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## ST. CADOC'S R.C. CHURCH WEEKLY BULLETIN Third Sunday of Easter Year C 1<sup>st</sup> May 2022



**JOIN CANON EDDIE**  
for live-streamed Holy Mass  
**Sundays at 10am**  
[Available on Parish website/ YouTube](#)

  
**EASTER SEASON**  
**EASTER SUNDAY - PENTECOST**  
(17th April—5th June)

**PRIVATE PRAYER** The church will be open each day from **9am-1pm** for private prayer. **Please enter by the side door** (Sacristy).

**HOLY WATER** The water fonts are now filled with the Easter water for blessing yourself on entering the church, if you so wish.

**VOTIVE CANDLES** The votive candle stands will be in place next week. All offerings received from the candles will be donated to the Parish Ecclesiastical Students Fund to support the education and formation of our student priests.

### **SCIAF APPEALS**

**Emergency appeal for victims of the war in Ukraine:** Should you wish to make further donations please visit: [www.sciaf.org.uk](http://www.sciaf.org.uk)

Thank you for your support; please pray for all who work for SCIAF and for all whom they help. An additional £190 was sent to support the people of Ukraine. Thank you for your kindness.

**SCIAF 'WEE BOX APPEAL'** -£735 thus far – Thank you. **Please return your boxes next week.**

**WAYS TO SUPPORT UKRAINIAN REFUGEES** SCIAF have collated a selection of ways Catholic parishes and parishioners can help people in or fleeing Ukraine during this terrible time. Please visit [www.sciaf.org.uk](http://www.sciaf.org.uk) for more details. Information is also available to read/download on our Parish web (SCIAF page).

**SENIORS' CLUB** The proposal was made last week to form a Seniors' Club meeting each week in the Pastoral and Social Centre. If interested, please let Canon Eddie know.

### **HOLY MASS and THE SACRAMENTS**

#### **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 pray for the victims  
of the war in Ukraine.*

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.

#### **For those who are sick:**

Diane Hill, Kamila Moravieszka, Bill Reed, Daniel McClafferty, Patricia Sweeney, Lauretta Bauer, Riordan Gavan, Anne Coates, Fr. Andrew Coleman, Helen Theresa Boyle and Margaret & Michael McCuaig.

*Our Lady of Lourdes, pray for them.*

#### **For those who died recently:**

Kieran Devlin, Bill Meehan, Terry McIlroy, Michael Carroll, John Addison and Victor Arcari

*Requiescant in Pace*

**For those whose anniversaries occur at this time:**

George W Belton, Robert McGrenaghan and Jim Seenan. *Requiescant in Pace*

#### **FEASTS of the WEEK**

Sun 1 <sup>st</sup>	<b>Third Sunday of Easter</b>
Mon 2 <sup>nd</sup>	St. Athanasius
Tues 3 <sup>rd</sup>	St. Philip & St. James, Apostles
Wed 4 <sup>th</sup>	
Thurs 5 <sup>th</sup>	St. Hilary
Fri 6 <sup>th</sup>	<b>FIRST FRIDAY</b> Sts. Marian & James
Sat. 7 <sup>th</sup>	<b>FIRST SATURDAY</b> St. Rose Venerini

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more news/events*

### **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. *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

**Special Collection** – Next Sunday is Good Shepherd Sunday, a day in which we pray for vocations to the Priesthood and the Religious Life. We are also being asked to support the formation and Education of our students currently studying for the Priesthood. Please give generously to the appeal on that day by placing your offering in the second collection using the envelope provided. Thank you for your support.

### **FIRST COMMUNIONS**

Please remember in your prayers the children of the parish who will celebrate their First Holy Communion on the **7th and 14th May**. Thank you to our staff from both schools and to all parishioners participating in the preparation and celebration of the Sacrament.

### **BEREAVEMENT SUPPORT GROUP**

You are invited to a meeting in the Pastoral and Social Centre on Monday 16th May at 6pm if you are interested in becoming a member of the group, or if you would like to learn something of what the group does.

### **CHILDREN'S LITURGY: Sundays -**

**10am Mass.** Children in their pre-school year up to and including children in Primary 4 are eligible to attend. If you are interested in assisting or wish to find out more about what's involved For further information please contact: Catherine Senior (Tel. 07555094304 or [c.m.senior@talk21.com](mailto:c.m.senior@talk21.com)).

**ROSARY GROUP:** You are invited to join us as we pray The Rosary in the church every **2<sup>nd</sup> Friday at 6pm**. The next session will be on **Friday 6<sup>th</sup> May**. All are welcome to attend. For more information, please contact Síle Hessett (07882037314).

### **TUESDAY COFFEE MORNINGS FOR MARY'S MEALS**

(after 10 am Mass)  
A cheque for £1,150.00 received for the months of March and April. Thank you for your support and generosity. Due to the Primary 4 retreat this week, the coffee morning on Tuesday (3rd) is cancelled. Back next week! Why not come along?

**S.S.V.P.** To contact a member of the Society, please phone **07561 640489**. Our newsletter is available on Parish web - SSVp page.

**PLATINUM CELEBRATION** You are invited to attend a ‘Street Party’ to celebrate the Queen’s Platinum Jubilee on **Friday 3rd June from 1-5pm**. **Tickets are available TODAY**. Please ensure that you get your invitation before leaving. The Committee are looking for musicians and entertainers from within the parish to volunteer their gifts and talents to entertain our guests – It will be a time of fun, food, drinks, camaraderie, and hopefully high temperatures. Please contact Canon Eddie should you wish to volunteer. THANK YOU.

## AROUND OUR DIOCESE

**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](http://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.

**DIVINE MERCY MONTHLY DEVOTIONS** These devotions are held on the last Wednesday of every month.

**NATIONAL NOVENA for VOCATIONS begins Saturday 30th April and concludes on Good Shepherd Sunday** – the World Day of Prayer for Vocations to the Priesthood and Consecrated Life. You can follow the Novena on the various Diocesan social media platforms. Copy also available to read/ download on St. Cadoc’s Parish web (Vocations page). Are you being called to reflect the Master’s sacrifice by offering yourself as a priest, a deacon or religious? Speak to our Diocesan Vocations Director Fr. John Morrison tel: 01418895056 email: [vocations@rcdop.org.uk](mailto:vocations@rcdop.org.uk)

**ANNUAL DIOCESAN PILGRIMAGE TO CARFIN** Led by Bishop John Keenan, the annual pilgrimage will take place on **Sunday 22nd May 2022**. 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 at the shrine.*

**SAFEGUARDING TRAINING** As part of the safe recruitment procedures for the Catholic Church in Scotland, new volunteers undertaking regulated work should complete an application form for their role, apply to become a member of the PVG scheme and attend **Safeguarding Part One Training**.

<b>PART ONE– Dates</b>	<b>Venue</b>	<b>Trainers</b>
<b>Wednesday 11th May 2022 at 10.30am</b>	<b>Diocesan Offices, Paisley</b>	June Clunie & Mary Docherty
<b>Tuesday 13th September 2022 at 7pm.</b>	<b>Diocesan Offices, Paisley</b>	June Clunie & Mary Docherty

**Safeguarding Part Two Training** session is for volunteers who have previously attended Safeguarding Training Part One, or, Safeguarding Training Level One, more than eighteen months ago.

<b>PART TWO – Dates</b>	<b>Venue</b>	<b>Trainers</b>
<b>Saturday 21 May 2022 at 10.30am</b>	<b>St Mirin’s Church Hall, Paisley</b>	June Clunie & Mary Docherty
<b>Tuesday 31 May 2022 at 7pm</b>	<b>St John the Baptist Church Hall, Port Glasgow</b>	June Clunie & Mary Docherty
<b>Saturday 10 September 2022 at 10.30am</b>	<b>St Mirin’s Church Hall, Paisley</b>	June Clunie & Mary Docherty

If you would like to attend one of these training sessions please contact SarahJane Colhoun on **0141 847 6138** or [safeguardingadmin@rcdop.org.uk](mailto:safeguardingadmin@rcdop.org.uk)

N.B. The **Safeguarding Training Video for New Volunteers** is also available to view on our own Parish web.

**Important Safeguarding News** Please take some time to read the most recent issue of *Safeguarding Matters*, the newsletter of the new Scottish Catholic Safeguarding Standards Agency which can be found on our Diocesan website [www.rcdop.org.uk](http://www.rcdop.org.uk) It introduces the members of the SCSSA Board; advertises 2 full-time vacancies in the agency; and announces details of the National Safeguarding Conference that will take place on 1<sup>st</sup> October 2022.

**TALKS FOR YOUNG ADULTS:** A Series of Talks on the Divine Praises for Young Adults

The next talk of the series **Blessed be Jesus Christ: True God** by Fr. Matthew Carlin will take place on **Wednesday 18<sup>th</sup> May at 7pm in St. Mirin’s Cathedral** and will be followed by Benediction and an opportunity to socialise over drinks. A list of all other talks can be found on the Diocesan website [www.rcdop.org.uk](http://www.rcdop.org.uk) and on St. Cadoc’s Parish web (Diocesan Young Adults page).

**EAST RENFREWSHIRE FOODBANK** St. Cadoc’s as a Collection Point for the East Renfrewshire Foodbank.

The following items can be placed in the trolley provided at the entrance to the church:

JAM, SUGAR, UHT MILK, LONGLIFE FRUIT JUICE, TINNED PEAS, TINNED CARROTTS, TINNED CHICK PEAS, TINNED CREAMED RICE, TINNED CUSTARD, HAND WASH.

Contact Agnes Brown on 07803052132 for further information about the Foodbank.

**MARRIAGE PREPARATION COURSES 2022** “We are pleased to confirm dates for Marriage Preparation courses in 2022.

Each course will consist of two 90-minute Zoom sessions and one 3-hour workshop, which will be held in the Diocesan centre or Cathedral Hall, depending on numbers. We piloted this format in September of 2021 with very positive feedback. Should any of these arrangements require amendment due to Covid restrictions we will inform you and the couples of any changes directly.

Couples should be directed to register via the Marriage and Family page on the Diocesan website, or by using this link <https://rcdop.org.uk/marriage-preparation-day-registration-form> The cost for the course per couple is £30 which includes an information pack, CTS booklet ‘Cherish your wedding’ and refreshments during the workshop. Once couples have registered we will contact them directly regarding attendance at the course and will send them a certificate of completion.” *John and Liz Holmes, Marriage & Family Office Diocese of Paisley* **ALL DATES FOR 2022 ARE ON PARISH WEB. Course 2 begins in May.**

**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>

**Marriage Counselling** 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: [counselling@rcdop.org.uk](mailto:counselling@rcdop.org.uk)  
***Please note the new contact number: 07706063936.***

## FURTHER AFIELD

**Brecbannoch Pilgrimage** All are welcome to join the inaugural Brecbannoch Pilgrimage from **11-13 June 2022**.

The Brecbannoch is a 50-mile pilgrimage undertaken on foot from Oban to Iona, with the special purpose of praying for the renewal of the faith in Scotland. Along the way, we will carry the relics of St Columba, St Andrew and St Margaret, invoking their protection over the Church in these isles. Since his death in 574 A.D., pilgrims have flocked to Iona to ask for St Columba's Intercession. Clergy, Kings, and Laity alike undertook arduous journeys to take their petitions to the Holy Abbot's relics. Our mission is to make pilgrimage there, invoking the intercession of Scotland's three patrons, St Andrew, St Margaret and St Columba, to pray for a renewal of the faith in our nation. Sign up before places run out at: [www.brecbannoch.org/sign-up](http://www.brecbannoch.org/sign-up)

**PILGRIMAGE to IONA** with St Francis Parish, Port Glasgow: **Tuesday 27th -Thursday 29th September**

3 days/2nights staying at The Royal Hotel, Oban with a day trip to Iona. **Includes:**

Travel (including ferries)

Half board accommodation at The Royal Hotel, Oban (fully en-suite)

Guided visit to the Abbey on Iona

A three course dinner

**Cost:** £280 approx. (based on 2 sharing – single supplement)

To book please contact Father Matthew at [stfrancis@rcdop.org.uk](mailto:stfrancis@rcdop.org.uk) or 01475 700 700

**RETREAT for YOUNG CATHOLICS (18-35)**

YOU CAN Scotland presents a weekend retreat **Friday 17th –Sunday 19th June 2022**. Guided by the Benedictines of Pluscarden Community the retreat ends with a **Corpus Christi Procession**. Cost: £50 full board excluding Sunday lunch. For more details contact Rina on [rina@youngcatholicadultnetwork.uk](mailto:rina@youngcatholicadultnetwork.uk)

**Conference for Young Adults on Evangelisation** Durham University **9 to 11 September 2022** YouCAN, and the Centre for Catholic Studies have organised "On Fire!", a Conference to stimulate evangelisation and learn about God's call for us to evangelise, how this looks in practice, and the problems we face. There will also be practical sessions on how to evangelise, given by trainers from Catholic Voices. For more details, and to book please go to <https://www.dur.ac.uk/conference.booking/details/?id=1818>

**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](http://www.justiceandpeacescotland.org.uk)

If you wish to be more involved in the work of justice and peace email [office@justiceandpeacescotland.org.uk](mailto: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, Mon to Weds.

**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](http://GenocideResponsecampaignwebsite) <https://righttolife.org.uk/StopAssistedSuicide>

[www.righttolife.org.uk/FetalPainMotion](http://www.righttolife.org.uk/FetalPainMotion) [www.standupandsmile.org.uk](http://www.standupandsmile.org.uk) / [Equally Human](http://EquallyHuman)

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

## ON-LINE

**SCSSA - Vacancies – Director of Safeguarding, Head of Safeguarding Training** The Scottish Catholic Safeguarding Standards Agency Board are seeking candidates of the highest calibre to take on these challenging roles, to make their mark on the work of the agency and to have a positive impact on safeguarding practice across Church jurisdictions in Scotland. If you have the necessary expertise, experience and, above all, the passion for ensuring that children and vulnerable adults will be safeguarded, please consider applying. For full details go to: <https://bit.ly/3MhGNFy>

**The Community Circle of Prayer:** **Every Friday evening** people gather on-line **at 7pm** for 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. Coming up some of our suggested topics are Justice and Peace, Friendship in Jesus, The Mysteries of Light and The Gifts of the Spirit.

Why not spend half an hour with us this Friday in community and fellowship? You would be most welcome! To join please use the access the **Zoom link** via [Diocese of Paisley | Community Circle of Prayer | Paisley, UK \(rcdop.org.uk\)](https://DioceseofPaisley|CommunityCircleofPrayer|Paisley,UK(rcdop.org.uk))

**Freedom of Religion in Scotland. What is your experience?** If you have experiences to share it would be great if you could answer the questionnaire linked at the end and share with friends. The Freedom Declared Foundation is taking a temperature check on the state of freedom of religion/belief in the UK and are asking people to share their experiences of exercising this fundamental human right. It is not about expertise so much as people's lived reality and they are hoping for get a hundred responses by the end of this month. Here is the link to the questionnaire:

[https://docs.google.com/forms/d/e/1FAIpQLSf80Eq922ubaMtT9W4EKSsf4qVIV8nUVKCrLa1Jou\\_Xfq1aA/viewform](https://docs.google.com/forms/d/e/1FAIpQLSf80Eq922ubaMtT9W4EKSsf4qVIV8nUVKCrLa1Jou_Xfq1aA/viewform)