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WEEKLY PROGRAMMES: SATURDAY VIGIL MASS – 4:30PM; SUNDAY MASSES 11AM & 5PM

DAILY MASSES: 10AM (MONDAY TO SATURDAY, EXCEPT ON FUNERAL DAYS) HELD IN ADORATION CHAPEL CONFESSIONS: DAILY – BEFORE OR AFTER DAILY MASSES; AND SATURDAYS: 4PM – 4:25PM AND 5:30PM

ROSARY: EVERYDAY BEFORE MORNING MASS

DEVOTIONAL GROUPS: TUESDAY - LEGION OF MARY @7PM AND WEDNESDAY - DIVINE MERCY @ 7PM



SICK AND HOUSEBOUND: Carmel Elliot, Rita Robb, Caitlin Mitchell, Mary Gibbons, Caroline McElgrain, Margaret Skirving, Patricia McKerral, Maima McLaren, Peter Wilson, Frank Ballantyne, Charlie Campbell, Margaret Kubala, Rose Devin, Kathleen Simpson, Margaret Mackay, Martin Gibbons, Joe Devlin, Kathleen Butler, Jim Cramwell.

RECENTLY DECEASED: Robert Lenard, James Day (Funeral Mass Thursday 17th October), Patricia Dempsey (Funeral Mass Friday 18th October).

REMEMBRANCE: Isabella Tolland, Moira Murray, Tommy McGowan

ANNIVERSARY: Mary Sweeney.

READINGS:

28TH SUNDAY OF YEAR C, 13TH OCTOBER, 2019

 1^{ST} READING – 2 Kings 5^{14-17} ; 2^{nd} Reading – 2 Timothy 2^{8-13} ; Gospel – Luke 17^{11-19} .

RESPONSORIAL PSALM: THE LORD HAS SHOWN HIS SALVATION TO THE NATIONS.

Sing a new song to the Lord for He has worked wonders. His right hand and His holy arm have brought salvation.

The Lord has made known His salvation; has shown His justice to the nations. He has remembered His truth and love for the house of Israel.

All the ends of the earth have seen the salvation of our God. Shout to the Lord all the earth, ring out your joy.

THANKS FOR YOUR OFFERINGS

1ST COLLECTION - £280.35

2ND COLLECTION - £164.24

GIFT AID DONATIONS - £140.50

FUNDRAISING FOR THE SACRED HEART ADORATION CHAPEL:

The Fundraising organised by the Filipino Community for our Adoration Chapel raised a total of £1,679.60. It was a brilliant success, with people coming from places like Southport, Dundee, Cupar etc. Thanks to all the parishioners that were able to go to the CCH last Sunday.

An anonymous donor also gave £3000 for the Adoration Chapel. May Jesus bless you all abundantly.

ANNOUCEMENTS

Missio Scotland: Next weekend is World Mission Sunday. The Second Collection next weekend is for Missio Scotland, the Scotlish branch of the Pontifical Mission Societies, to support Mission countries and territories around the world.

St Robert Bellarmine Church Renovation Project: There will be an Evening of Choral Music presented by the St Andrew's Cathedral Choir on Thursday 24th October 2019 at 7.30pm in St Robert's Church 310 Peat Rd Glasgow G53 6SA. Entry is free and there will be a collection in aid of the Renovation Fund. Light Refreshments will be

served after the concert. St Robert's is situated behind the Silverburn Shopping Centre with the 3 and 57 busses going past the door. The train from Central Station will take you to Nitshill Station a short walk from the church.

Eastfield Cemetery, Cumbernauld: Rosary and Prayers for those buried at Eastfield Cemetery, Cumbernauld, will take place on Sunday 3rd November at 3pm. All welcome. Holy Water will be available for those who wish to sprinkle the graves.

Pro-Life Mass: This month's Pro-Life Mass is on Wednesday, 16th October in Bl. John Duns Scotus, 270 Ballater St, Gorbals G5 0YT. There will be Adoration at 6pm, followed by Rosary at 7pm and Mass at 7.30pm. All welcome. The celebrant will be Fr Johnson Mathew.

Torchlight Procession: Please join us on Thursday 24th October 2019, to commemorate the 52 years. Since the Act was passed in 1967, 9 million unborn children have been killed and countless mothers and fathers have been hurt by abortion. Please come and mark this tragic milestone. Assemble at George Square from 6pm with Rosary at 6.30pm followed by Procession to St Andrew's Cathedral for 7.30pm Mass. Further details from SPUC Scotland on 0141 221 2094 or lucillemcquade@spuc.org.uk

National Pro-Life Conference: 26th October 2019: Join SPUC Scotland at their Annual Conference! – "Whatever Happened to the Hippocratic Oath?" This year we are joined by Dr Anthony McCarthy, Director of Research for SPUC UK and Dr Toni Saad, Conscientious Objection Academic and Medical Doctor. The day commences with registration from 9.15am and ends at 4pm. The day includes refreshments throughout the day and a hot buffet lunch. Cost: £30 / £25 student. BOOK TODAY: 0141 221 2094 or michael@spucscotland.org

AGAP: Call to Artists for Lentfest 2020 Art Exhibition: Applications are being sought from artists wishing to participate in the annual Art Exhibition for Lentfest 2020. The theme is "The Sea". Guidelines and Application Forms can be downloaded from the AGAP website or from 0141 552 5527 or info@agap.org.uk (Deadline for applications is Friday 8th November 2019.)

AGAP is seeking volunteers to assist with various roles during Lentfest 2020. These include invigilators for the art exhibition, ticket handlers, drivers, stage crew, and website support. If you, or someone you know is interested, please contact us on 0141 552 5527 or info@agap.org.uk

PRAYER FOR ST COLUMBA'S PARISH

Almighty Father, we wish to commit our parish of St Columba of Iona into your merciful hands. We want to be a vibrant and flourishing parish formed after your heart, a family of missionary disciples of Jesus where love and service spread out from us to everybody. Touch the lives of all of us and everybody within our parish to experience once again the power of the risen Christ so that our hearts can be filled with your love, joy, courage, strength and unity. We commit to you in a special way the sick, the housebound, the struggling, even the weary. May Mary our Mother be always close to us her children in all our hour of need. We make all these prayers through the merits of Jesus Christ your Son. Amen.

NEXT PARISH PROGRAMME

A DAY OF PRAYER WITH POPE JOHN PAUL II SATURDAY 26TH OCTOBER 3:30PM – 5:30PM

FEAST DAYS DURING THE WEEK

TUESDAY – ST TERESA OF AVILA

WEDNESDAY – ST MARGARET MARY ALACOQUE

THURSDAY – ST IGNATIUS OF ANTIOCH

FRIDAY – ST LUKE

MASSES ON THURSDAY AND FRIDAY WILL BE AT 10AM IN THE BIG CHURCH BECAUSE WE HAVE THE FUNERALS OF James Day (Thursday 17th October), Patricia Dempsey (Friday 18th October) RESPECTIVELY – BODIES RECEIVED ON PREVIOUS DAYS. OTHERWISE WEEKDAY MORNING MASSES ARE IN THE ADORATION CHAPEL AT 10AM.