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# ST. CADOC'S R.C. CHURCH WEEKLY BULLETIN

Twenty-First Sunday in Ordinary Time Year B 22<sup>nd</sup> August 2021



JOIN CANON EDDIE
for live-streamed Holy Mass
available on Parish website,
or, by following these 3 steps:
1 Go to <a href="https://www.youtube.com">https://www.youtube.com</a>
2 In the search box enter:
St. Cadoc's Catholic Church Newton
Mearns Live Stream Mass.
3 Click on the "Live now" option.



## **EASING OF RESTRICTIONS**

The latest up-date is available on our website to read/download:

BCOS/COVID-19 PAGE

#### **VOLUNTEERS** WANTED

Dear Parishioner,
Since COVID began, numbers
permitted for Mass and the
celebration of the Sacraments have
varied due to strict regulations
imposed by the Scottish Government.
There are proper protocols in place to
manage the safety and wellbeing of
all attendees. The more volunteers we
have to assist in maintaining the
protocols, the fewer times you will be
called upon to help. If you are happy
to make yourself available, please let
me know. Thank you. Canon Eddie

CARFIN DAY: The annual Diocesan Pilgrimage to Carfin - led by Bishop John Keenan - will take place on Sunday 29th August 2021. Mass of Anointing of the Sick will be celebrated at 3pm followed by the Rosary Procession which will take place at 5:30pm. Catering facilities are available.

Please click on this page to access more news.

# **SERVICES DURING COVID-19**

#### **HOLY MASS**

#### **Live-Stream Schedule**

Monday – 6.30pm Wednesday – 10am Thursday – 6.30pm Saturday– 10am and 5pm (Vigil) Sunday – 10am, 12 noon and 4pm. (TUESDAY+FRIDAY Church CLOSED)

Please contact Canon Eddie to make arrangements for Holy Mass/Services:

#### RECONCILIATION

(available on request; please phone Canon Eddie to arrange a time.)

#### **FUNERALS**

Requiem Masses will be live-streamed only if requested by the Families.

#### **BAPTISM**

Sundays at 1pm

#### **MARRIAGE**

Please arrange with Canon Eddie



Please remember in your prayers those who are sick and those who have asked for our prayers, especially all affected by Covid-19 and all who care for them.

#### We pray for the sick:

Sylvia Tartaglia, Arthur Short, Dianne Hill, Kamila Moravieszka and Janet Eaton.

We pray for those who have died recently: Raymond Bradley, Gavin Barton, Tom Gallagher and Joan Patrick.

We pray for those whose Anniversaries occur about now:

Jackie Connor, David Donnelly and Eamonn Fottrell.

Requiescant in Pace

#### SAINTS of the WEEK

Sun 22 <sup>nd</sup>	21st Sunday in Ordinary Time
Mon 23rd	St. Rose of Lima
Tues 24th	St. Bartholomew
Wed 25th	St. Louis
	St. Joseph Calasanz
Thurs 26th	St. Ninian
Fri. 27 <sup>th</sup>	St. Monica
Sat. 28th	St. Augustine

#### SAFEGUARDING

Training Video for New Volunteers available to view on Parish website.

Safeguarding Webinar: A key event, intended to help disseminate some important features of In GOD's Image v2, this webinar – *Growing our Culture of Care* will take place on

Sat 2 October 2021 from 11.00am to 1.00pm.

To secure a place in this webinar, click on the link <a href="https://bit.lv/3gQRdPu">https://bit.lv/3gQRdPu</a>. Following registration, you will be sent details of how to join the webinar.

S.S.V.P. is co-ordinating volunteers to help with the elderly and vulnerable and is working in conjunction with <u>The Voluntary Action East Renfrewshire</u>

<u>Community Hub.</u> If you would like to volunteer, or are aware of anyone who may need assistance, please contact The Community Hub: 0141 876 9555 / hello@va-er.org.uk

#### **WEEKLY COLLECTIONS:**

Many thanks for your continued support of the Parish through Standing Orders, Direct Debits, Pay Portals, envelopes and the basket in the porch of the church. For your convenience, boxed sets of envelopes for use throughout the year are available. Please collect a box as you leave the church.

These continue to be difficult times for everyone financially so please simply give what you can. Your financial support is always very much appreciated and more so given the on-going impact of Covid-19 on our lives. Canon Eddie

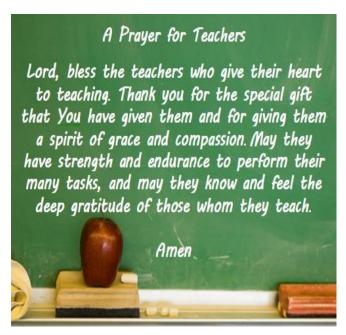
PARISH ROSARY GROUP: You are invited to join our Family Rosary Group to pray The Rosary in the church every 2<sup>nd</sup> Friday at 6pm. All are welcome. If you require any further information, please contact Lesley Ward 07910266821

lesllev@giffnockwards.co.uk

Think Vocation: "Lord, to whom shall we go?" Jesus is the only answer to our seeking. Could you be on to help people find him, as a priest, a deacon or a religious brother or sister? Speak to our Diocesan Vocations Director - Fr. John Morrison

email <u>vocations@rcdop.org.uk</u> or phone 0141 8895056.

DEAR GOD,
THANK YOU FOR THE GIFT OF
EDU(ATION IN EVERY FORM.
AS OUR (HILDREN PREPARE TO START A NEW YEAR
MAY (ONFIDEN(E BE THEIR FOUNDATION,
MAY GRA(E BE THEIR GUIDE AND
MAY HOPE BE THEIR (OMPASS TOWARD A BRIGHT FUTURE.
I PRAY THEY WOULD HAVE EYES TO SEE
THE NEEDS OF THOSE AROUND THEM
AND A HEART TO LOVE WELL.
MAY THEY FA(E EA(H DAY WITH POSITIVITY
KNOWING THAT NO MATTER
WHAT (OMES THEIR WAY,
THEY DO NOT HAVE TO FA(E IT ALONE.
AMEN



# **COVID-19: EASING OF RESTRICTIONS:**

# IMPORTANT ANNOUNCEMENT

# **COVID-19 UPDATE: Letter to Parishioners from Canon Eddie**

# PREPARATION FOR EASING OF PARISH RESTRICTIONS

In the coming weeks, I will meet with members of the following groups to discuss how and when to resume their duties to the parish. The dates and times for each meeting will be as follows:

**Eucharistic Ministers:** Monday 9th August at 7.15pm. Wednesday 11th August at 7pm. **Readers:** Thursday 12th August at 7pm. **Altar Servers:** Monday 16th August at 7.15pm. Pass-keepers: Tuesday 17th August 7.00pm. **Sacristans:** Parish Pastoral Council: Wednesday 18th August at 7.00pm. Thursday 19th August at 7.15pm. **Music Ministry:** Monday 23rd August 7.15pm. Children's Liturgy: Tuesday 24th August at 7.00pm. **SVDP:** 

#### **MASS & SACRAMENTS**

A new schedule for the celebration of Mass and the Sacraments will begin on the weekend of 4/5 September:

Morning Mass: Monday-Friday inclusive at 10am.

Saturday Mass: 4pm & 5.30pm. Sunday Mass: 10am & 12 Noon.

Holy Day of Obligation: 6.30pm Vigil & 10am.

Baptism: Sunday at 1pm. (Baptism preparation required.)

Reconciliation: Saturday 10.30-11.30am

Marriage: By arrangement. (Marriage preparation required.)

[The day that I generally take off is a Friday. However, funeral liturgies and weddings are permitted on a Friday, if requested. Funeral liturgies can be celebrated on a Saturday morning, if requested.]

Canon Eddie's letter outlining details of proposed changes is available to read/download on the Parish website -

https://www.stcadocsrcparish.org.uk/covid-19

# **DIOCESAN NEWS**

\*CELEBRATION OF PUBLIC MASS: Please only return to Mass if you have no underlying health conditions; are not shielding; and feel confident to return. Remember the Sunday Obligation to attend Mass is still suspended. <a href="LIVE STREAM"><u>LIVE STREAM</u></a> <a href="MASSES"><u>MASSES</u>: Services can be accessed via the Diocesan website: <a href="www.rcdop.org.uk"><u>www.rcdop.org.uk</u></a>

Also, to hear Canon Stephen's <u>DIAL-A-MASS</u>: <u>telephone</u> 0141 473 4869. Mass is recorded daily around 10am and is available to listen to anytime.

<u>YEAR OF ST. JOSEPH</u>: Our fourth and fifth St Joseph evenings will take place on Wednesday 25th August at 4.00pm in St Mirin's Cathedral, and on Thursday 26th August at 4.00pm in St Mary's, Greenock.

Mass will be celebrated at both evenings for all those involved in Education, asking the intercession of St Joseph on the new academic year. All are welcome to attend and pray for our young people, the teaching and support staff involved in all levels of education. Please use the Eventbrite link to book your tickets: <a href="https://www.eventbrite.co.uk/o/diocese-of-paisley-33712912941">https://www.eventbrite.co.uk/o/diocese-of-paisley-33712912941</a> Alternatively call Angela to book a place on 01412373584

<u>Diocesan Marriage preparation course September:</u> Our final marriage preparation course for 2021 takes place in September. <u>Two Zoom sessions will be held at 7pm on the 1st and 8th September</u>, followed by a Relationship skills workshop in the Diocesan centre on 18th September from 12 until 3pm. Couples should attend all three sessions. Cost per couple is £30, including lunch at the workshop and information/resources pack. Booking is open via the Marriage and Family page on the Diocesan website, <a href="https://rcdop.org.uk/marriage-preparation-day-registration-form">https://rcdop.org.uk/marriage-preparation-day-registration-form</a>

Online Marriage Counselling available during Covid 19 Crisis Our Diocese has a Counselling Service for Catholics Married in the Catholic Church with our dedicated Catholic Marriage Counsellor. If you are concerned about your relationship and feel you are both unable to reach a conclusion alone, it is likely that you will benefit from marriage counselling. The counsellor is there to maintain a neutral, non-judgmental position. For information or advice please email in confidence: <a href="mailto:counselling@rcdop.org.uk">counselling@rcdop.org.uk</a>

Marriage and family webpage The Diocese has a dedicated page on the website for Marriage and Family life. It contains a wealth of information, support and resources for many aspects of this important vocation. For more information please visit https://rcdop.org.uk/marriage-family-life-2

<u>Safeguarding Matters</u>' BCOS has published a newsletter to communicate progress with the revision of IN GOD'S IMAGE. This is intended to be the first in a series of newsletters that will provide information and advice on specific safeguarding matters. It can be found on the BCOS website: <a href="https://bit.ly/3g2tdrg">https://bit.ly/3g2tdrg</a> Also available on the Parish web (Safeguarding page).

# **NET Ministries**



This September NET Ministries Scotland will bring over 10 young people from the USA and Wales for 10 months to minister in our schools and parishes and encourage our young people in their faith and belonging to the Church. 'Host Homes' are essential for these young missionaries to rest, pray, eat and participate in home life. In return, they provide a strong Christian witness in the host homes. Could you provide a (bed/couch/sleeping bag) for a one-week time frame for a minimum of 2 people, with breakfast, packed lunch and dinner? They usually leave in the morning and return at dinner time. Please email <a href="maryshields@netscotland.org">maryshields@netscotland.org</a> or call Mary Shields at 07720 969390.

More information available via:

NET Ministries Scotland - Glasgow (netscotland.org)

<u>Faith in Change and Conflict</u>: We know conflict is part of life and can be both creative and destructive. We notice that many people – including those in faith communities – can struggle to find helpful ways to respond to change, transition, tension and difference. Some structures, cultures, systems and habits can make it difficult for people to hear each other well and relationships may break down. We also know that there is much transformational potential in conflict.' **Faith in Change and Conflict** is a training course running in September and January for individuals or parish representative their parish or diocese. (https://www.placeforhope.org.uk/training/course/faith-in-change-and-conflict).

## Course to Qualify as an RE Specialist

Are you a qualified teacher, at secondary or primary level, interested in an advanced qualification as an RE specialist? The University of Glasgow is offering an ATQ in RE this coming academic year (21/22). A grant of £400 is available in two instalments from Paisley Diocese for teachers resident in the diocese who attend monthly diocesan seminars to support the completion of their assignments. This qualification fulfils the requirement for applying to the GTCS for Professional Registration as a specialist Religious Education teacher in the Catholic Secondary school. Please find all the details, including teaching dates and cost, here: ATQRE: <a href="https://www.gla.ac.uk/schools/education/cpd/atqre/">https://www.gla.ac.uk/schools/education/cpd/atqre/</a> GTCS PROFESSIONAL REGISTRATION: <a href="https://www.gtcs.org.uk/registration/routes-professional-registration-secondary-teachers.aspx">https://www.gtcs.org.uk/registration/routes-professional-registration-secondary-teachers.aspx</a>

Scottish Bishops welcome Pope's call for Synod in 2023 Scotland's Catholic Bishops have welcomed a call from Pope Francis for a Synod on the theme of Synodality, to be held in 2023. Commenting on the announcement, Bishop Hugh Gilbert, President of the Bishops' Conference of Scotland said "The Pope has called for a very participative process, engaging all the faithful, which will prepare for this Synod. The Bishops of Scotland welcome the Initiative for a Synodal Church: communion, participation and mission. As the principle and foundation of unity in our dioceses, the Bishops look forward to the launch of the Synodal journey, a period of consultation and discernment in our local Churches, on Sunday 17th October of this year, and preparations are now being made for that event. We ask all the faithful to pray for the success of this initiative in the life of the universal and local Church, and above all to open our hearts to the Holy Spirit and listen to the Holy Spirit speaking through all of us in the Body of Christ."

RIGHT TO LIFE: Links via which you can register your views on current concerns. It only takes 30 seconds using the easy tool provided: Genocide Response campaign website

RIGHT TO LIFE

https://righttolife.org.uk/StopAssistedSuicide www.righttolife.org.uk/FetalPainMotion www.standupandsmile.org.uk / Equally Human

Contact your MP to ask them to support palliative care for the dying: <a href="https://carenotkilling.scot/">https://carenotkilling.scot/</a>

## **Update** - St. Benedict's School Cluster Providing Food and Toiletries

Thanks to your generosity we have continued to provide, throughout the past 10 months 200 meals to local families every week we also continue to provide food parcels and toiletries as required. As we look to the future we are hoping that restrictions and the employment situation continues to improve we will be able to scale back this practical charity. Thanks to all who have given of their time, their talent or their treasure! It may be that we will launch a further Appeal for Christmas dinners in the Season of Advent. (Meantime you may leave donations, food for parcels or toiletries in the parish house porch or post donations through the doorway.)

JUSTICE & PEACE: For information about issues of social justice, and to keep up to date with current campaigns, follow Justice & Peace Scotland on Facebook, Twitter and Instagram or check out the website, <a href="www.justiceandpeacescotland.org.uk">www.justiceandpeacescotland.org.uk</a> If you wish to be more involved in the work of justice and peace email <a href="mailto:office@justiceandpeacescotland.org.uk">office@justiceandpeacescotland.org.uk</a>. The staff will be willing to help you in any way they can. At the moment the office is closed and staff are working from home, Monday to Wednesday.

Online Rosary and Stations of the Cross You are invited to join us, Catholic Erskine, to pray the Rosary, online, Monday – Thursday and Saturday at 12 noon each day. You are also invited to join us on Friday at 12 noon, when we pray the Stations of the Cross. At present we are using "Mary's Way of the Cross" – a series of prayers, reflections and meditations as we accompany Mary as she follows her Son on his road to Calvary. To join any of these ventures please visit our website; catholicerskine.website and click onto the Rosary link. All welcome.

#### **Community Circle of Prayer**

Every Friday evening people gather on line at 7pm for The Community Circle of Prayer. This half hour event simply consists of a little music, some readings and the opportunity to share our prayer petitions and support others in theirs. Since New Year we have covered topics like Perseverance in Prayer, St Joseph, Journey to Calvary, Christ Our Salvation, Passover and Tenebrae, St Bernadette, and the Gift of the Trinity, just to name a few!

Coming up some of our suggested topics are Justice and Peace, Friendship in Jesus, The Mysteries of Light and The Gifts of the Spirit. Last week was our 1 year anniversary!

Why not spend half an hour with us this Friday in community and fellowship? You would be most welcome! To join please use the Zoom link <a href="https://zoom.us/j/8510142970?pwd=UUtVa2ZhOFUxa2NSZmJCckZOek0rUT09">https://zoom.us/j/8510142970?pwd=UUtVa2ZhOFUxa2NSZmJCckZOek0rUT09</a>

# **Diocese of Paisley Caritas Commission**

Cancer - New practical support from Macmillan for parishioners within Paisley Diocese.



Paisley Diocese Caritas Commission is working with Macmillan Cancer Support's new 'Improving the Cancer Journey' Service to provide a range of practical supports for parishioners and their families to help deal with the impact of cancer.

For parishes in the East Renfrewshire Council area, please contact:

Lisa MacLeod - East Renfrewshire Macmillan Money Advice Team Telephone: 0141 577 8420 Email:

lisa.macleod@eastrenfrewshire.gov.uk

The Legion of Mary Wayside Club, 32 Midland Street, Glasgow G1 4PR - 'Reaching out since 1932' The Wayside

Club provides a daily evening meal to the homeless of Glasgow, prior to COVID this would have been a shared meal with the opportunity for social connection and spiritual support from a member of the Legion of Mary with an opportunity to join in evening prayer. During COVID we have continued to provide take-away food and support and advice about accessing other agencies. We are keen to promote our service amongst Catholics who could help us by becoming legionaries to provide practical and spiritual support to our clients. We also want to encourage Auxiliary members who would be prepared to support us in prayer. Rev. John Fletcher Permanent Deacon Spiritual Director Our Lady of the Wayside Praesidium.

John.Fletcher@rcag.org.uk



## The Bishops' Conference of Scotland

# Guidance on the Safe Use of Social Media May 2021 v1.1

This guidance had been developed to advise those working within dioceses, parishes, religious communities and Catholic organisations about how to mitigate the risks that can be posed when using social media to communicate. It should be read in conjunction with Diocesan policy statements. More details available on our Parish web:



Read/download the full document available on the Parish web (Diocese/Safe Use of Social Media page).

March for Life UK This will take place on Saturday 4<sup>th</sup> September in Central London from approx. 10.00am – 4.30pm.

The Diocese of Paisley together with SPUC Glasgow are organising an overnight coach which will leave from St. Mirins' Cathedral at midnight on Friday  $2^{nd}$  September picking up at St Andrew's Cathedral and Gretna Green. The coach will return from Parliament Square at approx. 5.30pm with an ETA of midnight. The cost per person will be £30. To book a seat please use our Eventbrite link:

https://www.eventbrite.co.uk/e/march-for-life-september-2021-coach-tickets-163611601705 We recently had the highest ever annual abortion figures in the UK. Let's do our part in turning the tide in our nation. More information on the days' event is

available at <u>Home - March for Life UK</u> For all other enquiries please contact Marianne by email at <u>curia@rcdop.org.uk</u> or Louise at <u>lgrant@spucscotland.org</u> Thank you



Craig Lodge, Dalmally, Mission House for Young Adults: Craig Lodge Community is offering a new opportunity to young Catholics on how to live a life of mission. Craig Lodge Mission House is a nine-month residential programme for any young adult between the ages of 18-30 who desires to become a passionate lover of Jesus and become Spirit-filled evangelisers for the renewal of the Church," (Pope Francis). Community, prayer and studying of the Catholic faith and learning to proclaim the Good News to others". The mission house will begin in September 2021 and applications are now being accepted. Visit the Craig Lodge website for more details. <a href="www.craiglodge.org/missionhouse">www.craiglodge.org/missionhouse</a>

## Do you have any Wrens in your family?

Looking to unite the indomitable ladies who joined the Women's Royal Naval Service, specifically between 1946 and 1981 who completed basic training at Training Depot Burghfield/HMTE Burghfield/HMTE Dauntless/HMS Dauntless/Reading. They are looking for divisional photographs from those days and to reunite old friends, share anecdotes and relive exciting moments. Please contact email: <a href="mailto:ddpwrens@gmail.com">ddpwrens@gmail.com</a> or tel: 07765 435295/0771 990 9844. (Project Coordinators: Mandy Powell & Janette Crisp)

# **Minsteracres Retreat Centre**

The Minsteracres Retreat Team invite you to join them on <u>an online retreat</u>. The 2021 programme includes varied day, weekend and week-long events. Currently coronavirus restrictions apply so online retreats are offered. The theme for 2021 is "The God who Speaks...". We will explore some of the many ways in which God speaks to us through prayer, through scripture, through challenging times and through nature. During all of our retreats we will be invited to consider new ways of attending to and living out the Gospel. Click on the link for more information: <a href="https://www.minsteracres.org/come-on-retreat/">https://www.minsteracres.org/come-on-retreat/</a> Further details on how to join the retreat using ZOOM will be sent to you once you have booked and paid for a place online. We look forward to welcoming you! *The suggested offerings indicated help us to cover our costs, but no one should feel excluded for financial reasons and concessions are available.* 







Fri 13th Aug – Fatima Devotions– Rosary Procession, 7:30pm, Holy Mass 8.00pm

Sun 15th Aug - Feast of The Assumption of Our Blessed Lady into Heaven, Torchlight Procession 8.00pm

Sun 29th Aug – Diocese of Paisley
Pilgrimage Visit
Holy Mass 3.00pm

Sun 5th Sep - National Pilgrimage to Carfin in honour of St. Joseph, Holy Mass 3.00pm.

<u>Wed 8th Sep</u> - Our Lady's Birthday, Holy Rosary, 8.00pm.

<u>Sat 11th Sep</u> – Feast of The Exaltation of The Holy Cross, Una Voce Latin Mass, 11:30am.

<u>Sun 3rd Oct</u> - St. Therese Sunday, Torchlight Procession 8.00pm





Bishops' Conference of Scotland

# National Safeguarding Webinar

Saturday 2nd October I Iam-Ipm

# Growing our CULTURE of CARE

An opportunity to learn how

# IN GOD'S IMAGE v2

can help everyone to play their part in developing the culture of safeguarding in the Catholic Church in Scotland

This webinar is open to all who have a role in the Church's safeguarding efforts: clergy, religious, volunteers & employees.

It will provide information on:

- IN GOD'S IMAGE version 2 how will it affect you?
- a new safe recruitment process what is involved?
- the new Safeguarding Standards Agency what will it do?

It will also encourage you to reflect on how your own safeguarding role might be affected by any of these changes.

To secure a place in this webinar, click on the link below.
Following registration, you will be sent details of how to join the

https://bit.ly/3gQRdPu