

# St. Patrick's, Dumbarton

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## MASSES:

Saturday 6.30 pm Vigil Mass

## WEEKDAYS:

Mon — Sat 10.00 am

Mon, Tues, Fri 7.00 pm

## 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

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## Feast Days:

**Monday 11th** St Martin of Tours - Memorial

**Tuesday 12th** St Josaphat - Memorial

**Saturday 16th** St Margaret - Feast

**November Lists:** November is the month of the Holy Souls. Holy Mass will be offered for the repose of the souls on each day of November. If you wish a relative to be remembered at these Masses, you will find paper and envelopes at the back of the Church. Please place the completed sheets in the Box provided. The envelopes will be opened and the sheets placed on the altar during the month of November.

**Bereavement Mass:** Mass will be celebrated on **Tuesday 12th November** at 7pm for the relatives and friends of Parishioners who have died during the last year. If anyone has a close relative or friend, not from our own parish, who has died during the last year and would like to have them included, please give the name to Canon Conroy or phone 07914763588 or 761273

**SPUC** are holding their Annual Christmas New Sale on Saturday **16th of November** in St. Patrick's Church Hall from 10.30am till 12 noon. Donations of unwanted new gifts will be gratefully accepted and may be handed in from 9am on the Day or Tel 07817522665. Come along, enjoy a free cuppa & a chat and snap up some amazing Christmas gift bargains!

**Cardinal Winning Lecture 2019:** We are pleased to announce that Archbishop Paul Gallagher, will deliver the 2019 Cardinal Winning Lecture on the morning of **Saturday, 16th November 2019**. The lecture will take place in the Bute Hall, Gilbert Scott (Main) Building, Glasgow, G123 8QQ. Mass will precede the lecture (9am) and this will take place in the University Chapel. To book your place please register at <https://cardinalwinninglecture2019.eventbrite.co.uk>. Please note: This event is open to those who have registered for tickets in advance only. Ticket holders are required to bring a printed copy of their ticket along with photographic ID. Only the person whose name appears on the ticket will be permitted to attend the event.

**Art as an Expression of Faith: A Conversation with John Clark.** For Interfaith week, the Council of Christians and Jews is very pleased to welcome John Clark, an architectural glass artist whose work can be seen all over the world. This is a rare opportunity to see the windows and hear the artist talk about the work. John will also discuss some of his other religiously themed work in what promises to be a very rich and rewarding afternoon.

**Sunday 17<sup>th</sup> November** in Giffnock Synagogue at 2.30pm Register for the event via Eventbrite: [www.eventbrite.co.uk/ast-as-an-expression-of-faith-a-conversation-with-john-clark-tickets-76664733281](http://www.eventbrite.co.uk/ast-as-an-expression-of-faith-a-conversation-with-john-clark-tickets-76664733281)

**A Date to Note: Friday, 22nd November, 2019 :** CHRISTIAN, the well known all round entertainer. Glasgow born Christian, celebrating 50 years in the entertainment business and wowing audiences wherever he performs, will be appearing in our very own Church Hall where he promises to deliver a fantastic night's entertainment. Tickets, £5 each, can be got from the usual sources, or by phoning Christine, 07955941489. ( See the poster in the Church porch for details)

**Italian Mass:** The annual Mass for friends and members of the Italian community will take place on **Monday November 11** at 7pm in St Andrew's Cathedral. Archbishop Tartaglia will be the main concelebrant. There will be a reception following the Mass in the Eyre Hall of the Archdiocesan offices. As numbers are limited, please book your place at the reception by e-mailing [maria.owens@rcag.org.uk](mailto:maria.owens@rcag.org.uk)

**Considering Primary Teaching?** There will be an information evening for people considering applying for Initial Teacher Education programmes (**primary school**) in St. Patrick's Primary School, 10 Perth Street, Glasgow G3 8UQ on **Tuesday 12<sup>th</sup> November 2019** from 6.30-8.00pm. This event will focus on preparing for interview. Representatives from the University of Glasgow, the Archdiocesan Primary Head Teachers Association (APHTA), Church and Local Authority Church Representatives will be present to discuss the application process, Teacher Approval, etc. and to explain what support is on offer and answer questions.

**SCIAF Mass:** In November, the month of the Holy Souls, SCIAF remembers those supporters who are no longer with us. Holy Mass is celebrated in memory of all those who have been touched by our work here in Scotland and around the world. The Mass will be celebrated by Bishop Toal, Bishop President of SCIAF at St Francis Xavier's Church, Taylor Avenue, Carfin on **Thursday 21st November** at 7 pm. If you are not able to attend on this occasion but would like a loved one to be remembered at the Mass please contact Siobhan Wright at SCIAF on 0141 354 5555.

**20-40 Network Escape Rooms Event :** Aged 20-40? Our events are a great place for meeting fellow young Catholics. Don't worry about coming on your own, you'll quickly make friends as you battle to solve the clues and escape before the other team. **Sat 23rd November**, 6:30pm, Merchant Sq, Glasgow. Just email [2040network@gmail.com](mailto:2040network@gmail.com) to buy a £16 ticket or join our mailing list to find out about future events if you can't make this one.

**ACN #RedWednesday Event:** Sponsored by John Mason MSP. A multi-faith event for the people of Scotland to stand in solidarity with those who have been martyred for their faith. All religious intolerance is wrong and for too long the world has ignored religious persecution. Aid to the Church in Need would like to invite all parishioners to our #RedWednesday Event. For full event details, please visit: [acnuk.org/scottishredwednesday](http://acnuk.org/scottishredwednesday). Venue: The Fairfax Somerville Room, The Scottish Parliament, The Royal Mile, Edinburgh EH99 1SP. Date: Wednesday **27th November**. Time: 5.30pm - 8pm. Entrance is free. For security reasons you must be registered for this event.

**Get your Christmas Real Gifts today! (SCIAF):** It's nearly Christmas so you probably have a good idea what to buy for your loved ones this year. Real Gifts have the power to change the lives of the poorest people around the world. Shop for Real Gifts at <https://www.sciaf.org.uk/realgifts>

### **It's time to tell Iran to stop criminalising Christians: take action today**

Pastor Yousef Nadarkhani and Mohammadreza Omid are serving ten year sentences, with an additional two years in internal exile. Yasser Mossayebzadeh and Saheb Fadaie are serving ten year sentences. Nasser Navard Goltape is serving a ten year sentence, and was one of four men arrested after three of them, who were from Azerbaijan, visited friends in Tehran. Rev Victor Bet Tamraz and Kaviyan Fallah-Mohammadi were arrested during a Christmas celebration at the reverend's home, and face ten years in jail. Hadi Asgari was arrested during a picnic, and faces ten years in jail. Send an email to your MP and the Minister of State for the Middle East to stop the Iranian government from criminalising Christians. CSW website

**The Prayer Shawl Group :** The next meeting will be held on Wednesday **27th November** in Benview after the 10am Mass. The prayer shawls continue to give hope and comfort to those who receive them, this comes from prayers said during knitting by our members, then blessed on the altar at the beginning of Mass. Should you know of anyone who is unwell or in need of comfort please ask a group member to receive the shawl or scarf (men). The positive feedback we receive is heartwarming and bring many blessing to those who receive them. For more information, please contact Irene: 731509 or Nancy 764733.

**Second Collection:** Next week second collection is for Education Sunday