Church of Our Lady & St George

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Fr Joe is generally available after Mass and in the evening between 8.30-9.30pm except Wednesdays and funerals.

Deacon: Andrew Davis: Available: Monday & Wednesday evenings 7-9pm in his office or can be reached through the Parish phone number

Mass Times:
Saturday Vigil 6:30pm,
Sunday: 9:30 , 11:00am incl Children's Liturgy
Monday-Saturday 9:30am

Novena to Our Lady of Perpetual Succour:
Monday 7pm

Exposition of the Blessed Sacrament::
Friday 10am

The Prayer of the Church
The Morning Prayer of the Church is celebrated:
Monday to Friday 9.00am

Confession/Reconciliation:
Any morning before Mass & Saturday 5:30-6:30pm

The Rosary
Is prayed morning Mass on: Tues, Wed, Thurs, Fri, and Sat

Lent: Stations of the Cross
are held each evening Monday to Friday at 6 pm.

Holy Sacraments

Sacrament of the Sick: for those seriously ill or are going into hospital
Marriage: by appointment with Parish Priest (6 months notice req'd)
Baptism: By appointment with Parish Priest (forms available in porch)
Funerals: Please approach Parish Priest in the event of a bereavement

LAST WEEK'S COLLECTIONS: £973 was taken up at the Presentation of the Gifts (including Gift Aid contributions) and £619 taken up in the second collection which is for the Sick and Retired Priests Fund and for the parish Rewiring Loan account. Many thanks to all who have contributed, including those who do so by standing order. Many thanks also to the generous donor who has covered the cost of the new microphones.

On the 4th Sunday of Lent the 2nd collection is for SCIAF. On Good Friday a collection will be taken up for the upkeep of the Holy Places

LOST PROPERTY: our current lost property collection has reached a record high. If you are wondering what happened to your hat, gloves, umbrella or toy train set it may be awaiting to be reclaimed. If not claimed items may have to be disposed of.

Repentant Reconciled Renewed

Fr Joe writes...

Finding a local barber to suit my needs was one of the tasks I had to attend to on my move to Penilee, a barber who wouldn't keep me too long, and one who would leave just the right amount of cover for the winter. So I offered myself to an eighty five year old experienced gentleman and when he had completed the task on hand he observed my clerical collar.

Then he gave me his story. Two or three times a week he makes his way to St Aloysius' Church in Garnethill and kneels in prayer at the shrine to St John Ogilvie before moving on to other locations in the church. His fingers had once been turned in on themselves and after praying at the shrine they slowly straightened up once again. Other ailments have gone too and the word "miracle" was used, if rather hesitantly. Yes, there is a new and most beautiful icon of the saint at the shrine of John Ogilvie, and the explanatory leaflet makes for fascinating reading.

Time, I too made another visit to the church, for that was until recently my regular haunt for the celebration of the Sacrament of Penance. I may even meet my barber there, but not as a barber, but as a fellow pilgrim.
The feast of St John Ogilvie is on March 10th.

Celebrating the Sacrament of Reconciliation: Pope Francis' "Missionary of Mercy" Fr Ross Campbell is to come to our parish on Friday 11th March at 7 pm to celebrate the parish celebration of Reconciliation. "Missionaries of Mercy" are priest who are personally commissioned by the Holy Father to help bring the graces of the Jubilee Year to the local churches throughout the world.

Lenten Station Mass: The Archbishop is to celebrate our Station Mass on Friday 4th March at 7 pm in Our Lady of Lourdes Church.

First Reconciliation: The celebration of **the Sacrament is to be on Tuesday 8th March.**

PASSKEEPERS NEEDED AT 11'O'CLOCK MASS

We are very short of Passkeepers at the 11 o'clock Mass. The main duty is taking up the collections, welcoming parishioners to Mass, opening & closing main doors.

If you can assist even if only occasionally, please let Fr Joe or Dan Bradley know.

Ladies & gentlemen are invited so please give it your consideration.



PRAY FOR . . .

Those who are sick;

Canon John McAuley; Fr Neil Donnachie; Betty McCreadie; Alan MacDonald; John Reilly; Eithne McCourt; Joan Whyte; Christine Kelly; Maurice Duffy; Christine Donnelly; Alan Ballingal; Therese O'Neill; Betty Hassan; Phyllis Sykes; Catherine Leverage; Richard Heuchan; Fiona Campbell; Robert Carroll; Angela Stirling; Sadie Reid; Cathy Goldie; John O'Malley; Liam Cullen; Rose Darragh; Margaret Peoples; Paul Hunter; Anna Bell; Barry Turnbull; Elizabeth Graham; Mary Kilpatrick; Kell Drummond; Kathleen McNeece; Joseph Mills.

Those who have died recently:

Cathy Milne.

Those whose anniversaries occur around this time:

Mary Moore; Eamon, Norah & Teresa Mills; Charles Gaffney.

***Names for the bulletin** should be entered on the list available in the corridor linking the church and the house before Thursday each week.

SSVP Winter Warmer

Thank you to everybody who made the event such a success, including "What's the Pointe?", the volunteer drivers, kitchen staff and other helpers, our Parish musicians, caterers and bar staff. Remember that we run outings throughout the year for many of our more elderly, housebound and isolated Parishioners, many of whom were at the Winter Warmer.

If you would like to be considered for these outings, know someone who would, or would like to be an occasional volunteer driver please speak to any SSVP member or place your contact details in our collection boxes.

AGAP theatre presents 'Among Women' here on Friday 4th March at 7.30 pm. Tickets are £5 and available at the back of the church or in the sacristy. Tickets also available from 0141 552 5527 or lentfest.co.uk.

See Posters in Porch for the Following:

Tuesday 01 March: Lenten Evening Retreat: Short Term Pledge for Lent

Friday 04 March: Clydebank Male Voice Choir Concert at Christ the King.

Friday 04 March: Pro-Life: Fiddlers Rally in Glasgow City Chambers

Wednesday 09 March: Ecumenical Vespers at 7pm at St Aloysius to mark the close of the 400th Anniversary Year of St John Ogilvie

Saturday 19 March & Sunday 20 March: Passion Play, St Josephs, Robroyston at 3pm. Tickets £5

Forthcoming Social Events...





TICKETS ON SALE THIS WEEKEND

SOUTHSIDE FOODBANK

March is dessert month!

CUSTARD and TINNED FRUIT

have been asked for.

Anything else is always welcome too, especially

UHT MILK and SUGAR.

Thank you

400 CLUB

There are spaces available at £1 per month. see Liam in the hall after Masses. Many thanks.

JOIN NOW!

Sunday Cafe		
Date	**9.30**	**11.00**
28.03.16	Margaret Gilfillan Grace Maxwell	Alexandra Gallagher Angela McRae
06.03.16	Lorraine Graham Margot Lorimer	Josephine McKinnon Carly Horne
13.03.16	Morag McKelvie Marjorie Mulrooney	Frances Clark Helena Campbell

Café and Kitchen Procedure List: is now available from the Café Rota folder in the Link Corridor – helpful to know where to get things, etc.

Hall Fundraising Committee Meeting: Tuesday 01 March at 7.15pm

Liturgy Group Meeting: to take place on Tuesday after Mass.

Sandwood Tenants & Residents Association: Meeting in Church Hall on Wednesday 2nd March at 6;30pm.