's Liturgy at 10 o'clock Mass

Sunday Café after 10 and 12 o'clock Mass

PRIEST

*We can prepare for Mass by **silently** recollecting ourselves in God's presence. Before receiving Holy Communion, if we are ready, we are asked to make some preparatory act of **reverence** such as a genuflection or bow; this should be made while the person in front of us is receiving. It is also good practice to spend some time in **thanksgiving** after receiving when we return to our places.*

Votive Candles: The week long votive candle in the sanctuary lamp, for the Blessed Sacrament, together with those at Sacred Heart, Our Lady, St Dominic and Saint Pope John Paul II are now available to be sponsored for your intentions such as Anniversaries for £10. Please see the stall to hand in intention.

Sacrament of Baptism - Enrolment: Baptisms are normally celebrated on the first Sunday of the month, and preceded by a preparation class with parents and godparents. See me after any Mass to enrol. Please note only one or two Godparents are permitted, one male and one female, above 16 years old, must be practising Catholics and who live in accordance with the Church's teaching on marriage.

Sunday Collections: Parish collection last Sunday first collection £921.94 Mission Appeal £1,646.02 Mass attendance 526.

First Holy Communions 2018: For your information the First Holy Communion dates for those children who enrol are Saturday 12th May (Room 15) and Saturday 19th May (Room 16) both at 11am. It is expected that these children will be coming to Mass every Sunday as they prepare for their First Communion. Enrolment details will be announced in due course.

Holy Mass on Friday 27 November—the Morning Mass is cancelled and the church will remain closed. Instead Mass will be celebrated in the evening at 7pm. This will be followed by the Holy Rosary and devotions.

Proposed Pilgrimage 2018: Please see posters at Church entrances for details.

Junior Singers: I am looking for some of our Primary School pupils to assist with the singing and music at our Sunday 10am Mass. Those interested please come to the Church at 9.30am before the 10am Mass.

November Lists: Blank sheets are available at the back of the church and once completed can be placed in the box with offering in preparation for the month of the Holy Souls in purgatory.

Bereavement Group All Souls Mass: This year's Holy Mass will be celebrated on Monday 6th November at 7.30pm. This Mass provides an opportunity for all those who have buried a loved one this year to commemorate their passing. A warm welcome is extended to all in the Parish. Tea and coffee will be served in the hall afterwards.

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Scripture Study Group: Scripture Study Group will meet on 29th October at 6pm.

St. John Paul II: The feast of St. John Paul II is on 22nd October. The day begins at 3:30pm and Mass at 5pm with buffet after. Please join us on this special day at St Columba's Hopehill Road.

Mission Sunday: This weekend is annual World Mission Sunday Appeal. This year, we are invited to reach out and help the people of Uganda. This year's focus is on the work of Religious Sisters such as Sr. Jane Frances in Nsambya Babies Home. By helping to train the Sisters and to provide for the needs of the Babies Home, you are helping these women to show the love of God to those around them and in their care. Last year, 100% of all Mission Sunday donations were sent to the neediest of places.

The Singing Priests: The parish has an allocation of 52 tickets cost £30. A coach would be put on by organisers if there is enough interest, please put your name on sheet at main entrance.

Requiem Masses: For all who are buried in the local cemeteries, or whose final committal was at Daldowie Crematorium in St. Peter's Cemetery, Dalbeth on Sunday 5th November at 3pm. For all who are buried in St. Kentigern's Cemetery, Western Necropolis and Lambhill Cemeteries or whose final committal was at Glasgow Crematorium on Sunday 5th November 2017 at 3pm in St. Agnes' Church, Lambhill.

Memorial Mass: for Brother Walfrid (Founder of Celtic Football Club) Monday 6th November at 7pm in St. Mary's Abercromby Street.

Catholic Nurses Guild of Scotland: Annual Day of Recollection Saturday 4th November 10.30am-4pm, The Schoenstadt Centre. Cost £20. All nurses, health care workers and friends welcome. For information or to book please telephone 01475 725252 or 0131 665 3639.

Italian Mass: The annual Italian Mass for members and friends of the Scottish Italian community will take place in St. Andrew's Cathedral on Thursday 2nd November at 7pm. Archbishop Tartaglia will be the main celebrant. All welcome. This year the Reception after the Mass will take place in Eyre hall, in the Archdiocesan offices. For safety reasons please email ItalianMass@rcag.org.uk or telephone Pauline Rankin on 0141 226 5898 to book place at the Reception.

Schoenstadt Annual Re-Crowning Pilgrimage

22nd October 2017: Presided by The Most Reverend Mario Conti, Archbishop Emeritus. 3pm Rosary in the Retreat Centre; 3.30pm Holy Mass followed by Procession and Re-Crowning of the Image of Our Lady in Her Shrine.

Glasgow Faith Forum: The next of the Faith Forum's fortnightly series of talks will take place in Turnbull Hall, University of Glasgow Catholic Chaplaincy, 13-15 Southpark Terrace, G12 8LG on Thursday 2nd November at 7.30pm. The talk will be on 'Jesus Christ' and will be given by Mgr. Patrick Burke. All young people welcome.

UCM: The UCM are having a coffee morning in St. Matthew's Church hall on Friday 27th October after the 10am Mass. All welcome.

Senior Citizens Club: 25th October Guide Dogs for the Blind Talk.

St Joseph's Robroyston: The monthly Mass for vocations takes place at, on Monday 30 October 2017 at 7.45pm Fr Burke will celebrate Mass.

The Summit: Calling all young people if you are P7- S6 then this invite is for you! Join the RCAG youth team for an afternoon of fun, friendship, faith and more! This monthly event will give you the chance to learn more about the Catholic faith, make new friends, have some fun, eat good pizza and celebrate Mass in Blessed Jon Dunn Scotus. Contact youth@rcag.org.uk See poster for more details.

SPRED: The SPRED group, based in our parish, supports people who have a learning disability to take part in the life of the parish. The group is not currently able to meet due to a shortage of volunteers. To continue our work, we need new volunteers to join our group. To register, please call the SPRED office on 0141 770 5055.

Stall: Cards & Gifts for most occasions are available in the stall at the back of the Church. Please take time to browse.

Hall Lets: Inquiries about booking the Church Hall are made by filling in and submitting the form that is available at the back of the Church. Available for Baptisms, Funerals and many