



# St. Patrick's Parish

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## TWENTY NINTH SUNDAY OF THE YEAR, Year C

### Page 72 in the Mass Book

Parables found only in Luke often begin with an explanation. Jesus told this one to teach disciples to pray continually and never lose heart. It is about a widow (in Jewish society a widow would be a voiceless person) who was denied justice. She should not have approached the judge personally, but she persists and the judge gives in. If a wicked judge can be made to do the right thing, how much more can we trust God to do so?

Mass Times this week		
Monday	10am	Memorial: St Ignatius of Antioch
Tuesday	10am	Feast: St Luke
Wednesday	10am	Week 29 Year C
Thursday	10am	Week 29 Year C
Friday	10am	Week 29 Year C
Saturday	10am	Week 29 Year C
Saturday	6pm Vigil	Week 30 Year C
Sunday	10am	

**Rosary (9.30am) and Morning Prayer (9.45am) daily** in the church  
**DIVINE MERCY PRAYER GROUP Thursdays 7pm**

**COLLECTIONS 9<sup>th</sup> October: £382.80**

**FORTHCOMING COLLECTIONS:** 23<sup>rd</sup> October is Mission Sunday  
This year we are invited to reach out and help projects like those run by the Franciscan Sisters of the Immaculate Conception in Kenya. The sisters' project aims to help children living with disabilities and their families in Kericho, Kenya. Video available at [www.missio.scot](http://www.missio.scot)

## **HELP NEEDED!**

Our church cleaners are all over 70 and are experiencing difficulties with the task of cleaning such a large church. Would you be willing to help? They clean once a month, normally after 10am Mass but can be flexible, depending on your availability and could do an evening. If you are interested please see Rosaleen Hart after Mass.



## **FREE TRIAL OF UNIVERSE NEWSPAPER FOR A MONTH**

We have been given complimentary copies of the Universe for 4 weeks. Please take a paper and, if you are subsequently interested, there are fliers available for you to sign up for a subscription.

## **MASS FOR NEWLY MARRIED COUPLES OF 2016**

Archbishop Tartaglia will celebrate Holy Mass for the newly married couples of the Archdiocese in St Andrew's Cathedral on Sunday 13 November at 3pm. In particular all couples of the Archdiocese married during the last 12 months are invited to attend.

## **AGED BETWEEN 18 AND 35?**

Come along to our Faith-Filled Sunday Evenings at 7pm in the Ignatian Spirituality Centre beside St Aloysius Church

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| 16th October  | Reflective Evening Mass: Finding God in All Things.       |
| 6th November  | Theology: Do science and religion have different answers? |
| 20th November | Reflective Evening Mass: Finding God in the Bible         |
| 4th December  | Open Topic Christmas Celebration                          |
- Understand a little more about the Christian Faith, enjoy the company of like-minded people, socialise with men and woman of a similar age. These evenings will begin with a simple meal plus the contents of whatever bottles have been brought so BYOB. They will end in time for you to attend the 9pm Mass in St Aloysius if you wish. The Third Sunday of the month is a reflective evening with Mass celebrated in the Centre, an introduction to different ways of prayer and a look at the Scripture of the day. Again we begin with some food. No fixed donation required but an offering toward the expenses of the evening welcome.

## PARISH FUNDRAISING

Funds raised are split 50/50 between the Parish and the Mission Project in Nigeria.

To date we have raised around £2000 for the Mission Project and £1500 for the Parish (we had some specific donations to the Mission Project)



Our **cake and candy** stall is on the second Sunday of the month.

**THIRD NATIONAL DIVINE MERCY CONFERENCE** - St Mirin's Cathedral, Ince Street, Paisley Saturday 22 October 2016, 09:00 - 17:00

Hosted by Friends of Divine Mercy Scotland

Register online: [www.glasgow.ac.uk/Catholicchaplaincy/Divinemeracy](http://www.glasgow.ac.uk/Catholicchaplaincy/Divinemeracy)

or by Email: [RCChaplaincy-FODM@GLASGOW.AC.UK](mailto:RCChaplaincy-FODM@GLASGOW.AC.UK)

Or leave your name and address by phone: Tel: Helen Border on 01505 336269 and we will send you a registration form.

Speakers:

Fr Ross Campbell: Appointed by Pope Francis as a missionary of Mercy for Scotland along with several other priests.

Fr Peter Prusakiewicz: World renowned expert on Divine Mercy and the Holy Angels.

Bishop John Keenan: Will be leading a workshop and celebrating Holy Mass at 4.00 pm.

**DISCUSSION ON ECUMENISM** for Parishioners with an interest in Ecumenism are invited to an evening discussion on Monday, 24 October 2016 at 7.00 pm in Eyre Hall, Tea/coffee from 6.30 pm.

### PLEASE PRAY FOR:

**Recently dead:** Patricia McGrotty (Nee Pat Rock), Bishop Mone

**Anniversaries:** Joe Gray, John & Ellen Stafford, The Stafford Family, John Stafford Jnr, Ronnie Campbell

**NOVEMBER LISTS** available at the back of the Church. Please take and place in the box that will be available at the back of the church next week.

## YEAR OF MERCY EVENTS

**TALK:** Living Mercy as a Charism Sr Patricia Orr. Saturday 22<sup>nd</sup> October 1pm in the Ogilvie Centre at St Aloysius Church.

**ANNUAL CROWNING PILGRIMAGE** 23<sup>rd</sup> October 2016 at Schoenstatt. 3pm Rosary 3.30pm Mass then procession to the shrine for the re-crowning of Our Lady. See poster for details

### LITANY OF MERCY

Lord have mercy on us.	<i>Lord have mercy on us.</i>
Christ have mercy on us.	<i>Christ have mercy on us.</i>
Lord have mercy on us.	<i>Lord have mercy on us.</i>
God the Father, creator of the universe.	<i>Have mercy on us.</i>
God the Son, Eternal Word made flesh	<i>Have mercy on us.</i>
God the Holy Spirit, fount of wisdom and love.	<i>Have mercy on us.</i>

Upon all who feed the hungry. *Bestow O Lord, your mercy*

Upon all who give relief from thirst.

Upon all who shelter the homeless.

Upon all who welcome the stranger.

Upon all who care for the sick.

Upon all who visit prisoners and outcasts.

Upon all who bury the dead with dignity.

Upon all who open the minds of others to you.

Upon all who turn the hearts of others to you.

Upon all who draw those astray back to you.

Upon all who comfort the sorrowful.

Upon all who forgive injuries done to them.

Upon all who bear wrongs patiently.

Upon all who pray for the living and the dead.

Lamb of God, you take away the sins of the world, have mercy on us;

Lamb of God, you take away the sins of the world, have mercy on us;

Lamb of God, you take away the sins of the world, grant us peace.