



# St. Patrick's, Dumbarton

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## Seventeenth Sunday of the Year

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### MASSES:

Saturday 10:00 am 6.30 pm Vigil Mass

Sunday 10.00 am, 12.00 Noon and 5.30 pm

### WEEKDAYS

Mon — Fri 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

### Feast Days:



**Monday:** Memorial of St Ignatius of Loyola

**Tuesday:** Memorial of St Alphonsus Liguori

**Friday:** Memorial of St John Mary Vianney

### Canon Conroy:



This weekend we say farewell to Canon Conroy, as he leaves our Parish to become Parish Priest and Chaplain to Glasgow University. We would like to thank him for his care, dedication and service to us. We have been honoured to have Canon Conroy with us for the last 16 years and we wish him well, as he begins this new chapter in his ministry. So Canon Conroy *'May God's love be with you in this new role and may the Spirit fill your heart and grant you strength to do His Will.'*



**Thank you for everything Canon Conroy.**

### Canon's Farewell Evening—18th August:



People have been asking what the Parish is doing to mark Canon Conroy leaving. An evening has been arranged—Friday 18th August—and Canon Conroy has arranged to join us then. The evening begins with Mass at 6pm, then a light finger buffet and some entertainment in the

hall afterwards. Entry to the hall is by ticket only. The tickets, £5 each, will be on sale via Christine (07955941489), from the 1st August. For those Parishioners wishing to make a donation for Canon Conroy, the wooden post-box will be at the back of the Church. This will be emptied after each Mass and contents kept in a safe place.

### **First Friday and First Saturday**

Next Friday is the First Friday of the month. There will be exposition of the Blessed Sacrament after the 10.00am Mass ending with Benediction at 11 o'clock.

Next Saturday is the First Saturday of the month. There will be Fatima Devotions and exposition of the Blessed Sacrament after the 10.00am Mass ending with Benediction at 11 o'clock.

### **Clothing bank:**

The Clothing Bank at St. Peter's Church House, 52 Howatshaws Road, Dumbarton, will be open on:

**Tuesday 9-10, Friday 9-10 am, Saturday 10-12 noon**

Donations will gladly be accepted during opening hours. If you have any items of clothing or footwear that you no longer use and you feel others could benefit from, please think about donating them to the clothing bank. Toiletries welcome too. The clothing bank will always be a feature of the St Peter's and St Patrick's Parishes, so please think of us whenever you, your wider family or friends have unwanted items in the future. If you would like to volunteer your help for any of the opening times please phone 074 323 76450. *Facebook—Clothing Bank St Peter's and St Patrick's Church Dumbarton*

### **St. Patrick's Support Network:**

We have established a new Facebook support page for Parishioners only. If you would be happy to ask for help if you need it or provide it if you could, then please join. There is no obligation to do anything once you are part of the Group, but if you see a post you could help with, then brilliant. E.g. someone posts that they can't collect their prescription that day, someone sees it who is going to the Chemist anyway and is happy to do that. People who need a favour need not feel that they are putting anybody out, as by being part of the Group, you know that those people would like to help if they can. You may not be lucky enough to have family close at hand who can always help—but we can be a real Church family who do the same. If you would like to be part of the Faith In Action Group please complete the slip and give it to one of the Priests.