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Congregation of the Blessed Sacrament
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Mass times

Monday to Friday Masses 10am & 12.30pm. Saturday - 10am

Vigil - 4pm. **Sunday** - 8:30am, 10am and 12 Noon

Adoration of the Blessed Sacrament: 10:30am-12.30pm except Tuesday when the Chapel is cleaned.

Confession: Tuesday & Thursday 12 noon, Saturday: 9.30am & 3.30pm. Or any time on request.

Video Streaming of the Masses: Follow the 'Link Button' on our website at www.stcolumbarc.co.uk

28th April 2024 – 5th Sunday of Easter

Introduction to the Mass: The Lord who gathers us together for this Eucharist is so close to us and so committed to making our lives fruitful, that the union of the vine and its branches is but a reflection of that bond. We trust the Lord who abides in us, to help us live as children of the truth.

First Reading (Acts 9:26-31) The former persecutor, Saul, whom we know as Paul, visits Jerusalem where at first he is treated with understandable suspicion. Barnabas, big-hearted and generous, vouches for him.

Second Reading (1 Jn 3:18-24) Love which is real and active is the mark of a true Christian and of a true Christian community.

Gospel (Jn 15:1-8) The intimate union of vine and branches is a symbol of the infinitely closer union of Jesus with his disciples.

Parish Notices

Assisted Suicide - Called to Care, Not to Kill. Please contact your MSPs today to stop assisted suicide becoming legal in Scotland. Use the QR code to access an online resource created by the Catholic Parliamentary Office, including guidance on contacting your MSPs. You can also visit rcpolitics.org/assistedsuicide or email us at office@rcpolitics.org for more information.

Funeral arrangements - Rev John Desmond Broderick Reception of Remains and Vigil will take place at Saint Andrew's Cathedral on Wed 1st May 2024 at 6.30 pm. The Funeral Mass will be celebrated at Saint Andrew's Cathedral on Thur 2nd May at 1.00 pm with burial thereafter at Saint Peter's Cemetery, Dalbeth.

Funeral arrangements - Rev. John Chalmers

Reception of Remains and Vigil will take place at Our Lady of Lourdes, Cardonald at 6.00 pm on Mon 6th May 2024. The Funeral Mass will be celebrated at Our Lady of Lourdes on Tuesday 7th May at 12 Noon with burial thereafter at Saint Conval's Cemetery, Barrhead

Newman Association: Legislation: Intent, Ethics and Consequences A talk/discussion by Brian Fitzpatrick, Advocate.

(Context — Hate Crime and Public Order (Scotland) Act 2021) The Parish Hall, Immaculate Conception Church, 2049 Maryhill Road, Glasgow, G20 OAA at 7.30pm on Thur 2nd May 2024 . All welcome. Refreshments provided.

Please note —This is a change to our previously arranged programme

Catholic Youth Summer Camp Experience: The Youth Office are taking 35 young people of high school age (S1-S6) to Life Teen Summer Camp UK taking place in Alton Castle, 21st – 25th July 2024. It is a great opportunity for teenagers to explore their faith with their peers in fun and engaging ways, enjoying outdoor activities and even a visit to Alton Towers. For more information, or to register, visit www.tinyurl.com/youthsummercamp24 The deadline for registration is Wed 1st May 2024.

200 Club 2024 Subscription is now due. Please see Janette or hand into the Chapel House. Please continue to support this fund raising for the parish. Only £12 per year = £1 per month.

First Holy Communion: will take place on Saturday 18th May 2024.

Legion of Mary: The Legion of Mary meet at 7 pm on Tuesdays in the Chapel House.

RCIA: The RCIA meet at 6 pm on Thursdays in the Chapel House.

YOUR PRAYERS ARE REQUESTED FOR THE FOLLOWING:

Sick: Catherine Mary McClean.

RIP: Fr Brodrick, Fr Chalmers, Mary Donnelly, Agnus McLean.

Anniv: Hugh Mulqueen Snr, Willamina Mulqueen, Hugh Mulqueen Jnr, Rosemary Sloan
Margaret & Peter Beatie, Jackie Murphy

Family Birthdays: Hampson Family.