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THE SOLEMNITY OF THE MOST HOLY TRINITY (A) 4TH JUNE 2023 THE MONTH OF THE SACRED HEART



FOODBANK

This week we supported **101** families via our Food-banks which is an incredible amount.

We have to begin by acknowledging our wonderful team of volunteers who do so much to make the food-banks happen. We could not do any of this without them.

We then must thank you, our Parishioners, who faithfully support the work we do. Thanks also to Nith Valley Eggs, the parents and pupils of St Anthony's Primary School, Brian Haughey and finally The City Charitable Trust, who have agreed to support us in the longer term, enabling us to continue the work we are doing alongside our SSVP colleagues. We are nothing without all of your help.

This week our stocks are low so we would appreciate donations of the following items if possible; UHT milk, Pasta, Pasta sauce, Tinned veg, Tinned potatoes, Toiletries - deodorant, shaving cream, Nappies- size 4 & 5, Baby wipes, Washing up liquid, Washing powder / pods.

Donations can be left at the back of both Churches as well as in Burnside Butchers.

THE MONTH OF THE SACRED HEART

The Month of June is dedicated to the Sacred Heart. The Church celebrates the Solemnity of the Sacred Heart of Jesus on the Friday following the second Sunday after Pentecost, this year the Solemnity falls on **Friday 16th of June**. In addition to the liturgical celebration, many devotions are connected with the Sacred Heart of Jesus. Of all devotions, devotion to the Sacred Heart was, and remains, one of the most widespread and popular in the Church.

Understood in the light of the Scriptures, the term "Sacred Heart of Jesus" denotes the entire mystery of Christ, the totality of his being, and his person considered in its most intimate essential: Son of God, uncreated wisdom; infinite charity, principal of the salvation and sanctification of mankind. The "Sacred Heart" is Christ, the Word Incarnate, Saviour, intrinsically containing, in the Spirit, an infinite divine-human love for the Father and for his brothers.

THE SOLEMNITY OF THE MOST HOLY TRINITY (A)

SATURDAY 3RD JUNE

The Liturgy is no place for trying to understand the Trinity: it is where we celebrate in the presence of God who is Father, Son and Holy Spirit. The Mystery of One God, Three Persons is outlined beautifully in Jesus' words to Nicodemus: "God sent his Son into the world...so that the world might be saved". We begin and end today's and every day's liturgy in the name of God who is Father, Son and Holy Spirit.

(Readings: Exodus 34:4-6.8-9; Psalm: Daniel 3:52-56; 2 Corinthians 13:11-13; John 3:16-18)

At St Mark's

4.30pm Sacrament of Reconciliation available
5.00pm Vigil Mass for the Solemnity of The Most Holy Trinity

SUNDAY 4TH JUNE

10.00am Holy Mass for the Solemnity of The Most Holy Trinity **at St Mark's**
11.30am Holy Mass for the Solemnity of The Most Holy Trinity **at St Anthony's**
4.30pm Sacrament of Reconciliation available **at St Anthony's**
5.00pm Holy Mass for the Solemnity of The Most Holy Trinity **at St Anthony's**

MONDAY 5TH JUNE

THE MEMORIAL OF ST BONIFACE

St Boniface (675-754) became a monk at Exeter and in 1719 as a missionary to present-day Germany. With papal support, he re-organised the Church there after a prolonged period of civil unrest and is greatly venerated still today as "The Apostle of the Germans". His work is considered to have had a consolidating and pacifying effect on the Europe of his day. On a mission to Friesland, he and his fifty-two fellow missionaries were surprised by robbers who put them to death, after St Boniface urged no resistance but to "overcome evil with good."

(Readings: Tobit 1: 3; 2:1-8; Psalm 111; Mark 12:1-12)

At St Mark's

9.00am-9.50am Exposition of the Blessed Sacrament
9.30am Recitation of the Joyful Mysteries of the Most Holy Rosary
10.00am Holy Mass for the Memorial of the St Boniface

TUESDAY 6TH JUNE

(Readings: Tobit 2:9-14; Psalm 111; Mark 12: 13-17)

At St Anthony's

6.30pm Recitation of the Sorrowful Mysteries of the Most Holy Rosary
7.00pm Holy Mass for Tuesday of the Ninth Week in Ordinary Time of those who have died in the month of May from St Anthony's followed by the Novena to St Anthony
7.30pm Meeting of the SVDP in **St Anthony's House**

WEDNESDAY 7TH JUNE

(Readings: Tobit 3:1-11.16-17; Psalm 24; Mark 12: 18-27)

At St Mark's

9.30am Recitation of the Glorious Mysteries of the Most Holy Rosary
10.00am Holy Mass for Wednesday of the Ninth Week in Ordinary Time
10.00am-12.00noon Food Bank at St Anthony's Hall
10.30am Cuppa Club in St Mark's Hall
12.30pm-2.00pm Food Bank at St Mark's Hall

THURSDAY 1ST JUNE

(Readings: Tobit 6:10-11; 7:1.9-14; 8:4-9; Psalm 127; Mark 12:28-34)

At St Anthony's

9.00am-9.50am **Sacrament of Reconciliation available**
9.30am Recitation of the Luminous Mysteries of the Most Holy Rosary
10.00am Holy Mass for the Memorial of St Justin
7.00pm **Rehearsal of Community Choir in St Mark's Church**

FRIDAY 9TH JUNE

THE FEAST OF ST COLUMBA

St Columba, Abbot, was born of royal blood in Gartan, County Donegal. In the year 563 he left for Iona where he founded a monastery from which the Faith was preached in the Highlands and Islands of Scotland. He died in 597 and was buried on Iona.

(Readings: Colossians 1:24-29; Psalm 15; Mark 10:17-30)

At St Mark's

9.30am

Recitation of the Sorrowful Mysteries of the Most Holy Rosary

10.00am

Holy Mass for the Feast of St Columba

SATURDAY 10TH JUNE

(Readings: Tobit 12:1.5-15.20 Psalm Tobit 13:2:6-8; Mark 12:38-44)

At St Anthony's

9.30am

Recitation of the Joyful Mysteries of the Most Holy Rosary

10.00am

Holy Mass Saturday of the Ninth Week in Ordinary Time

10.30am

Sacrament of Baptism of Harris Bain at St Anthony's

11.30am

Gardening Club at St Mark's

12.30pm

Sacrament of Baptism of Tommy Michaels at St Mark's

1.00pm

Sacrament of Baptism of Cillian Paul McKeever at St Anthony's

THE SOLEMNITY OF THE MOST HOLY BODY AND BLOOD OF CHRIST (A)

SATURDAY 10 JUNE

(Readings: Sirach 51:12-20.; Psalm 18; Mark 11:27-33)

At St Mark's

4.30pm

Sacrament of Reconciliation available

5.00pm

Vigil Mass for the Solemnity of The Holy Body and Blood of Christ

SUNDAY 11TH JUNE

10.00am

Holy Mass for the Solemnity of The Holy Body and Blood of Christ **at St Mark's**

11.30am

Holy Mass for the Solemnity of The Holy Body and Blood of Christ **at St Anthony's**

4.30pm-4.50pm

Sacrament of Reconciliation Available

5.00pm

Holy Mass for the Solemnity of The Holy Body and Blood of Christ **at St Anthony's**

CARFIN DAY

Lists are available at the back of the church to gauge interest in a parish day in Carfin on the **22nd June**. If you are interested then please add your name to the list.

TOILET TWINNING

Next Sunday there will be a retiral collection for Toilet Twinning. They fund projects in communities that help families to build their own basic toilet, access clean water and learn about hygiene – a vital combination that saves lives.

DAY BY DAY BOOKS

The booklet for June and July is now available in the stalls. These are very useful books which provide the daily Mass readings for a whole month. Price £1.50

EMERALD LUNCH CLUB- LUNCH WITH AN IRISH FLAVOUR!!

The Emerald Lunch Club is a community project for seniors. As well as lunch, we will have live entertainment including **Irish Traditional Music, Singing & Dancing**. **Monday June 19th, 12pm – 3pm, St Mark's Church Hall**. LUNCH provided will consist of **soup, sandwiches, sausage rolls** plus Tea & coffee/cakes. **COST: £3 - places to be booked by calling Evin on 07866 453708**. All Welcome!

ABSENSE

I'll be away from the Parish from Monday 5th of June until Monday the 12th of June. The Comboni and White Fathers will be saying Mass while I'm away.

PRINCE AND PRINCESS OF WALES HOSPICE

There will be a coffee morning on Sunday 25th June after the 11.30am Mass in the Hall. Please support this worthy cause.

PLEASE REMEMBER IN YOUR PRAYERS

Those who died recently, especially: , James Ainsworth, Isobel Clark, Chris Darroch, Kathleen Devine, Rose Gilchrist, Fred MacConnell, David Martin, Toni Quigley, Christopher Trent & Ella Urris

Those whose anniversaries occur at this time, especially: Patrick Doherty. Catherine & James Dunnery,
Please pray for all sick and housebound of the Parish: Ella Connolly, Isa Daniels, Peter Kavanagh, Baby Finn McGuinness, Michael McGuire, Baby Hope McKenna, May O'Donnell, Kathleen Perry & Margaret Rice.

If you are sick or you know someone who is sick and would like to have the name printed in this prayer section, then please let me know.

ONGOING FORMATION

In our Ongoing Formation group we have continued to follow the course 'Introduction to the Bible' by Dr Brant Petrie. We listen to recordings of his lectures and then discuss various points raised. We recently discuss the work of Pope Benedict XV. in his encyclical *Spiritus Paraclitus* (1920) he points out that St. Jerome never questions the fact that the individual authors of the books of the Bible worked in full freedom under the divine afflatus, each of them in accordance with his individual nature and character... In each case Jerome shows us how, in composition, in language, in style and mode of expression, each of them uses his own gifts and powers... If we ask how we are to explain the power and action of God, the principal cause, on the sacred writers, we shall find that St. Jerome in no wise differs from the common teaching of the Catholic Church. For he holds that God, through his grace, illumines the writers mind regarding the particular truth that, "in the person of God," he is to set before men. He holds, moreover, that God moves the writer's will—nay, even impels it—to write; finally, that God abides with him unceasingly, in unique fashion, until his task is accomplished. (Benedict XV, *Spiritus Paraclitus* 3).

Pope Benedict also outlines St Jerome's recommended reading order of the Bible. Begin with the Psalms, then read Solomons Proverbs to learn a way of life, then learn from Ecclesiastes how to trample the world. Then in Job find an example of patient virtue. Then pass to the Gospels, the Acts and the Epistles. Then read the Prophets, then Genesis, Exodus, Leviticus, Numbers, Deuteronomy, Joshua and Judges. Then Kings, and Chronicles, Ezra and Esther, then Solomons Canticle of Canticles (Benedict XV, *Spiritus Paraclitus* 516).

If you would like to know more please join us every Thursday as advertised.

ADVICE AND SUPPORT

Volunteer Parish based confidential benefits advice and assistance with form filling is available in person via the Wednesday food banks or from the SVDP telephone 07977185826 for more information.

POOR CLARE SISTERS

I'm delighted to confirm that the Poor Clare Monastery will be moving from Bothwell to the house at St Anthony's. We will need to make some alterations to the house and grounds before the community of four sisters move in. We hope to have them with us before Christmas.

40 HOURS ADORATION

40 Hours Adoration will take place in St Columbkille's, Rutherglen beginning on **Sunday 11th June**, the feast of Corpus Christi at 7am! It will conclude with 1pm Mass on Wednesday **14th June**. For the full programme of events please see flyer or their website www.stcolumbkille.org.uk

A few items to draw your attention to are the Eucharistic Procession and Solemn Benediction which will take place after 12noon Mass on Sunday 11th June and the guided Holy Hours at 7pm on Monday 12th and Tuesday 13th June. The theme on Monday night is 'Mary, Mother of the Eucharist' and on Tuesday night is 'Emmaus: The Eucharist and the Pledge of Future Glory.'

Confession will be available at the usual times and also on Monday 12th and Tuesday 13th June, 6-7pm.

OFFERTORY COLLECTION FOR THE 28TH MAY:

Plate collection including Gift Aid envelopes: £1515.23

Gift Aid to Bank: £190.00

Total: £1705.23

THIS WEEKEND THERE WILL BE A SPECIAL COLLECTION FOR THE DAY OF LIFE

St Mark's Cuppa Club has given St Anthony's and St Mark's schools £50 each to put towards P7 leavers party at the end of term.