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FR. Monaghan PARISH PRIEST



Sunday Masses: (Saturday Vigil) 6.00pm, 10.00am, 12 noon and 5.00pm.
Weekday Masses: Monday to Friday at 9.30am
Weekday Devotions: Novena to Our Lady of Perpetual Succour on Thursday after 9.30am Mass. A basket is at the back of the Church for petitions.
Holy Rosary after each weekday Mass with special intention for vocations.
Sacrament of Confession: Saturday 5.30 - 5.50pm
Morning Prayer of the Church held every weekday morning in the Cry Chapel at 9.10
Children's Liturgy at 10 o'clock Mass
Sunday Café after 10 and 12 o'clock Mass

We can prepare for Mass by silently recollecting ourselves in God's presence. Before receiving Holy Communion, if we are ready, we are asked to make some preparatory act of reverence such as a genuflection or bow; this should be made while the person in front of us is receiving. It is also good practice to spend some time in thanksgiving after receiving when we return to our places.

Votive Candles: The week long votive candle in the sanctuary lamp, for the Blessed Sacrament, together with those at Sacred Heart, Our Lady, St. Dominic, St. Pope John Paul II and St. Theresa of Lisieux are now available to be sponsored for your intentions such as anniversaries for £10. Please see the stall to hand in intention.

Sacrament of Baptism - Enrolment: Baptisms are normally celebrated on the first Sunday of the month, and preceded by a preparation class with parents and godparents. See me after any Mass to enrol. Please note only one or two Godparents are permitted, one male and one female, above 16 years old, must be practising Catholics and who live in accordance with the Church's teaching on marriage.

Sunday Collections: Parish collection last Sunday £1,705.21 Mass attendance 641

Parish Funerals: Augustus Faller RIP:

The mortal remains will come to church Tuesday 22nd January 2019 at 6pm, and Requiem Mass Wednesday 23rd January 2019 at 10am.

Hall Kitchen: The hall kitchen will be reopened for use when ready.

Parish Course: Catholicism The Pivotal Players: Michelangelo (Part 1). New dates to be announced.

Project Gambia: Volunteers from Project Gambia will be coming to weekend Masses on the weekend of 19th and 20th of January to make a special appeal. The charity, which supports a school of deaf children in The Gambia, St. John's School for the Deaf, will be extremely grateful for any support which they receive.

First Confessions 2019: Further to the letter already issued via St Helen's School I invite Parents/Guardians of P3 children who wish their child to make their First Confession this Lent to enrol them at the 10am Mass on Sunday 3rd February and there to hand in the appropriate forms. Please note these forms cannot be posted or handed in to the school.

Weddings 2019: If you intend to marry this year and have not spoken to me, please do so before the end of the month. The Church normally requires 6 months to complete the necessary preparations.

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Scripture Study Group: Next Meeting will take place in the Campsie Room on Sunday 20th January at 6pm

Pew Missals: Last year's 2017/18 missals are in the hall in numerical order. If you wish to take your Missal please check the list for the number and sign the sheet that you have taken it.

Senior Citizens Club: Wednesday 23rd January Chair Aerobics.

RCAG Youth: LECTIO DIVINA is a quarterly event for S5 - 30 year olds during which Archbishop Tartaglia will be leading us in the

prayerful reading of the Gospels. Afterwards there will be pizza and Compline. It will take place in Turnbull Hall, G12 8LG, 19:00 - 21:00 on Monday 10th Dec 18, 11th Mar 19, 20th May 19.

Mass for Religious: Archbishop Tartaglia will celebrate the annual Mass for Religious on the Feast of the Presentation, Saturday 2nd February 2019, at 10.00am in Saint Andrew's Cathedral. All welcome.

Vocations Discernment Evenings: *Archdiocese of Glasgow Vocations* are holding discernment evenings of catechesis, adoration and fellowship at Turnbull Hall, Southpark Terrace G12 8LG. These evenings will take place on 8th February; 8th March; 12th April and 10th May at 7pm. contact ross.campbell.2@glasgow.ac.uk or telephone Father Campbell on 0141 339 4315.

Mary's Meals: Feeds children in school helping them to thrive, learn and build a better future. The UK Government will match public donations to "Double the Love" made before 1st March 2019. Donations can be made online at www.marysmeals.org.uk or call 0800 698 1212.

St Margaret's Children and Family Care Society are looking for adopters: We pride ourselves on being a specialised adoption service. To look at our most recent inspection report go to www.careinspectorate.com Have you ever considered adoption? Could you give a loving, stable home to a child who has suffered abuse or trauma? Do you have what it takes to be a 'Therapeutic Parent'? If the answer to any of these questions is yes, please visit www.stmargaretsadoption.org.uk for more information or call 0141 332 8371 and speak to our duty worker.

Saint Helen's Parent Council: We are looking for a new Community Representative for our Parent Council. If you are interested or know of anyone who may be interested in this role please contact the Clerk or Chairperson of our Parent Council by emailing: office@st-helens.e-dunbarton.sch.uk

SPRED: We are always in need of new volunteers and drivers in our local groups. We don't ask much, just an open heart and a willingness to be a friend in faith to someone who needs your help to take part in the life of the Church. To find out more call the SPRED office on 0141 770 5055 or email glasgow.spred@btconnect.com Find us on Facebook @spredglasgow



Catholic TV: If you have Sky TV you can receive EWTN on channel 589, the global Catholic TV network that broadcasts daily Mass and activities of the Holy Father as well as many other interesting and informative programs on catholic life and culture.

Stewart school of Irish Dance: Classes in St. Dominic's church hall Monday's from 4:30-5:30, girls and boys welcome all ages for further information contact Adrian or Eulalia Stewart on 07716869610.

Catholic Papers: Available at all doors Observer £1, Flourish 70p, Catholic Herald £2.50 and Catholic Times £1.50

Western Catholic Calendar: Available at stall £3.20

Stall: Cards & Gifts for most occasions are also available in the stall at the back of the Church. Please take time to browse.

Hall Lets: Booking forms available at the back of Church.

Items for the Bulletin: Should reach the Chapel House by **Wednesday** at the latest. Please submit notices via email where possible.

The Act of Spiritual Communion: When unable to receive Holy Communion. *My Jesus, I believe that You are present in the Most Holy Sacrament. I love You above all things, and I desire to receive You into my soul. Since I cannot at this moment receive You sacramentally, come at least spiritually into my heart. I embrace You as if You were already there and unite myself wholly to You. Never permit me to be separated from You. Amen.*