
ST PATRICK'S DUMBARTON

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Sunday	1st Sunday of Lent
Monday	Feast of St John Ogilvie
Tuesday	1st Week of Lent
Wednesday	1st Week of Lent
Thursday	1st Week of Lent
Friday	1st Week of Lent
Saturday	1st Week of Lent

REGULAR MASS SCHEDULE

Sunday	10 am, 12 noon, 5.30 pm
Monday	10 am, 7 pm
Tuesday	10 am, 7 pm
Wednesday	10 am, 7pm
Thursday	10 am , 7pm (P3 Sacrament of Reconciliation)
Friday	10 am, 7 pm
Saturday	10 am, 3pm Lenten Devotions, 5 pm (vigil)
	Rosary: After 10am Mass when on (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

SECOND COLLECTIONS

The following 2nd collections will take place during Lent:

9 March—Sick and Retired Priests

16 March—Sick and Retired Priests

23 March—Sick and Retired Priests

30 March—SCIAF

LENTEN DEVOTIONS

Sundays at 3 pm (Stations of the Cross and Benediction).

WEDNESDAYS OF LENT

There will be Mass at 8.30 am in both St. Patrick's primary and St. Peter's primary.

UPDATE ON ST PETER'S

The sale of the site has now gone through, it was purchased by a property developer for £130,000.

P3 SACRAMENT OF RECONCILIATION

In preparation for the Sacrament of Reconciliation, the children of P3 and their parents thought of ways to strengthen their relationship with God and their thoughts and ideas are written on the hands display at the side of the altar. Please keep the children in your prayers as they prepare to make their first confession this Thursday. **Please note there will be no evening Mass this Thursday due to the Sacrament of Reconciliation taking place.**

LENTEN CATECHESIS

The following Talks to be held Sunday's of Lent will begin this Sunday with an introduction to the 10 Commandments at 6.30pm in the Parish Hall as follows:

9th March – Remember the Sabbath Day

16th March – Honour your Father and your Mother

23rd March – You Shall not Kill

30th March – You Shall not Commit Adultery

6th April – You Shall not Steal

13th April – You Shall not Covet

SCIAF DAY OF PRAYER

SCIAF invites you to join their WEE BOX Day of Prayer on Friday 14th March. On this day, as a community, we pause to reflect, connect and pray for peace and hope for communities in Colombia. We know that through prayer we can deepen our a relationship with God, seek guidance and offer support to those in need.

ST. PATRICKS 2030

I know that it seems a long way off, but 2030 will mark the 200th anniversary of the parish (we are the second oldest parish in the Archdiocese). I have put together a small team to look at how to mark this celebration and also build-up towards it. If you have any suggestions please feel free to email the Parish or Laura Banks (la.banks@sky.com)

WEST DUNBARTONSHIRE SPUC: LENTEN WITNESS

During Lent we will be taking part in the pro-life prayer vigil outside the Queen Elizabeth Hospital particularly on Wednesdays 12.00-1.00 although any time can be chosen. Train to Partick the 77 Bus to Hospital. Walk to the top of Hardgate Rd to the traffic lights to our new spot to prevent being arrested for praying.

ST PATRICK'S DAY EVENT

St Patrick's Day event is on at Saint Michael's Hall on the Friday 14th March. The event starts at 7.30 pm by a Band is Carbon. Contact Pat Tonner on 07957 310834 for tickets are £10 each. Money is going on St Margaret of Scotland Hospital.

THE ARCHDIOCESE AND BEYOND

A RACHEL'S VINYARD retreat for spiritual and emotional healing after abortion will be held north of Glasgow on Friday, 21st to Sunday 23rd March. This confidential, supportive retreat is powerful for anyone who has been affected by their own or someone else's abortion experience. For more information, please call/text Sr Andrea on 07816 942824 or email at sisterandrea@rachelsvineyard.org.uk.

ST PATRICK'S DAY MASS

The annual Mass for St Patrick's Day will take place on Saturday 15th March at 11am in St Andrew's Cathedral, Glasgow. Archbishop Nolan will be the Principal Celebrant. All welcome.

ACN: SCOTTISH CATHOLIC CONFERENCE—COURAGE TO BE CATHOLIC

This conference will take place on Saturday 29th March 2025 in the Glasgow Royal Concert Hall. Registration 9.30am—4pm. Mass 5pm at St. Aloysius. Register on [trybooking.com](https://www.trybooking.com) or Contact: Scotland@acnuk.org or phone 01698 337 470. Early Bird Registration (lunch included) £25 Concession, £30 General Admission. After 10th February £30 Concession, £35 General Admission.

SUPPORT GROUP FOR CATHOLIC WOMEN AFFECTED BY SEPARATION OR DIVORCE

The next 2 meetings of our support group for women affected by separation and divorce are: Friday, 28th March and Friday, 25th April, in The Immaculate Conception Church Hall, Maryhill, from 6–8 pm. All new members are welcome to this confidential support group, which is run by women who have come through this experience themselves.

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