CHURCH OF OUR LADY & ST. GEORGE

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Parish Priest:
Rev. Fr. Joseph Boyle
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Fr Joe is generally available after all Masses and in the evenings from 8.30 – 9.30 pm Monday –Thursday except Wednesdays.

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

Weekday Mass Times:
Mon- Sat. Morning Mass 9.30am
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:

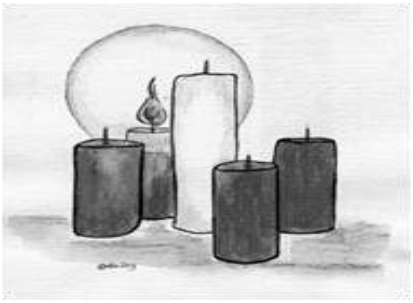
Marriage: By appointment with Parish Priest
(6 months' notice required)

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

Funerals: Please approach the Parish Priest in the event of bereavement.





Fr Joe writes. "Fr Bede told us all about Our Lady and St George's" said one of the monks in Pluscarden Abbey when I was there on retreat last month. It would seem that Fr Bede Kierney came from this parish before he entered Pluscarden in 1975. He made solemn profession in 1980, and was ordained priest in 1983. From 1993 until 2011 he was the community cellarer in St Mary's, Petersham, Massachusetts. After spending most of 2011 in a linked monastery Kristo Buase, in Ghana he returned to Pluscarden and was guest master till his appointment as the first elected Prior of the newly independent monastery, Kristo Buase. If any of you bump into him on your travels tell him we are asking for him. Fr Anselm, Abbot of Pluscarden, asks us to keep them all in our prayers. *(Fr Bede's photograph appears on the front of the magazine "Pluscarden Benedictines*.")

Advent: We begin a season of joyful expectation of the Lord's coming this weekend. In the parish we have arranged a celebration of the Sacrament of Reconciliation, with individual confession, for Tuesday 13th December at 7 pm. Several priests have agreed to come along to help with confessions.

In St Andrew's Cathedral Confessions will be available from 7.30 am until 5.30 pm on Tuesday 20th December. **(see poster in porch)**
Be sure and make this season a most joyful and liberating one.

Last week's collections. Thanks to all who contribute in any way. £925 was taken up at the Presentation of the Gifts (including Gift Aid contributions). The second collection for the hall building fund came to £725 (including Gift Aid brown envelopes). Standing order contributions have to be added to the above amounts.

St Nicholas Care Fund The Advent packs are now available in the porch of the church. On the 3rd Sunday of Advent we take up the second collection for this fund. Small groups within the Archdiocese of Glasgow and beyond can apply for funds using the application forms. Contact details contained in the packs.

Glasgow Churches Together:
Vigil of St Andrew, Tuesday 29th November at 7 pm in St Stephen's Church Bath St. (Refreshments to Follow. All welcome)
Blessing of Crib, George Square: Wednesday 7th December at 6.30 pm.

Carols for Peace: City Chambers, Sunday 18th December at 3 pm.

Christmas Carol Concert: in St. Andrew's Cathedral 20th Dec. 7.00pm
(See posters in porch for more details of these events)

SOUTHSIDE FOODBANK

The foodbank urgently needs **UHT MILK, TINNED FRUIT, PASTA, BREAKFAST CEREALS, SUGAR and TEA BAGS(80s).** Any other items, **including items of hygiene are also very much appreciated.**

Please put any donation you can in the boxes in the porch or the hall. **Thank You.**

Parish Council : The next meeting is for this Thursday, 1st December at 7 pm.
Finance Meeting: The next meeting is to take place next Sunday, 4th December at 12.15 pm.

Freedom from Torture
Charity Card Sale
In the hall
TODAY
Please come in and have a LOOK!

PLEASE PRAY FOR

THOSE WHO ARE SICK AT HOME OR IN HOSPITAL:

Alan McDonald; Robert Carroll; Liam Cullen; Craig Asher; Lilian Dallas; Mary Donnelly; John O'Malley; Therese O'Neill; Betty Hassan; Phyllis Sykes; Maggie Wallis; Catherine Leverage; Izzy Gourley; Angela Stirling; Sadie Reid; John Reilly; Linda Fulton; Margaret Miller; John O'Neill; David Kirkwood; Mamie Murray; Shirley Conlon; Christine Kelly; Maurice Duffy; Eithne McCourt; Michel Devlin; Kell Drummond; Joan Campbell.

THOSE WHO HAVE RECENTLY DIED:

Michael McKinnon; Ann Campbell; Brian Gannon; Neil Millington;

THOSE WHOSE ANNIVERSARIES OCCUR AROUND THIS TIME:

Denis + Sarah Doherty; Linda McAteer; Jim + Maisie Magennis; Jim Magennis; Catherine Ward.

FREEDOM FOM TORTURE

Charity cards on sale in the hall Today Sunday 27th November. Please support the work of this charity which has a clinic here in Glasgow, helping to rehabilitate victims of torture seeking asylum here. To find out more, see:

www.freedomfromtorture.org

ST ANDREW'S CATHEDRAL ADVENT REFLECTION

For Teachers and School Staff
Tuesday 29th November 7.00-8.30pm

And on the 200th Anniversary of the opening of the cathedral and the Solemnity of ST. Andrew Archbishop Tartaglia will celebrate a Mass of thanksgiving
30th November 2016 at 1.00pm
ALL WELCOME!

"JACKET-IN" WINTER APPEAL



The SSVP would like everyone to get a new warm jacket for the winter... and give us your old one. To distribute to those who don't have a warm one or don't have any. In particular we need gent's jackets as we can very quickly run out of them at this time of the year. Please put them in a bag and leave them in the "porch Shop" for us to collect and deliver to our premises in town. THANK YOU!

The Jesse Tree



During Advent the children will prepare the Jesse Tree. They will decorate the tree on the four Sundays of Advent.

The decorations represent the promises God made throughout the Old Testament concerning the birth of His only Son. The tree is named after Jesse, the father of David, the great king of Israel. Jesse and David were promised that God's only Son would be born in their family. The decorations begin with Creation and end with the birth of Jesus.

ROSARIES ABROAD

On behalf of the Cantenian Association

Since 2009 we have been sending Rosaries to Aboriginals in Australia and to 3rd World Countries in Africa.

Please search your cupboards and drawers for surplus Rosaries and help us to get them into the hands of those who Love, Cherish and Pray them. **(See poster and collection box for Rosaries in porch)**

NEW DANCE CLASSES for ADULT BEGINNERS in BALLET 7-8pm and JAZZ 8-9pm, Tuesdays, in The Wynd Centre, 6 School Wynd, PaisleyPA1 2DB. For more details please call: Jennifer Scott on 07910686758 or email; jenniferscottdance@gmail.com



IN LINBURN ACADEMY THURSDAY 1ST DEC. FROM 10AM-12PM

There's a tombola stall and if you have any unwanted gifts or bottles of any sort these can be handed into the school office beforehand. Funds raised will help with extra-curricular activities for pupils with significant additional learning needs.

Cardonald Parish Church

Invites you to their "Christmas tree Festival"
6th –10th December 2016:
Tuesday 6th—Dedication of Trees @ 10am
Friday 9th - Carol Singing @ 7pm
(see poster in porch)



MARY'S MEALS / CHRISTMAS ROMANIA APPEAL 2016

The final date for donations will be Sunday 3rd December. We hope to ship them on 11th to arrive on the 16th. Thank you for all your help in the past!

Cathie & Charlie Marr Tel: 07730766501

Carols by Candlelight

Church of the Good Shepherd
38 Hillington Road South
Sunday 18th December—7.00pm
See poster in porch for more details



Please note that some notices have had to be edited due to lack of space and that parish and diocesan notices must take priority.