



# St. Patrick's Parish

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**9<sup>th</sup> August 2015: Nineteenth Sunday Year B**  
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Mass Times this week		
Monday 10 <sup>th</sup> August	10am	Feast: St Lawrence
Tuesday 11 <sup>th</sup> August	10am	Memorial: St Clare
Wednesday 12 <sup>th</sup> August	10am	Week 19 Year B
Thursday 13 <sup>th</sup> August	10am	Week 19 Year B
Friday 14 <sup>th</sup> August	10am	Memorial: St Maximilian Kolbe
Saturday 15 <sup>th</sup> August	10am	<b>Solemnity of the Assumption of the Blessed Virgin Mary</b>
Saturday 15 <sup>th</sup> August Sunday 16 <sup>th</sup> August	6pm Vigil 10am	Sunday Week 20 Year B

**Morning Prayer:** Monday-Saturday 9.45am

Confessions: 9.30–9.45 am; 5.30-5.50 pm on Saturdays

*The church will be open Sun–Fri:8am–4pm (Wednesday 8am-1pm)*

## RECENT COLLECTIONS

2<sup>nd</sup> August £277.15

Mission Appeal: £453.40 This total does not include cheques written on the day and payable directly to the sisters

## FORTHCOMING COLLECTIONS: 16<sup>th</sup> August Assisted Parishes

**Saturday** is the Solemnity of the Assumption and is not a Holyday of Obligation this year because it falls on a Saturday. However, the Masses we attend when there is no obligation bring their own spiritual blessings. Please make an effort to come to 10am Mass on Saturday.

**DIVINE MERCY PRAYER GROUP** on Thursdays at 7pm

**200 Club Winners**

£100 Mary Williamson                      £50 Daniella Rizzo  
£25 Eileen Friel                              £25 Ignatius Lunny

Well done! If you would like the chance to win then please join our 200 club- see Ellen at the stall. The money that we raise helps our parish funds.

**READERS AND MINISTERS OF THE EUCHARIST** new rota available at the back of the church

**MASS FOR THE FEAST OF THE QUEENSHIP OF MARY**

The Family of Mary Immaculate Queen (Scotland) invites you to celebrate the Mass for the Queenship of Mary at Our Lady of Good Council, 6 Broompark Circus, Glasgow, G31 2JF.

Mass will take place on Saturday, 22 August 2015 with the Rosary at 12 noon and Mass at 1.00pm. Tea will be served in the parish hall afterwards. Open to everyone who wishes to give Our Lady a special place in their home, in their heart and in their life.

For further information contact Jim Murphy, Co-ordinator. Tel: 01389 731690 or 0750 601 2306 or Email [info@mig.org.uk](mailto:info@mig.org.uk)

**PARISH MISSION PROJECT**

At the last Parish Meeting it was agreed that we would support a Mission Project as we were not proceeding with another phase of the restoration project at this time. It was agreed that we would support a building project in St Andrew's Catholic Parish in Ndimoko, Arondizuogo. Why there? It's Fr Francis' home parish. A makeshift church was erected in 1916 and Ndimoko was granted the status of a parish in 1954. The foundation stone of the new church was laid in 1972 and the church was inaugurated in March 2013. The build is still ongoing and they need a roof costing about £32,000 (a bit less than our roof!) because the roof is wood and zinc and has deteriorated.

We will be posting details of the project on the exhibition space at the side of the church, starting with some photos of the church. Have a look and dream up ideas for what we can do to support this project.

**DO YOU PAY BY DIRECT DEBIT?** If so, there are laminated cards available at the back of the church for you to use when the collection comes around so you don't feel embarrassed! These will be returned to the back of the Church each week.

## **ST MARGARET'S CHILDREN AND FAMILY CARE SOCIETY CHARITY BALL**

St Margaret's Children and Family Care Society are hosting a Charity ball in Glasgow on Saturday, 19 September to celebrate their 60th anniversary and raise funds for post adoption services. If you wish to purchase tickets please contact Joanne Hearl on 0141 332 8371 or email: [joanne@stmargaretsadoption.org.uk](mailto:joanne@stmargaretsadoption.org.uk)

## **AGAP AUDITIONS**

AGAP is holding open auditions for a new play that will tour parishes in late October/early November as part of Arts in Autumn.

"Wilderness" is a modern day parable set within a fictional parish and explores issues raised by Pope Francis in Evangelii Gaudium ("The Joy of the Gospel") through comedy and dialogue. Auditions will take place on Monday 24 August at 7.30 pm (for 2 hours) at St Michael's Church Hall, 1350 Gallowgate, Parkhead (opposite the Forge Shopping Centre). Also interested to hear from people who want to help. Participants must be over 16 years of age and available on Mondays and Thursdays for rehearsals. Enquiries: 0141 554 1333 or [info@agap.org.uk](mailto:info@agap.org.uk) (More info: [www.agap.org.uk](http://www.agap.org.uk))

## **MY PARISH SELFIE- AGAP Summer Fun Photo Challenge**

Grab your phone or camera and snap a "selfie" that captures some aspect of life in the parish. Top 5 entries will win a £20 Amazon voucher. Entrants must be over 16 years of age. Selected entries will be displayed in an exhibition in September and Online via the AGAP website and social media pages. Email your pic to [info@agap.org.uk](mailto:info@agap.org.uk) by 24<sup>th</sup> August 2015. Visit agap website for terms and conditions

## **NATIONAL PILGRIMAGE OF PRAYER**

for the success of the forthcoming Synod on the Family will take place at the Carfin Grotto on Sunday 6<sup>th</sup> September at 3pm.

## **ARCHDIOCESAN PILGRIMAGE TO ROME 2016**

The Archdiocese is organising a pilgrimage to Rome for the recently proclaimed Holy Year of Mercy. The Glasgow pilgrimage will take place 22nd—29th May 2016 and will be led by Archbishop Tartaglia. See poster for details. Price will be approximately £760 and will be confirmed when the level of interest is established.

To express an interest please e-mail: rome2016@rcag.org.uk or phone 0141 226 5898 and ask for Anne Fitzgerald

## **VOCATIONS AWARENESS**

This Autumn the Archdiocese will be launching a new vocations campaign “DO THIS IN MEMORY OF ME” Its aim will be to raise awareness of the need for Priestly vocations in our Archdiocese and to encourage the faithful to pray for and promote vocations across our parishes.

Please give our Archdiocesan Vocations Facebook page a “like” and our Twitter account a follow - @RCAGVocations

## **Pope's intention for August**

Universal: VOLUNTEERS

That volunteers may give themselves generously to the service of the needy.

Evangelisation: OUTREACH TO THE MARGINALISED

That setting aside our very selves we may learn to be neighbours to those who find themselves on the margins of human life and society.

**MONTH'S MIND MASS** for Fr James Cosker on Monday 10<sup>th</sup> August 2015 at St Brendan's Yoker.

## **Please Pray for:**

Sick: William Bradley, Isabella Robertson, all the sick in the Beatson Cancer hospital

Recently dead: Stefano Rossi, Nello Togneri

Anniversaries : James & Mary Dempster