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Congregation of the Blessed Sacrament Parish Priest: Very Rev Peter Dowling SSS Rev Dr Darren Maslen SSS, Bro Raj Govindarajah SSS

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 <u>www.stcolumbarc.co.uk</u>

30th June 2024 – Saints Peter and Paul

Introduction to the Mass: 'Who do you say that I am?' Jesus asked Peter; and it is a question that has echoed down the centuries. Each age has to ask anew, 'Who is Jesus for us?' In the light of the fact that we in our time could face extinction as a result of our own greed, we, too, have to ask ourselves the questions of who Jesus if for us today and what this demands of us. We acknowledge our sinfulness and we trust in God's care.

First Reading (Acts 12:1-11) Peter thinks he is dreaming when he is led out of prison and realises what has happened only when he is a block away from the jail.

Second Reading (2 Tim 4:6-8.17-18) Trust in God brought the apostle safely through all persecution and difficulty.

Gospel (Mt 16:13-19) Peter's belief in Jesus makes him into a rocklike figure for the other disciples.

Parish Notices

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

<u>RCIA</u>: The RCIA meet at 6 pm on Thursdays in the Chapel House.

<u>Second Collection</u> today for Pope's Charity, Peter's Pence.

Parish update: Fr Peter is moving to St Michael's Parkhead on Monday the 12th September. Fr Renato (Rene) Esoy sss takes on the Pastoral responsibility for St Columba's Parish and the Filipino Community.

National Pilgrimage: Sunday 7th July National Pilgrimage to Scalan Seminary in the Braes of Glenlivet Mass at 4pm.

Peregrinatio Pro Christi (Travelling for Christ) Every year some members of the Legion of Mary volunteer to take part in a Peregrinatio Pro Christi project (PPC) to another country. Scotland was given the responsibility of helping with evangelisation in Finland. So, for over 40 years teams of legionaries from Scotland have been spending part of their summer holidays at their own expense going out to share the Gospel in various parts of Finland. On Monday 1st of July, a team will travel to Oulu in Finland sharing their faith with all those they meet. It can often be very difficult work and is supported by the many prayers being said by those at home. We would like to invite you to pray for this project which concludes on Thursday 11th July.

Want to know where your MP candidates stand on abortion? Contact your MP candidates today.

Ask your local MP candidates to take the Both Lives Pledge. The pledge outlines three policy changes that are designed to increase protections for babies in the womb and stop pregnancy discrimination for women.

<u>Invitation to the Nigerian Catholic Community harvest & Bazaar</u>: This is a special invitation from the Nigerian Catholic Community Glasgow & Environs to our harvest thanksgiving & bazaar/summer fete. Sunday 4th August 2024 at St Roch's Catholic Church, 311 Roystonhill Glasgow G21 2HN at 12.30 pm with the thanksgiving mass.

YOUR PRAYERS ARE REQUESTED FOR THE FOLLOWING:

Sick: Eileen Duncan.

- **RIP:** William Day, John McCormack.
- Anniv: Grace Olaleye.

Special Masses: Heavenly Birthday Remembrance Phobie McPhee