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

24th Sunday in Ordinary Time Year B 12th September 2021



JOIN CANON EDDIE for live-streamed Holy Mass Sundays at 10am

available on Parish website, or, by following these 3 steps: 1 Go to https://www.youtube.com 2 In the search box enter:

St. Cadoc's Catholic Church Newton Mearns Live Stream Mass.

3 Click on the "Live now" option.

SOLEMN DEDICATION OF ST. CADOC'S CHURCH

To mark the 40th Anniversary of St. Cadoc's Church building, Bishop John will concelebrate a Solemn Mass of Dedication on Sunday 12th December, In preparation for this great occasion, we are looking for photos of past events in the Parish. Can you help? More details to follow.

PARISH FEAST DAY

PARISH FEAST DAY CELEBRATIONS:

You are warmly invited to join with us on <u>Sunday 26th September</u> as we celebrate our first Parish Feast Day together - beginning with a short service in the Church; followed by a social gathering in the hall.

NOW RECRUITING:

Can you help? Your Parish needs more Ministers of The Word and Extraordinary Ministers of the Eucharist. The more volunteers we have, 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 MUSIC MINISTRY: All those involved are asked to attend a meeting in the Church on

Wednesday 22nd September at 7pm.

S.S.V.P. is co-ordinating volunteers to help with the elderly and vulnerable and is working in conjunction with *The Voluntary Action East Renfrewshire Community Hub*. 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



HOLY MASS

Monday – Friday at 10am Saturday– 4pm and 5.30pm (Vigil) Sunday – 10am and 12 noon Holy Days of Obligation:

6.30pm Vigil and 10am
Live-streamed Mass: Sundays only at 10am

RECONCILIATION

Saturday 10.30-11.30am

FUNERALS

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

BAPTISM

Sundays at 1.30pm MARRIAGE

By arrangement. (Marriage preparation required.)



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, Janet Eaton, Jim Canning and Ronald Wark.

We pray for those who have died recently: Patricia Crilly, Etta Kearney, Stella McDaid, Anne Anderson, Jane Deveney and John Reddy.

We pray for those whose Anniversaries occur about now:

Catherine Murray and Annemarie Aitken.

Requiescant in Pace

SAINTS of the WEEK

Sun 12 th	24th Sunday in Ordinary Time
Mon 13th	St. John Chrysostom
Tues 14th	Exaltation of the Holy Cross
Wed 15th	Our Lady of Sorrows
Thurs 16 th	St. Cornelius / St. Cyprian
Fri. 17 th	St. Robert Bellarmine
Sat. 18th	

Please click on this page to access more news

SAFEGUARDING

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

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

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

Special Collections:

SEA SUNDAY: On 2nd/3rd October

A representative from the Scottish Seafarers Association - *Stella Maris* - will speak at each Mass.

Vocations - 19th September: The Collection for Vocations helps to finance the training and formation of our student priests. The seven year programme for the formation of our Priests costs approximately £100,000 per student. This cost is born entirely by the Diocese. At present we have three men in training for the Priesthood – two at the Scots College in Rome and one at Oscott College in Birmingham. The monies raised from the collection also helps to pay for the assessment process of those applying to train for the Priesthood.

ROSARY GROUP: You are invited to join us as we pray The Rosary in the church every 2nd Friday at 6pm. The Children's Rosary Group resumed on Friday 4 September 2021 at 6pm. All new members welcome. The children take turns to lead us a short 15 minute recitation of the Rosary. Please contact Lesley Ward for further information – 07910266821 lesley@giffnockwards.co.uk

CHILDREN'S BULLETIN



Reminder: Each week you can read/download a Children's Bulletin via our Parish web – Home page. This is an interesting and fun way for our children to learn more about their Faith.

Annual Season of Creation: 1st September - 4th October 2021

Why are Christians pitching 'Abraham's tent' during 2021 Season of Creation?

Every year during the <u>Season of Creation</u>, Christians on six continents unite to pray, take action, and advocate for our common home. But every year also features a new theme and a new logo for Christians to unite around as they care for God's creation.

This year's theme is "A home for all? Renewing the Oikos of God," and the logo reflects that theme as it's Abraham's tent, which symbolizes "a home for all."

"Abraham and Sarah opened their tent as a home for three strangers, who turned out to be God's angels (Genesis 18). By creating a home for all, their act of radical hospitality became

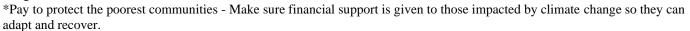
a source of great blessing. Abraham's tent is a symbol of our ecumenical call to practice creation care as an act of radical hospitality, safeguarding a place for all creatures, human and more human, in our common home, the household (oikos) of God. Today, it is a sign of our interfaith and interdisciplinary call to create safe spaces for dialogue and discernment. The tent represents a place of shelter or refuge. It links us with the homeless, refugees, and all who are on the move and displaced by the effects of climate change. Psalm 84 reminds us that in God's house (oikos), even the sparrow finds a home to build a nest and lay her eggs. Like nomadic and semi-nomadic people today, Abraham and Sarah knew what it meant to be vulnerable, depending upon the goodness of the land, respecting its rhythms, and living in trust. The tent is a sign of the grateful pilgrim who knows that as we pass through this life, our footprint must be light upon the Earth.'' Find out more at Season of Creation

Climate Petition: "Join the Climate Chorus"

Scotland's official Catholic Aid Agency is launching an appeal to parishioners to sign a petition to the Prime Minister ahead of the COP26 climate change conference to be held in Glasgow in November, at which Pope Francis is expected to participate.

SCIAF point out that with climate change already having a devastating impact on the world's poorest communities, time is running out.

Parishioners are asked to write to the PM urging him to do three things:



- *Act now to stop runaway climate change Make sure world leaders commit to keeping rises in global temperatures below the disastrous 1.5°C threshold.
- *Listen to those on the frontline of the climate crisis Make sure that people worst affected by the crisis are at the heart of the climate talks. You can sign the petition at https://www.sciaf.org.uk/timeforaction

COP 26 Papal Visit

A home for all

The Holy Father will visit Glasgow for only a few hours to attend the COP26 gathering where he is expected to address world leaders before returning to Rome.

The date of the Holy Father's visit to the city has not yet been finalised but the Pope has repeatedly emphasised the moral dimension of the climate emergency and the obligation of all to help protect the planet.

Earlier this year in a message for Earth Day he said: "We have the instruments. This is the moment to act. We are at the edge. We need to ensure that the environment is cleaner, purer and that it is conserved. We must care for nature so that nature may care for us."



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. LIVE STREAM MASSES: Services can be accessed via the Diocesan website: www.rcdop.org.uk Also, to hear Canon Stephen's DIAL-A-MASS: telephone 0141 473 4869. Mass is recorded daily around 10am and is available to listen to anytime.



NATIONAL VOCATIONS WEEK:12-19 September 2021

Read/download Bishop John's *Vocations Week* letter (available on Parish web.)

Think Vocation: "Who do you say I am?" Jesus invites his disciples about their response to him. What do you say? Where is he leading you? Why not consider the call to priesthood, diaconate or consecrated life? Speak to our Diocesan Vocations Director, Fr. John Morrison: email vocations@rcdop.org.uk or tel: 01418895056.

Year of Saint Joseph Afternoon for Families Families are warmly invited to come together to mark the Year of St Joseph on Sunday 19th September from 2.00pm in St.

Mirin's Cathedral Hall. The event will include an opportunity to reflect in prayer as families in faith and join together for some light refreshments. Bishop John will conclude the gathering with the celebration of Mass in the Cathedral at 4.00pm.

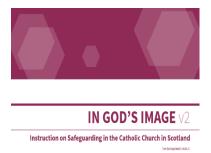
Office for Pastoral Formation of Young Adults (aged 18-30)

To mark the establishment of this new Office, Bishop John Keenan and the new Pastoral Directors, Fr Ryan Black and Fr Joe McGill, will celebrate Holy Mass at 7pm in St Mirin's Cathedral on Wednesday 29th September, the Feast of the Archangels. After Mass, there will be a chance to meet socially over drinks in a local pub. All are welcome, and your help in spreading the word is greatly appreciated. To connect with the new Office, search for DoPYoungAdults on social media.

<u>Pro-Life Mass</u> The monthly Pro-Life Mass is on Wednesday, 15th September at 7.30pm at Holy Cross, 113 Dixon Ave, G42 8ER. Adoration begins at 6.15pm. All welcome! The celebrant will be Fr Martin Eckersley.

<u>Safeguarding</u> BCOS publication IN GOD'S IMAGE v2 comes into effect on 8th September 2021 and is available to read/download on the Parish web https://www.stcadocsrcparish.org.uk/safeguarding

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* –(see attachment) will take place on **Saturday 2nd October** from 11.00am to 1.00pm. At present we have over 200 participants registered. To secure a place in this webinar, click on the link https://bit.ly/3gQRdPu. Following registration, you will be sent details of how to join the webinar.



Clergy Moves and Appointments: Bishop John has made the following appointments:

Fr Ryan Black and Fr Joe McGill as Pastoral Directors for Young Adults;

Fr Jonathan Whitworth has been appointed as Pastoral Director for Marriage and Family Life.

Fr Laurent Bahati has been appointed as Administrator of St Colm's, Kilmacolm. He will serve St Colm's from his present parish in Holy Family, Port Glasgow.

Fr Jude Okorie will take up a post as Chaplain to the Royal Navy.

From Monday 13th September, cover will be provided in St Mary's and St Paul's on an interim basis until a permanent appointment is formalised for the parishes.

Online Marriage Counselling available during Covid 19 Crisis Our Diocese has a Counselling Service for Catholics Marriage 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: counselling@rcdop.org.uk

<u>Marriage and family webpage</u> 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

St. Francis Parish Golf Day: at Kilmacolm Golf Club. Friday 24th September. Meet at 10am for hot filled roll and tea/coffee; tee-off from 11am; two-course meal after the round. Prizes. £40 per person; limited places, please contact Fr Matthew Carlin: 01475 700700/ stfrancis@rcdop.org.uk.

Celebrate St. Hildegard on her Feast Day in a free concert featuring some of her loveliest music and poetry! This unique and multi-talented abbess from the middle-ages astounded her world with her visions and the marvellous way she expressed them in original creativity. Famous in her own time, she was canonised by Pope Benedict XVI. From the ancient Celtic region of the Rhineland, her spirituality has remarkable connections with St Columbkille and the Celtic saints of Ireland and Scotland. The three voices and harp of *Canty*, Scotland's professional ensemble specialising in medieval music, will present an hour of St. Hildegard's wonderful music and readings of her own words in St. Columbkille's, Rutherglen on 17th September at 6pm. Follow this link to see/hear a short film of Canty celebrating St Columbkille on Iona! https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=q7D-gMJlDhc

Pilgrimage of Healing & Hope
Nichols, with Fr. Eamon Kelly, LC and the Magdala Team Dates - September 29th to November 2nd, 2021 Pilgrimage October
2021 - Magdala Tourist Center We embark on a new virtual adventure! This October we invite you to travel through the Holy Land on a pilgrimage of healing and hope, inspired by Mary Magdalene. Visiting the sites where Jesus healed, from the comfort of your own home in Scotland. There is no cost for the pilgrimage. https://youtu.be/7E2LbZ5G9IQ
Register online www.magdala.org

Walsingham Pro-Life Pilgrimage Saturday 23rd October. 'The Courage to Proclaim the Gospel of Life on Post-

Pandemic Britain' A Pilgrimage of Reparation and Prayer for the Sanctity of Life. The Pilgrimage commences with midday Mass in the Chapel of Reconciliation celebrated by Bishop Mark Davies of Shrewsbury. Details of the day's programme can be found on our website at http://www.prolifepilgrimage.org

To watch livestream go to the Shrine livestream (Watch Livestream - Catholic National Shrine of Our Lady)

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: https://www.gla.ac.uk/schools/education/cpd/atqre/ GTCS PROFESSIONAL REGISTRATION: https://www.gtcs.org.uk/registration/routes-professional-registration-secondary-teachers.aspx

Hate Crime and Anti-Catholic Incidents Police Scotland's 'Hate Crime' Team for Renfrewshire and Inverclyde invite you to contact them with any information on community tension, anti-Catholic behaviour/ incidents etc to ensure their occurrence is accurately reported. To report any anti-Catholic behaviour or community tension within Renfrewshire or Inverclyde please contact Constable Mary Connelly at renfrewshireinverclydedcusafercommunities@scotland.pnn.police.uk

<u>Missing People UK</u> Missing People UK is a UK charity with over 25 years frontline experience of providing emotional and practical support to missing people and their families. Whether someone is thinking about leaving home, has already left, or has a loved one who is missing, we are here to support. To find out how YOU can help visit: <u>Home - Missing People</u> or our Parish website: <u>Here for YOU.</u>



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 maryshields@netscotland.org 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).

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

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: https://carenotkilling.scot/

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, www.justiceandpeacescotland.org.uk If you wish to be more involved in the work of justice and peace email office@justiceandpeacescotland.org.uk. 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.

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."

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 https://zoom.us/j/8510142970?pwd=UUtVa2ZhOFUxa2NSZmJCckZOek0rUT09

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

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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



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).



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. www.craiglodge.org/missionhouse

Do you have any Wrens in your family?

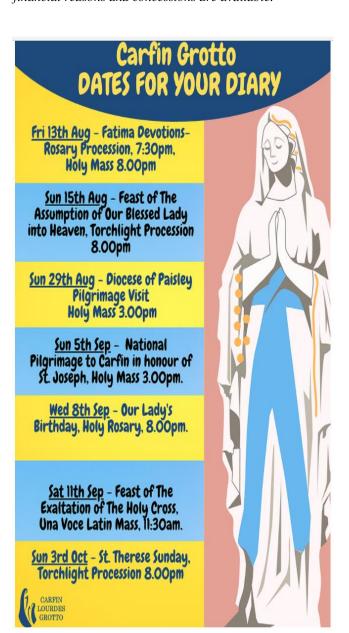
Looking to unite the indomitable ladies who joined the Women's Royal Naval Service, specifically between 1946 and 1981 who completed basic training at Training Depot Burghfield/HMTE Burghfield/HMTE Dauntless/HMS Dauntless/Reading. They are looking for divisional photographs from those days and to reunite old friends, share anecdotes and relive exciting moments. Please contact email: ddpwrens@gmail.com 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 an online retreat. 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: https://www.minsteracres.org/come-on-retreat/
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.*









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

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