

CONSECRATION OF
SCOTLAND TO THE
IMMACULATE HEART OF
MARY



SUNDAY 3RD SEPTEMBER
CARFIN GROTTO AT 3.00 PM

ASSISTED PARISHES FUND

This Sunday there will be a retiring collection for the Assisted Parishes Fund, the means by which we help support other parishes in the Archdiocese that might struggle financially. Please be as generous as you can as you leave the Church.

KNIGHTS OF SAINT COLUMBA

Some members of the Knights of Saint Columba will be visiting the parish this week to distribute information about their work and to encourage men in the parish to consider membership. They will also be available at the end of Mass to answer any questions you might have. Please make them welcome.

APPEAL: ANNUAL INSURANCE BILL

Given the consistent generosity of the people of Saint Helen's we always hesitate to ask for more money for ourselves, but this is the time of the year when we will soon

receive our annual insurance bill. It is our biggest single outlay of the year at almost £6,000 and will be due at the end of September. For the next few weeks, any little extra you could include in your weekly offering would be a great help.

NET MINISTRIES SCOTLAND

A new NET team will soon be arriving in Scotland to work with our young people encouraging them to *love Jesus Christ and embrace the life of the Church*. Please support this excellent ministry to young people with your prayers and with an occasional donation through the wall box at the back of the Church

VOLUNTEER TRAINING

It is mandatory that all our PVG registered volunteers participate in Safeguarding Awareness Sessions. Level 1 Safeguarding training is being held in the Curial Offices, Clyde Street on Monday 28th August from 7pm until 9pm.

This training is aimed at new PVG registered volunteers and also PVG volunteers working with children and or vulnerable adults who have not previously attended the 'Safeguarding Awareness' sessions organised by the Archdiocese. Those volunteers who work with children and vulnerable adults need to undertake this training. To register please contact Jillian Whalley Safeguarding administrator or Claudia Melis Safeguarding/H.R. administrator 0141 226 5898 or email jillian.Whalley@rcag.org.uk or claudia.melis@rcag.org.uk

MASS FOR TEACHERS

The Archbishop will celebrate the

annual Mass for teachers and support staff in Saint Andrew's Cathedral on Thursday 31st August at 7.00 pm

CONSIDERING PRIMARY TEACHING?

There will be an information evening for people considering applying for Initial Teacher Education programme (Primary) in Saint Patrick's Primary School (Perth Street, Glasgow) on Tuesday 12th September from 6.30 until 8.30 pm. This event will focus on the application process and representatives from a variety of organisations will be there to answer your questions and help you through the application process.

WHEELCHAIRS AVAILABLE

You are reminded that there are a few wheelchairs available which you are welcome to borrow if it might help you get a less able friend or relative out and about for a bit. Please speak to Mgr. Paul or a member of the SSVP

QUEENSHIP OF MARY

Mass for the Queenship of Mary in Saint Catherine's Church, (90 Lamont Road) on Tuesday 22nd August with Rosary at 7.00 pm and Mass at 7.30 pm. More information from info@miq.org.uk

REDECORATION

A big thank you for the incredible hard work of a bunch of volunteers who are tackling the redecoration of the sacristy and meeting rooms.

Prayer Intentions

Sick

Kathleen Peoples, Rosie Doherty, Kay Fernandez, Neil Boyle, Michael Gallacher, Mary Kelly, Mary Marley, Paul Magee, Alice Gilgannon, Paddy McCole, Margaret Cochrane, Vanessa Young, Theresa Metcalfe, John Metcalfe, Michael Howden, Edward Jack, Clare Sharkey, Ronnie McNally, Patricia McGlinchey, Susan Crichton, John Gaughan, Calum Ryder, Eileen Clelland, Stephen O'Neill, Patricia Murphy, Vera Willard, George Stewart

Recently Deceased

John McCloskey, John Dickson, Pat Gallagher, Grainne O'Donnell, Hugh Gallagher, Michael Haughey, Sheena Kelly, Boyd Johnstone, Mary O'Donnell

Anniversaries

Benedict Matassa, Christopher Beattie, James Doherty, William McCarron, Theresa Gilmarton, Mary and John Reid, Tricia Agolini, Baby Joseph Reilly, George Muddiman, Helen Austin, Brian Connolly, Kim Angela Smith, Gordon Marshall, Margaret Friel

Wedding Anniversary

We welcome Marianne and Matt Parr back to the parish this Sunday. They were married in Saint Helen's 25 years ago today and have returned from their home in England to celebrate their anniversary at the 11.00 am Mass. We offer them our prayers and congratulations.

RESPONSORIAL PSALM

Psalm 66(67):2-3,5-6,8

R/ Let the peoples praise you, O God; let all the peoples praise you.

O God, be gracious and bless us
and let your face shed its light
upon us.
So will your ways be known upon
earth
and all nations learn your saving
help.

Let the nations be glad and exult
for you rule the world with justice.
With fairness you rule the peoples,
you guide the nations on earth.

Let the peoples praise you, O God;
let all the peoples praise you.
May God still give us his blessing
till the ends of the earth revere him.

SECOND READING

Romans 11:13-15,29-32

Let me tell you pagans this: I have
been sent to the pagans as their
apostle, and I am proud of being
sent, but the purpose of it is to make
my own people envious of you, and
in this way save some of them. Since
their rejection meant the
reconciliation of the world, do you
know what their admission will
mean? Nothing less than a
resurrection from the dead! God
never takes back his gifts or revokes
his choice.

Just as you changed from being
disobedient to God, and now enjoy
mercy because of their
disobedience, so those who are
disobedient now – and only because
of the mercy shown to you – will also
enjoy mercy eventually. God has

imprisoned all men in their own
disobedience only to show mercy to
all mankind.

GOSPEL ACCLAMATION

Jn10:27

Alleluia, alleluia!

The sheep that belong to me listen to
my voice,
says the Lord,
I know them and they follow me.
Alleluia!

GOSPEL

Matthew 15:21-28

Jesus left Gennesaret and withdrew
to the region of Tyre and Sidon.
Then out came a Canaanite woman
from that district and started
shouting, 'Sir, Son of David, take pity
on me. My daughter is tormented by
a devil.' But he answered her not a
word. And his disciples went and
pleaded with him. 'Give her what she
wants,' they said 'because she is
shouting after us.' He said in reply, 'I
was sent only to the lost sheep of the
House of Israel.' But the woman had
come up and was kneeling at his
feet. 'Lord,' she said 'help me.' He
replied, 'It is not fair to take the
children's food and throw it to the
house-dogs.' She retorted, 'Ah yes,
sir; but even house-dogs can eat the
scraps that fall from their master's
table.' Then Jesus answered her,
'Woman, you have great faith. Let
your wish be granted.' And from that
moment her daughter was well
again.



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20TH SUNDAY OF THE YEAR: 20TH AUGUST 2017

TIMES OF SERVICES

SUNDAY MASSES:

Vigil (Saturday) 5.30 pm; 9.00 am,
11.00 am and 5.00 pm

MONDAY TO FRIDAY

Mass at 10.00 am preceded by Morning
Prayer at 9.50 am. The Rosary is prayed
every day after Mass.

CONFESSION:

Saturday 10.30 – 11.00 am
Saturday 6.15 – 6.45 pm
Thursday 7.00 – 7.30 pm

ADORATION:

Tuesday to Thursday from after the 10.00
am Mass until 1.00 pm

ROSARY FOLLOWED BY NOVENA:

Thursday at 7.00 pm

HOLY DAYS OF OBLIGATION:

Masses on holy days of obligation are at
7.30 am, 12.30 pm and 7.30 pm

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Rev. Kevin Kelly

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FIRST READING

Isaiah 56:1,6-7

Thus says the Lord: Have a care for
justice, act with integrity, for soon my
salvation will come and my integrity be
manifest.

Foreigners who have attached
themselves to the Lord to serve him
and to love his name and be his
servants – all who observe the
sabbath, not profaning it, and cling to
my covenant – these I will bring to my
holy mountain. I will make them joyful
in my house of prayer. Their
holocausts and their sacrifices will be
accepted on my altar, for my house will
be called a house of prayer for all the
peoples.