

Mass of St Patrick

St Andrew's Cathedral, Glasgow Saturday 17th March at 11.30am. Celebrant: Most Rev. Archbishop Philip Tartaglia. Due to large numbers expected, please come early if you require a seat.

AGAP Events

St. Mungo's Retreat, 52 Parson St. Townhead, G4 0RX for Info/Bookings: 0141 55 5527 or info@agap.org.uk

Gift Aid

If you are an existing member of the Gift Aid Scheme and pay by Direct Debit, no further action is required. If you use envelopes, these will be distributed at the back of the Church after Masses on the weekends of:

17/18th and 24/25th March.

Parishioners are welcome to join both the gift Aid scheme using envelopes or Direct Debit, or both if you wish, and also the Restoration Fund using Yellow Envelopes. The only stipulation is that you fill out a Declaration form saying you are paying tax and wish the parish to reclaim some of the tax you are paying. If you currently assist through the new Restoration Fund and are using the yellow envelopes please note that you need to fill out a declaration form unless you have already done so. Without this the Parish cannot claim the tax refund from the government. Please ask the Parish Gift Aid coordinator if you are unclear.

Thank you for choosing to support the Parish through Gift Aid.

Gift Aid is a way of giving to the Parish with no cost to yourself. Fr Conroy appreciates all assistance given to the Parish through Gift Aid.



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Third Sunday of Lent

Sunday 4th March 2018

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STATIONS OF THE CROSS:

Mon - Sat 9:40 am unless there is a funeral
Sunday 4.00 pm together with Benediction.

MASSES:

Saturday 6.30 pm Vigil Mass
Sunday 10.00 am, 12.00 Noon and 5.30 pm

Weekdays:

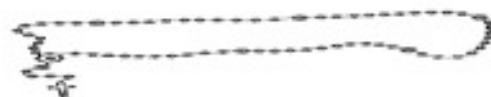
Mon — Sat 10.00am
Mon, Tues and Fri 7.00 pm
Wed and Fri 8.30 am in St Patrick's Primary School

SACRAMENT OF RECONCILIATION:

Daily After 10.00 am Mass
Saturday After 10.00 am Mass, 5.15 to 6.15 pm and other times by arrangement

ROSARY:

Mon-Sat After 10.00 am Mass (unless there is a funeral)



Feast Days

Sat Feast of St John Ogilvie

Second Collection:

Next Sunday the collection is for SCIAF.

Confirmation

Children from St Patrick's and St Peter's Parishes will be confirmed by Archbishop Tartaglia in St Patrick's on Friday 23rd March at 7.00pm. Please remember them in your prayers.

First Confession

For the children of Primary 3 will be on Thursday 15th March. Please remember them in your prayers.

Lenten Scripture at Carmel

"One Passion: Four Portraits". Valuing the distinctive features of the Passion Narratives and their relevance for prayer and action today. Dumbarton Carmel with Dr Noel Donnelly, 2.30 – 3.30 followed by tea and chat. March: 6, 13, 20

Christian Aid Lent Lunches

Served in Riverside Church on Thursday: 8, 15, 22 March 12 noon to 1.30 pm. Cost £3 for soup, bread cheese and tea. Please come along and support this event.

Wee Box 2018

SCIAF Wee Boxes. There are dozens of Wee Boxes left. Please take one home for Lent and return it at Easter. The amount you return will be matched until 8th May by the Government.

Church Hall

Rosebuds:

Wednesday Meeting from 6.00 pm to 7.15pm.

The Parents and Toddlers group:

Friday Meeting from 9.30 - 11.30 am.

St Patrick's Youth Club:

Tuesday for P6 and P7 from 6.30 pm - 8.00 pm.

Wishing to share your faith: Calling all children from P6 Onwards - if you are in the Mini Vinnies—P6 onwards junior SSVP S1 onwards—or are interested in just giving back to the community or sharing your faith, come and join us at the

Youth Club on Tuesdays from 8.00 pm - 9.30 pm at the Church Hall.

Building Fund Update

Cost of work to Church:	31,716.00
Cost of work to House:	141,721.28
Cost of work to Hall:	183,645.56
Total Cost of work:	357,082.84
Amount raised so far	
Including donations:	157,416.26
Amount still to raise:	199,666.58

Cake and Candy

Thanks to all who baked, bought and helped last Sunday after 10 o'clock mass in the hall. We raised a fantastic sum of £175. Well done!!

Dumbarton Churches Together

St Augustine's Church: Praise and Prayer Evening Monday 5th March at 7.00 pm. cancelled due to the weather.

Monday Lunch Club

We were delighted by the initial response to our appeal for vegetable and ham stock cubes, beans, tinfoil, cling wrap, baking paper. We would also like to ask for vouchers or stamps for Morrison's, ASDA, or any local supermarkets, to help with the weekly purchase of meat and chicken. We really

appreciate all the support we receive from the parish which allows us to feed approximately 60 people each week. If there is anyone interested in helping with the lunches, especially someone who can relieve our cook it would be greatly appreciated.

200 Club

There are now numbers available for future monthly Draws, if you would like to join. Please take an Application Form and return to box at back of Church, thank you.

Prayer Shawl Group

Next Meeting in Ben View on Wednesday 7th of March after the 10am Mass. It's been a few months since our last Meeting, so "Thank You" to all members for continuing to knit and hand in prayer shawls and scarves, they are very much appreciated. They are still travelling near and far! If more details are needed please contact: Irene 731409 Nancy 761273.