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FR. Monaghan PARISH PRIEST



PARISH FUNERALS

Joe McGowan RIP. Reception of mortal remains and Funeral Mass on Tuesday 30<sup>th</sup> April 2019 at 10am.

Douglas McBride RIP. Vigil of Reception Tuesday 30<sup>th</sup> April 2019 at 6pm, and Requiem Mass Wednesday 1<sup>st</sup> May 2019 at 10am.

Rosaleen Finn RIP. Vigil of Reception Thursday 2<sup>nd</sup> May 2019 at 6pm, and Requiem Mass Friday 3<sup>rd</sup> May 2019 at 10am.

**Parish Baptism 28<sup>th</sup> April 2019:** Arthur Docherty and Ailsa Conroy, we keep their parents and Godparents in our prayers.

**First Communion Parents meeting:** There will be a meeting in the hall on 29<sup>th</sup> April 2019 at 7.30pm of Parents/Guardians of all P4 children who have enrolled for First Communion this May. Please let me know if you cannot attend this important meeting to finalise arrangements.

**First Holy Communion Masses:** Will take place on Saturday 11th and 18th May both at 11am; please remember these children in your prayers.

**May Devotions:** Holy Rosary and Benediction on Friday 10 May at 7pm.

**Gift Aid 2019/20:** The new envelopes begin on the 7th April 2019 and can be collected from the Campsie room. They are arranged in boxes in alphabetical order. No numbers have changed. If you would like to join the Gift Aid scheme, please fill in the forms at the back of the Church or contact myself.

*Fr. Monaghan*

**St Dominic's Junior Youth Group:** All young people in P6 – S3 welcome. Come along to find out more about your faith while having a tonne of fun! There will be prayer, games, activities, food, chat and lots of fun! A 6-month programme of Youth Group events will be published in the coming weeks keep an eye on the parish Facebook page.

**Scripture Study Group:** Next meeting will take place in the Campsie Room on Sunday 28th April at 6pm.

**Senior Citizens Club:** Wednesday 1st May Morag, Stories and Songs.

**RCAG Youth: P7 – S4?** This event is for you! Come along to RCAG Youth's monthly event FORMED and discover more about your faith through fun activities, input and games. There will, of course, be pizza too! This event will run on the first Friday evening of most months as outlined on our website www.rcagyouth.co.uk. 16:30 – 19:00 @ Eyre Hall, 196 Clyde St, G1 4JY.

**Knights of St Columba:** Tell Our Story Live our Dream. The Knights of St Columba are looking for new members to join our organisation. We are looking for all men aged 18 years to 65 to assist us to promote the work of the Catholic Church, to help our clergy, to help others in need, to get involved in all the work that we do throughout Scotland. If you think you are suitable and are interested in joining us, or would like more information, please contact John O' Donnell on 07854886425 or Paul Laird on 07875499608.

**UCM:** The closing Mass will take place in Saint Dominic's on Wednesday 8th May at 7pm

**Mass for Vocations at St. Joseph's:** The monthly Mass for Vocations takes place at the Little Sisters of the Poor, St. Joseph's, Robroyston on Monday 29th April at 7.45pm. Father Thaddeus Umaru, Parish Priest at St. Roch's will celebrate Mass. We look forward to you joining with us in praying for vocations.

**Schoenstatt:** Wednesday 1st May Opening of the month of May 7pm Presiding: Canon Sean Cunny, Paisley Diocese. Candlelight Rosary Procession in the grounds, followed by Benediction in the Shrine.

Sunday 19th May, May Day Pilgrimage. Presider His Grace, Archbishop Emeritus, Mario Conti. Begins at 3 pm with Rosary followed by Holy Mass in the Centre and then Procession and Crowning of our Lady, Queen of the May. All welcome.

**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 20th May 2019.

**St Margaret's Children and Family Care Society are looking for adopters:** We pride ourselves on being a specialised adoption service. 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 is yes, www.stmargaretsadoption.org.uk for more information or call 0141 332 8371 and speak to our duty worker.

**Stewart school of Irish Dance:** Classes in St. Dominic's church hall Monday & Wednesday 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

**Stall:** Communion Invitation, Communion Cards & Gifts are now available in the stall at the back of the Church, most occasions are also available 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.*

**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 £2,032.81 Mass attendance 784.