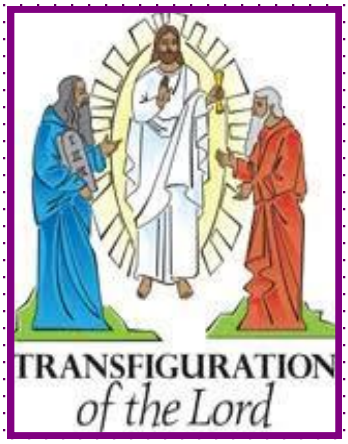
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Sunday 17th March 2019 - 2nd Sunday of Lent

Feast of St Patrick

Parish Priest: Rev. Fr Joseph Boyle
Fr Joe is generally available after Mass (other times by arrangement)

Mass Times
Saturday Vigil 6:00pm
Sunday: 9.30 & 11.00am.
Monday - Saturday 9.30am

Confession/Reconciliation
Most mornings before Mass from 9.10 - 9.25am and Saturday evening before Mass (if time runs out, after Mass)

Morning Prayer of the Church
weekdays at 9am at the front of the church before the Blessed Sacrament . You are most welcome to join us.

Novena
The Novena to Our Lady of Perpetual Succour is prayed on: Monday at 7.00pm with a time of Eucharistic adoration

Rosary
Is prayed after morning Mass Tues-Sat

How to join the Catholic Church
Adults who would like to join our Church community are most welcome to make this known. *(After initial enquiry, preparations begin and the time it takes will depend on Individual circumstances)*

Sacrament of the Sick
for those seriously ill or who are going into hospital contact Father Joe .

Marriage
by appointment with Parish Priest
(6 months notice required)

Baptism:
by appointment with Parish Priest
(forms in porch)

Funerals
please contact the Parish Priest In the event of a bereavement

2019 Lent

Stations of the Cross: Monday to Friday at 6.30 pm

Lenten Retreat: Based on Jesuit Ignatian Spirituality Rev Lyn Peeden will lead the meetings in the small conference hall on Thursdays at 7 pm.

SCIAF: materials, including small boxes, are now available.

Parish Celebration of Reconciliation: will take place on Tuesday 9th April at 7 pm.

RIP Alexander Coulter (Reception Sunday 24th at 6 pm; Mass on Monday 25th at 9.30 am.); Heather Cameron.

Baptisms. This Sunday, (17th March) during Mass we welcome Connor John Smart, cared for by parents Kevin and Lauren and godparents Christopher and Kelly. We rejoice with the family and wish them every blessing.

Church Opening During the Day. Monday to Friday the church will be open until 3 pm. Access through the side door facing the hall.

Confirmation Meeting. In preparation for Confirmation we have our next meeting on Monday 18th March at 7 pm. The main hall is free on this date and so the meeting is to be in the hall. The AA uses the conference room and the Novena is held in the church at this time.

Liturgy Meeting: takes place after Maas on Thursday

Non-Denominational Schools First Communion: meet on Thursday at 7 pm.

Hall Management Meeting: takes place on Thursday at 7.30 pm.

Finances. Thanks to all who contributed to the parish upkeep. Details are available in the printed copy of the bulletin.

Dates for your Diary

Easter Sunday 21st April
First Communion: 11th May
First Communion Gaelic Children: 19th May

For those who are sick at home or in hospital:

John O'Malley; Ronnie McGoldrick; Margaret Miller; Liz Brown; Sammy Cox; Mary Gaffney; Pat & Desi Dickson; Margaret Rose Morrison; Margaret Leckie; Margaret Hooper; Eddie Gethins Snr; Frank Devlin; Liam McBrearty; John Reilly; Anna Bell; Angela Wilson; Jane Wright; Jack Foley; Alice O'Hara; Eliz Clark; D Fitzsimmons; W Silcocil; Betty Turner; Margaret Peoples; Robert Carroll ; Molly Rice.

For those who have died recently:

Heather Cameron; Michael Patrick Gillespie.

For those whose anniversaries occur around this time:

Martin Carlin (1st); Joe Graham (1st); Sandra Graham; John Scanlan; Leonard Kennedy; Mattie MacDonald Joyce O'Neiill;

FAIRTRADE FORTNIGHT IS FINISHED BUT.....

Chocolate lovers, most cocoa farmers receive 80p a day to live on, not even enough for the basics. The International poverty line set out by the World Bank is £1.50 per day. However, Fairtrade farmers do receive enough so they can improve their communities and plan for the future. During Lent, you can help, not by giving up chocolate, but by getting into the habit of using only fairly traded chocolate!! **Win win!**

GLASGOW SOUTH WEST FOODBANK:

Enough food for 100,000 meals has been provided by the south west foodbank in the last 11 months. Please continue your generous support. Thank you.

Pro-Life Mass:

This month's Pro-Life Mass will take place on Wednesday, 20th March in Bl. John Duns Scotus, 270 Ballater St, Gorbals. G5 0YT. Adoration at 6pm, followed by Rosary at 7pm and Mass at 7.30pm. All welcome. The celebrant will be Canon Joseph McAuley.

Righting the Wrong - Saint Oscar Romero Documentary Film:

will be shown at St Aloysius' Garnethill, in the Auditorium, on Monday 25th March at 7pm. Julian Filochowski, who knew Saint Oscar Romero, will present it. Tea and coffee will be served. All welcome.

Fete June 1st 2019 Raffle

As usual there will be a raffle drawn at the fete. Any suitable prizes would be greatly appreciated. The raffle donations can be given to Fr Boyle or anyone in the Fete Committee. The tickets for the raffle will be on sale on the Sundays in May. Just a reminder for our regular and new gardeners to plant your seeds and cuttings for the very popular plant stall.



LET'S MEET: Would you like to meet someone special? Let's meet is sort of like speed dating and is a very friendly, relaxed way to meet fellow single Catholics (aged 21-40) Brown's Brasserie & Bar , Glasgow. 7.00pm Saturday 6th April. To find out more and buy a £10 ticket Email:

LENT RETREAT: St Joseph's House, Cardonald (Mill Hill)

Saturday 6th April 10am - 4.30pm. To reserve a place phone: 0141 883 0139 / 07852737090.

Light lunch provided, Donation £20.00 See poster in porch

LENT SCRIPTURE: exploring the themes of the Lenten psalms, their links to the Passion narratives and their relevance for us today. Dr. Noel Donnelly at Dumbarton, Carmel, 74 Cardross Road. Wednesdays from 13th March. (see poster in porch)

SHORT TERM PLEDGE FOR LENT: The Pioneer Total Abstinence Association of the Sacred Heart of Jesus is once again promoting the "Short Term Pledge for Lent". Father Eamon Sweeney is leading a Lenten Evening Retreat in St Patrick's Church Coatbridge on Tuesday 9th April at 7pm. (Leaflets in the porch)

LENTEN STATIONS OF THE CROSS PILGRIMAGE FOR 18-35 year olds.

A Lenten Stations of the Cross Pilgrimage, inspired by the Polish "Extreme Way of the Cross" is a penitential pilgrimage undertaken over 12 hours from evening to morning. The pilgrimage, which will take place 22-23 March, begins and ends with Holy Mass and is undertaken in complete silence, with stops every hour to pray a Station of the Via Crucis. With stunning views of the West Highlands and the isolation of the night, the pilgrimage is the perfect opportunity to truly contemplate the reality of the Passion. Join us and make this Lent one of real interior conversion. To sign up, e-mail:Jamie.mcgowan@hotmail.co.uk



Legion of Mary ACIES

Nazareth House Chapel, Cardonald.

Saturday 23rd March 2pm - Tea afterwards.

MAKE BIG CHANGES HAPPEN WITH YOUR WEE BOX: Uganda has one of the youngest and fastest growing populations in the world. However, the legacy of war and a high rate of HIV and AIDS, has left many orphans and a generation of young people without hope, trapped in extreme poverty.

Please remember to pick up you **WEE BOX** this lent. Together we can end poverty

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