Almighty Father, we wish to commit our parish of St Columba of lona 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 hearts 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.

A very warm welcome to St Columba's Church to all our dear visitors and friends. Please know that we love you and greatly appreciate your visit. Do find the time to visit us again.





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# WEEKLY PROGRAMMES

SUNDAY MASSES: VIGIL-4:30PM, 11AM AND 5PM DAILY MASSES: 10AM (MONDAY TO SATURDAY) CONFESSIONS: DAILY—BEFORE OR AFTER DAILY MASSES; 4PM-4:25PM, 5:30-6PM (SATURDAYS) ROSARY: EVERYDAY BEFORE MORNING MASS

## EASTER TRIDUUM PROGRAMME

SUNDAY 14TH APRIL @ 11AM-PASSION SUNDAY. THURSDAY 18TH APRIL @ 7PM-MASS OF THE LORD'S SUPPER. (AFTER WHICH THERE IS ADORATION AT THE ALTAR OF REPOSE.) FRIDAY 19TH APRIL @ 3PM-GOOD FRIDAY SERVICE/VENERATION OF CROSS.

SATURDAY 20TH APRIL @ 8PM-EASTER VIGIL MASS. SUNDAY 21ST APRIL @ 11AM & 5PM-EASTER DAY MASSES.

Sick and Housebound: Carmel Elliott, Rita Robb, Caitlin Mitchell, Mary Gibbons, Margaret Johnston, 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. Recently Deceased: Alec McCarthy, Seamus O'Donnell, Jan Bosma. 6 months' mind: Evelyn McDermott

Anniversaries: All whose anniversaries occur about this time.



# YEAR C (31/03/19)

#### **READINGS**

1st Reading: Joshua 5<sup>9-12</sup>. 2nd Reading: 2 Corinthians 5<sup>17-21</sup>. Gospel: Luke 15<sup>1-3.11-32</sup>.

#### **RESPONSORIAL PSALM: 33**

The Lord hears the cry of the poor—Hymn number 765.

## **ANNOUNCEMENTS**

- \* 200 CLUB: WE ARE COMING TO THE END OF THE 200 CLUB CYCLE OF 2018. THE 2019 CYCLE RESUMES IN APRIL. PLEASE COULD THOSE WHO SUPPORT THE PARISH IN THIS WAY KINDLY FILL IN THEIR DETAILS IN THE FORM AT THE BACK OF THE CHURCH. PLEASE NOTE THAT THE PRI-VACY POLICY OF THE ARCHDIOCESE APPLIES AND THE INFORMATION WILL ONLY BE USED FOR THE PURPOSE OF CONTACTING THE LUCKY WINNERS. PLEASE SEE PARISH WEBSITE FOR PRIVACY POLICY.
- \* OUR <u>GARDEN FETE</u> IS ON SATURDAY THE 13TH OF JULY FROM 12 NOON. DONATIONS WELCOME NOW.
- \* **EXIT DOOR ORGAN**: The organ, which was originally made for Drumchapel Church—now closed—was brought here temporarily until a new home is found for it. Having consulted with the parish council, I have decided to remove it due to the health and safety concern it poses. Michael MacDonald, the organ builder, who originally brought it here has offered us £800 for it. The money will be used towards the maintenance and tuning of the other organ.
- Death notice: Monsignor Jack Sheridan—retired parish priest of St Paul's Whiteinch. Reception of body and Vigil on Sunday 31st March @ 7:30pm & funeral Mass on Monday 1st April @ 11:30am.

First collection : £316.00 Second Collection: £142.26 GAD: £159.00

## DATES TO NOTE

MONDAY 1ST APRIL, 7:30PM-PADRE PIO HEALING MASS SATURDAY 6TH APRIL @ 1PM-ST PEREGRINE MASS. WEDNESDAY 10TH APRIL @ 7:30PM-MASS IN HONOUR OF ST GIANNA **BERETTA MOLLA.** FRIDAY 12TH APRIL @ 1PM-MASS FOR THE SICK AND ANOINTING. SATURDAY 27TH APRIL @ 3:30PM-DIVINE MERCY SATURDAY. SUNDAY 19TH MAY @ 11AM MASS-FIRST COMMUNION SUNDAY. MONDAY 20TH MAY @ 6PM-40 HOURS WITH BENEDICTION. TUESDAY 21ST MAY @ 6PM-40 HOURS WITH BENEDICTION. SUNDAY 2ND JUNE AFTER 11AM MASS-SPONSORED SILENCE. SPONSORED WALK-5TH JUNE, 2019: FROM CRAMOND TO SOUTH QUEENSFERRY VIA DALMENY ESTATE. PLEASE SIGN-UP FOR IT OR YOU COULD DO WELL TO SUPPORT ALL THE BRAVE WALKERS. **LEGION OF MARY VISITATION**—TAKES PLACE 15TH—22ND JUNE. PLEASE SIGN-UP IF YOU WOULD LIKE TO

ACCOMMODATE 1 OR 2 OF THEM.

GARDEN FETE-13TH JULY FROM 12 NOON. DONATIONS WELCOME.

\* Forty Days for Life: Glasgow's 40 Days for Life Vigil at the QEUH will come to an end on Saturday 13<sup>th</sup> April with our traditional silent candle lit hour at 7pm. Our formal Closing Event will take place in George Square the following day at 3pm, Sunday 14<sup>th</sup> April, Palm Sunday. Jamie McGowan a member of Glasgow Students for Life is the Guest Speaker. Opposition is expected on Sunday 14<sup>th</sup> April. Please come along and be a witness to hope for a culture of life here in Scotland.

\* Knights of St Columba: Tell Our Story Live our Dream. The Knights of St Columba are looking for new members to join our organisation. We are looking for all men aged 18 years to 65 to assist us to promote the work of the Catholic Church, to help our clergy, to help others in need, to get involved in all the work that we do throughout Scotland. If you think you are suitable and are interested in joining us, or would like more information, please contact John O' Donnell on 07854886425 or Paul Laird on 07875499608.