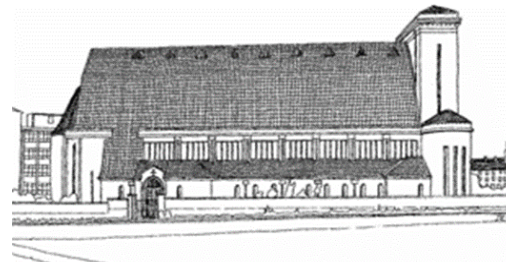


PRAYER FOR ST COLUMBA'S PARISH

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 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)- ADORATION CHAPEL

CONFESSIONS: DAILY—BEFORE OR AFTER DAILY MASSES;

4PM-4:25PM, 5:30-6PM (SATURDAYS)

ROSARY: EVERYDAY BEFORE MORNING MASS

Praise the lord o my soul. All my inmost being praise his holy name

DEVOTIONAL GROUPS

TUESDAY—LEGION OF MARY @ 7PM; WEDNESDAY—DIVINE MERCY @ 7PM.



Sick and Housebound: Carmel Elliott, 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 Cranwell.

Recently Deceased:

Anniversaries: All those whose anniversaries fall around this period.

First Sunday of Advent YEAR A (1/12/19)

READINGS AT MASS

1st Reading—Isaiah 2¹⁻⁵. 2nd Reading—Romans 13¹¹⁻¹⁴.
Gospel—MATTHEW 24³⁷⁻⁴⁴.

RESPONSORIAL PSALM: 121

I REJOICED WHEN I HEARD THEM SAY 'LET US GO TO GOD'S HOUSE'.

ANNOUNCEMENTS

Christmas Party Tickets: The tickets for our Christmas parties are out.

Normally we have 2 Christmas parties—one in the Community Central Halls and the other in the Parish. Please see Jeannette or May. Thanks.

Advent Day of Confessions: On Thursday 19th December priests will be available all day in Saint Andrew's Cathedral (from 7:45am – 5:45pm) for the Sacrament of Reconciliation. *Come home for Christmas!*

SOLEMNITIES, FEASTS AND MEMORIALS

TUESDAY 3RD DECEMBER	ST FRANCIS XAVIER
WEDNESDAY 4TH DECEMBER	ST JOHN DAMASCENE
FRIDAY 6TH DECEMBER	ST NICHOLAS
SATURDAY 7TH DECEMBER	ST AMBROSE

Thanks for your offerings

Collections: 1st—£., 2nd—., GAD—£..

CHRISTMAS RAFFLE DONATIONS: Donations towards the Christmas raffle are welcome now. Please place in container at the back of the Church.

CHRISTMAS MASS CARDS AND ITEMS IN THE STORE: We have made some St Columba's Christmas Mass Cards in the store as well as several advent and Christmas shopping Items. Please see Jeannette after Mass.

FOR ALL THE PROGRAMMES DURING THE ADVENT AND CHRISTMAS SEASON, PLEASE SEE SUPPLEMENTARY BULLETIN. YOU COULD ALSO HELP US TO DROP SOME OFF AT YOUR NEIGHBOURS' AND FRIENDS' HOUSES.

LAST WEEK OF NOVEMBER

Thanks for observing in this month of November the remembrance and prayers for the dead. We still have one week before the end of November. Lets utilize this one week for them. Beginning from February 2020, we shall have a Divine Mercy Mass every last Wednesday of the month @ 7pm in the Adoration Chapel during which we shall specially remember our dead and the dying.

CHRISTMAS PARTIES



FIRST CHRISTMAS PARTY

DATE: 14TH DECEMBER @ 6:30PM

VENUE: COMMUNITY CENTRAL HALLS

LOTS OF FUN FOR THE WHOLE COMMUNITY

SECOND CHRISTMAS PARTY

DATE: 20TH DECEMBER @ 1PM

VENUE: PARISH HALL

TICKETS @ THE BACK OF THE CHURCH OR SEE JEANNETTE/MAY