ST PATRICK'S AND ST PETER'S DUMBARTON

Parish Priest: Fr Ross Campbell Assistant Priest: Fr Douglas Green In Residence: Mgr James Ryan



THIS WEEK

Sunday 28th April, 2024	5th Sunday of Easter—B, page 268	
Monday	St Catherine of Siena—Feast	
Tuesday	5th Week in Eastertide	
Wednesday	5th Week in Eastertide	
Thursday	St Athanasius—Memorial	
Friday	St Phillip and St James—Feast	
Saturday	5th Week in Eastertide	

REGULAR SCHEDULE				
	ST PATRICK'S		ST PETER'S	
	MASS	CONFESSION	MASS	
Sunday	10am, 12 noon, 5.30pm		11am	
Monday	10am, 7pm	Daily after 10am Mass	10am	
Tuesday	10am, 7pm		10 am	
Wednesday	10am		10 am	
Thursday	10am		7 pm	
Friday	10am, 7pm		10 am	
Saturday	10am, 6.30pm (vigil)	After 10am Mass, 5.15-6.15pm		
	Rosary: Mon—Sat after 10am Mass(except in case of funeral)			
	Confession available at other times by arrangement			

THE PARISHES

BIDDING PRAYERS FOR SUNDAY

Could names be given to the Priest by Friday afternoon at the latest.

ASCENSION THURSDAY (HOLIDAY OF OBLIGATION)

Mass Times at St. Patricks: 7pm (Vigil), 7am, 10am, 7pm Mass Times at St. Peters: 10 am

ST PATRICK'S SOUND SYSTEM

The upgrading of the sound system should be completed this week with the installation of new and additional speakers

PASS KEEPERS

We are looking for some volunteers to help with pass keeping at St. Patrick, specifically the Monday 7pm Mass and the Saturday 10am. If you would be able to volunteer for this, please speak to either Fr. Ross or Fr. Douglas.

ST PATRICK'S FIRST COMMUNICANTS

Our First Communicants have been preparing very well for their First Communion Day. Recently they and their parents attended an information evening in the hall, where amongst other things, they made their versions of monstrances, now displayed at the Sacred Heart Altar. This week, the children had their retreat day, where they participated in pertinent activities, including designing a ciborium and these can now be seen hanging on the church wall. The children have also written their names to introduce themselves to you and they ask that you would include them in your prayers as they prepare for the great occasion of their First Communion Day. Thank You.

GARDEN PARTY SUNDAY 9TH JUNE 2-4 PM

Plans for our Garden Party are now underway. Any ideas for stalls, attractions etc, still most welcome, as are donations for the Tombola, Bottle Stall and Plant Stall too. Remember to mark the date in your diary- 9th June- and please spread the word! Thank you

BEN VIEW CENTRE

Ben View is under threat of funding cuts which support their lunch club and bathing service. There are number of things you can do to support the centre. Sign the petition either online or paper copy or email the following individuals to express your concern about the loss to the area of this very valuable and needed service:

Martin.rooney@west-dunbarton.gov.uk

Michelle.McGinty@west-dunbarton.gov.uk

Clare.steel@west-dunbarton.gov.uk

Martin.docherty.mp@parliament.uk

Jackie.Baillie.msp@parliament.scot

5TH—7TH MAY—ST PATRICK'S 40 HOURS OF ADO-RATION

Sunday 5th May 1pm – 5:15pm Adoration of the Blessed Sacrament (concluding with Benediction) Monday 6th May 10:30am – 6:45pm Adoration of the Blessed Sacrament (concluding with Benediction) 7:00pm – Mass (Celebrant and preacher: Fr. Joshua Moir, Archdiocese of St. Andrews and Edinburgh) Tuesday 7th May 10:30am – 6:45pm Adoration of the Blessed Sacrament (concluding with Benediction) 7:00pm – Mass (Celebrant and preacher: Fr. Paul Denney, Diocese of Motherwell)

Sign-up sheet to be a guardian of the Blessed Sacrament is available in the porch.

ST AUGUSTINE'S CHURCH DUMBARTON

St Augustine's Church are holding a Curry night on Thursday 2nd May doors open at 6.30pm for 7pm.

SUPPORT GROUP FOR CATHOLIC WOMEN AFFECTED BY SEPARATION AND DIVORCE

The next meeting of our support group for women affected by separation and divorce will take place on **Friday, 3rd May** in St Patrick's church hall, Dumbarton, from 6.00pm to 8.00pm. All new members are welcome to this confidential support group, which is run by women who have come through this experience themselves. The group has been running very successfully for over 2 years and is delighted to welcome women from across the Archdiocese whether they experienced this 30 years ago or more recently.

FAITH SUMMER SESSION 29 JULY-2 AUGUST

A Youth Conference (Age 16-25) at Ampleforth Abbey, more information on the flyers in the porch. Fr. Ross will be attending this, sponsorship is also available.

CONTACT INFORMATION

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ITEMS FOR THE BULLETIN

Anyone requiring to place notices in the bulletin please email the notice to the new address by the Wednesday Evening:

bulletinofstpatricks@gmail.com

LINKS

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