Church of Our Lady & St. George

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Rev. Fr. Joseph Boyle

Fr Joe is generally available after all Masses and at other times by appointment

Sunday Mass times:
Vigil 6.30 pm, 9.30 & 11.00 am

Weekday Mass Times:
Mon - Sat. Morning Mass 9.30.a.m.

Rosary: is prayed every morning, Tuesday—Saturday after morning Mass

Confession/ Reconciliation:
Any morning before Mass and Sat: 5:30-6:30pm

Novena
to Our Lady of Perpetual Help: Mon 7pm

Sacraments:

Marriage: By appointment with Parish Priest (6 months' notice required)

Baptism: By appointment with Parish Priest

Sacrament of the Sick:
For those seriously ill or going into hospital. Please phone Fr. Joe on 882-4868

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Week of Prayer for Christian Unity

Fr Joe writes:

Monday was a most eventful day as you well know. The first indication of something amiss was the helicopter overhead before and during Mass. I was to attend the funeral Mass for Fr Bernard Connell in Clydebank and travelled across on the delightful Renfrew Ferry. On the way back I met two elderly cyclists who must have been twice my age and they were coming from a trip along the canal to Kirkintilloch. "You, young man," they said, "would have done it in half the time!" One of them, John, showed me the quickest way back and I arrived just as the mounted police lorry drove into our car park.

Mrs Taylor and the staff at St George's were highly praised for dealing with the situation even though they themselves were understandably shaken by the event.

The police, too, came across very well as they brought reassurance to the public.

The word was that a 35 year old man was hospitalised and I had to text some of my friends to reassure them that the 35 year old was not me!

St Margaret of Scotland Children and Family Care Society.
Crib offerings go to this Society. The crib remains until the feast of the Presentation of the Lord, (2nd February).

Deacon Andrew's Night. We mark Deacon Andrew's five years in our parish this Thursday 26th January with Mass at 7 pm followed by a social evening in the hall. Envelopes for donations towards a presentation are available at the back of the church

Blessing of Babies: Sunday 29th January at the end of 11 am Mass.
Extract: …

May their Guardian Angels protect and guard them night and day so that no harm may ever befall them.

Support and strengthen them. Keep them in your peace. May they live out a full span of years and never cease to give you loyal and grateful service in justice and holiness all the days of their lives. Give them long life.

May they have joy and happiness all their lives and one day be received into their eternal home in heaven…

Altar Servers' Training. Niamh Flood has kindly agreed to be available to provide some training for our altar servers on Sundays 29th January and 5th February after the 11 am Mass (12 noon approx.) Not only do we wish to improve our present altar servers (always room for improvement) but we are also looking for new altar servers. We are taking in names of possible new servers starting now.

Unity Week Service last Thursday. At the time of writing the service is still to take place but we are grateful for all the work that has gone into the preparation. We have the readers, organist, cantor, children, young people, the G52 Churches Together Group, the social events team, and of course the producer and director, Joseph Quinn.

Today we welcome Margaret Duff from St. Andrew and St. Nicholas, Church of Scotland who will be reading at our !!.00am Mass, while a representative from our church will read at the Episcopalian Church of The Good Shepherd

Scottish Catholic Observer . The paper cost only £1

Birthday Greetings: to Jimmy Mann who is 86 today (Sunday) and to David Marmion (age undisclosed!)

Last week's collections. Thanks to all who contributed to the parish upkeep in our first collection which came to £935 (including Gift Aid contributions). The second collection for the Hall Debt came to £627 (including Gift Aid brown envelopes). Standing order contributions have to be added to the above amounts.

SOUTHSIDE FOODBANK

Back to basics!
Always needed are TINNED FRUIT, DRIED PASTA, UHT MILK, SUGAR, BREAKFAST CEREALS AND TEA BAGS (80s). Please add one of these to your shop whenever you can and put in the box in the porch or the hall.

Thank you.

PLEASE PRAY FOR

Those who are sick at home or in hospital:

Margaret Peoples ; Alan MacDonald; Gerard Holloran; John Reilly; Mattie MacDonald; David Kirkwood; Margaret Miller; Linda Fulton; Therese O'Neill; Betty Hassan; Phyllis Sykes; Catherine Leverage; Angela Stirling; Sadie Reid; Joe Cusack; Joan Campbell; Michael Scott; Gladys Connelly; Margaret Barr; John O'Malley; John Strange; Liam Cullen; Craig Asher; John O'Neill; Heather Hunt: Jo Maule; Shirley Conlon; Christine Kelly; Maurice Duffy; Elizabeth Clark; Barry Turnbull; Anna Bell; Patsy Pollok; Betty Turner.

For those who have recently died:

Mary Rose Power (Cumbernauld); Tommy Sheridan Snr; Colette Philips; Hugh Cawley (Sligo)Paddy McKinney; Eithne McCourt; Tommy Walls; Sheila McGoldrick.

For those whose Anniversaries occur around this time:

Danny McLaughlin; Christine Feeley (10 Yrs); Mary McDaid; Jessie Queen (11Yrs); George Crawford (40 Yrs); B. Puline Hood; Josie Swift; Milly McFlynn.

THE NEWMAN ASSOCIATION
(GLASGOW CIRCLE)

THE EXTRAORDINARY JUBILEE OF MERCY: THE LEGACY

A talk by Father Jim Lawlor

The Ogilvie Centre, St Aloysius Church Rose Street, Glasgow G3 6RE

7.30 pm on Thursday 26th January 2017

ALL WELCOME

NON MEMBERS ADMISSION £3.00 INCLUDES REFRESHMENTS

GLASGOW CARES CAN YOU?

CAN YOU HELP TO GIVE A YOUNG PERSON A BETTER FUTURE?

Most of the unaccompanied young people who are coming to Glasgow are aged 16-18 and will speak little or no English

These young people will require a stable home with support and care. Support and training will be provide.

PLASE HELP!
For Drop in Information Events
(please see poster in porch)

THANK YOU—NOW BELT UP!

Once again the response to the SSVP "Jacket in Appeal" has been great. Many thanks and keep them coming.
We have a problem with some of our customers who are very thin and we often have to supply them with trousers which are one or two sizes too big. To keep them up we need **BELTS.**

SO IF YOU CAN LOOK OUT YOUR SURPLUS AND LEAVE THEM IN THE CHURCH PORCH WE WILL BE VERY GRATEFUL.



AGAP

FILM AND FAITH CLUB

Will meet at 1.00pm for a Matinee and for a second screening at 7pm.

in St. Mungo's Retreat House next to Saint Mungo's Church, Townhead,52 Parson Street, GLASGOW G4 0RX

This month's film is "Unbroken" (2014)

New members welcome. Totally Free!
Big screen and speakers. Tea/coffee and chat

Due to large numbers attending, please register your place beforehand either on our website: www.agap.org.uk/events/ or email info@agap.org.uk Or call 0141-552-5527

SPRED

SPRED works within the Church to help people who have a learning disability to belong to their parish community. We are a small group but we journey together in faith and friendship as you may have witnessed during one of our 11.00am Masses.

The success of the group, however, depends on having sufficient volunteers to help. We have at least one member of our parish with learning difficulties who would love to join us but i unable to as we do not have a catechist to accompany her on her faith journey. We also require one additional volunteer driver.

If you would like to find out what is involved in belonging to our SPRED group there will be an information evening in the SPREAD centre, 20 Robroyston Road,
GLASGOW G33 1EQ
at 7pm on Tuesday 31st January.
Please call Lisbeth Raeside at the SPREAD office on: 0141 770 5055 for further information or just come along on the night.. You can be assured of a warm welcome.

ST. ANDREW'S AND ST NICHOLAS'

INVITE YOU TO AN EVENING OF SONG BY THE CLYDEBANK MALE VOICE CHOIR ON FRIDAY 27TH JANUARY AT 7.00PM IN BOWFIELD CRESCENT, PENILEE.
TICKETS £5 AVAILABLE AT THE DOOR