
ST PATRICK'S DUMBARTON

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Sunday	27th Week of Year
Monday	27th Week of Year
Tuesday	Memorial-Our Lady of the Rosary
Wednesday	27th Week of Year
Thursday	27th Week of Year
Friday	27th Week of Year
Saturday	27th Week of Year

REGULAR MASS SCHEDULE

Sunday	10 am, 12 noon, 5.30 pm
Monday	10 am, 7pm
Tuesday	10 am, 12.40 pm in OLSP, 7pm
Wednesday	10 am
Thursday	10 am
Friday	10 am, 7 pm
Saturday	10 am, 5 pm (vigil)
	Rosary: After 10am Mass (except when there is a Funeral)
	Confessions: Daily after 10 am Mass. Saturday 4.15-4.45 pm
	Confession available at other times by arrangement

THE PARISH

PREVIOUS COLLECTIONS

Date	Gift Aid	Offertory
28.09.2025	£755.00	£1,068.98

OCTOBER DEVOTIONS

Every Sunday in October at 3.00 pm.

THEOLOGY ON TAP

Please join us on Thursday 9th October, for our second talk, '*I Am with You Always: Why We Go to Mass*' at 7pm at the Abbotsford Hotel, Dumbar-ton. Come along for a relaxed evening of faith and friendly conversation. For more information, contact CatholicYoungAdults.WD@gmail.com or follow us on Facebook (Catholic Young Adults in West Dunbartonshire) and Instagram (@CatholicYAWD)

PARISH PILGRIMAGE

The votes have been counted on a points basis based on your preference, here are the results:

Northern Italy: 72 points ; Rome: 59 points ; Lourdes: 53 points ; Poland: 44 points

We are now in contact with Alba Tours to work out dates and costing, for either early Sept or Oct week 2026. More info will be given over the next few weeks.

LEGION OF MARY RETREAT

Will take place on Saturday 25th October from 11.00 am till 4.00 pm in the Carmelite Convent and led by Rev Joe Canon McAuley. Lunch will be provided. If you are attending please put your name on the sheet available at the back of the church.

ANNUAL SAFEGUARDING STATEMENT

This annual statement should be read around the time of the feast of the Holy Guardian Angels. In echoing this spirit of guardianship we would like to remind us all of our obligation to make out parish communities safe and welcoming places.

PARISH CENSUS

It is over 10 years since we last carried out a census of our parishioners. During that period, the most obvious change has been that the parishioners of St. Peter's have joined us. Additionally there has been a lot of new homes built within the parish with perhaps new parishioners joining without formally registering, and no doubt some moving out with the parish. For all these reasons and to keep our records updated, we will be having a parish census this year. In order to comply with Data Protection laws we will only ask the minimum information for our purposes and we ask for your cooperation when we produce our questionnaire.

NEW INITIATIVE

There will be tea/coffee and snacks on the first Sunday of the month starting in October, after the 10 am Mass in Benview.

NEW HYMN BOOKS

We have ordered new hymn books for the parish. This is quite a substantial expense, in order to cover some of the cost, we are offering the opportunity for a hymn book to be dedicated to a deceased relative or friend, on the inside cover there will be a notice asking for prayers for your loved ones. If this is something you would like to do, please complete a form from the back of the church and put it in an envelope with your donation.

DATES FOR YOUR DIARY

Thursday 13th October—Next Theology on Tap for Young Adults (at the Abbotsford Hotel)

Sunday 2nd November—Altar Servers Trip to the Ice Hockey

Quiz Night- 7th Nov.—Doors Open 7.30, 1st Question 8.00, tickets £5, all proceeds to Marys Meals!

Tuesday 18th November—Bereavement Mass

St Andrews Night-29th Nov.—tickets £3, shared with St Augustine's and held in our church hall!

ST. PATRICK'S ADVENT TREE GROUP:

Meeting on Tuesday 7th of October at 7.30pm in the Chapel House.

VOLUNTEER DRIVER

The Monday Lunch Club are in need of a driver to take meals to the homeless unit and woman's refuge. Must be able to lift heavy containers. Anyone interested please pop into the hall on Monday 10.30 for a cuppa and find out more about the task.

THE ARCHDIOCESE AND BEYOND

RECOVERY AND SPIRITUAL HEALING

An ecumenical service focusing on recovery and Spiritual healing for anyone who has been caught up in alcohol or drug addiction. This will take place at 3pm on Sunday 12th October in St Augustine's Church Hall, 393 Ashgill Road, Glasgow, G22 7HN.

AGAP THEATRE NATIONAL TOUR:

Frid 14th Nov, Sacred Heart Church Hall, Cumbernauld. Tickets and tour dates: www.agap.org.uk/pilgrimofhope

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