

# ST ANTHONY & ST MARK'S

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## THIRTY THIRD SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME (B) 17TH NOVEMBER 2024

### EXPOSITION OF THE BLESSED SACRAMENT for 30mins before each weekday / Sat morning Mass

<b>HOLY MASS</b>	Tues	7pm at St Anthony's (November Memorial Mass)	Sat	5.00 pm Vigil at St Mark's
	Wed	9.30 am at St Mark's	Sun	10.00 am at St Mark's
	Thu	9.30 am at St Anthony's (funeral)	Sun	11.30 am at St Anthony's
	Fri	9.30 am at St Mark's (with Sacred Heart Novena)	Sun	2.00pm St Anthony's (Syro-Malabar Qurbana)
	Sat	9.30 am at St Anthony's	Sun	5.00 pm at St Anthony's
<b>HOLY ROSARY</b>	Tues	6.30 pm at St Anthony's	Wed	9.10 am at St Mark's
	Thu	NO ROSARY at St Anthony's	Sat	9.10am at St Anthony's
<b>CONFESSION</b>	Sat	9-9.20am St Anthony's	Sat	4.30-4.50pm St Mark's
			Sun	4.30-4.50pm St Anthony's

### SUNDAY READINGS

Reading 1	Dan 12:1-3	When the times comes your own people will be spared.
Psalms	Ps 15:5. 8-11 r.1	Preserve me, God, I take refuge in you.
Reading 2	Heb 10:11-14, 18	By virtue of one single offering, he has achieved the eternal perfection of all whom he is sanctifying.
Acclamation	Matt 24:42-44	Stay awake and stand ready, because you do not know the hour when the Son of Man is coming.
Gospel	Mark 13:24-32	He will gather his chosen from the four winds.

### PLEASE REMEMBER IN YOUR PRAYERS

**Those who died recently, especially:** Mary McCluskey (reception & funeral Thursday 21st Nov. 9.30am, St Anthony's); Pat McNulty (reception & funeral Wednesday 27th Nov. 9.30am, St Mark's); Jamie Downie; Tommy Healy

**Anniversaries:** Margaret Lawrie; David Capaldi; John Markey

**Sick & housebound :** Catherine Scott; Erin Lavery; Beatrice Hannah; Pauline Mahon; Mary McColgan; Ella Connolly, Isa Daniels, Finn McGuinness, Hope McKenna, May O'Donnell, Margaret Rice; Sandra Morgan; Neil Morton; Steven Murphy; Cathie Martin

### CUPPA CLUB NEWS

The St Mark's Cuppa Club has supported the following causes in the past few months...St Anthony's and St Mark's Primary Schools each received £100 towards the end of term leavers event in June and a further £100 each towards their Christmas celebrations. Rain or Shine in Rutherglen received £200 which will be spent where necessary in the local community. Many thanks to our generous patrons without whom this would not happen. Come along and join us on a Wednesday from 10 am for a cuppa and a chat.

### COMMUNITY CHOIR CHANGE OF EVENING AND VENUE REMINDER

The Community Choir now meet on a **Tuesday** evening from 7.30-8.30pm at St Anthony's. Please consider joining us: we're also building up to exciting choir-led events like the Carols by Candlelight and Christmas Masses, so please come along and enjoy the excitement!

## EDUCATION SUNDAY

This weekend we celebrate Education Sunday and take the opportunity to thank God for our wonderful Catholic schools and for all who educate the young. We will also take up a second collection to support the Catholic Education Commission in Scotland.

## LIFETEEN GROUP FOR S2-4 PARISHIONERS CONTINUES THIS EVENING

Thanks to the young people and their parents who took up the invitation to come along to the first session in our 5-week pilot last week. LifeTeen continues today. Many thanks also to our 4 adult leaders.

## MASSES FOR DECEASED PARISHIONERS

As always, we will hold annual parish Masses to pray for all of those whose funerals occurred in the parish over the past year, as well as praying for and commemorating all deceased parishioners and all our beloved dead. These will be held on:

**Monday 18th November 7pm St Mark's;**

**Tuesday 19th November 7pm St Anthony's**

## SALAMANCA PILGRIMAGE 20TH-27TH SEPT: INFO AND MEETING

Next year's parish pilgrimage will be to the Royal Scots College in Salamanca, Spain. The pilgrimage is likely to cost in the region of £950pp including flights and half board. Please contact Marjie on 07771939696 or come along to an info meeting at 6.15pm on

**Tuesday 19th Nov.** at St Anthony's.

## WELLSPRING PARISH COUNCIL MEETING

The Parish Council (which means every parishioner) meets twice per year in the spring and autumn, to discuss the direction of our parish, the progress or otherwise of our pastoral priorities, and where we can best put our energies in the months to come. All are invited to come and contribute, on **Wednesday 20th November** from 7-8.30pm in St Anthony's side chapel.

## JUSTICE AND PEACE CATHOLIC SOCIAL TEACHING SERIES CONCLUDES THIS THURSDAY (REPLACING ALPHA)

The series will conclude on this **Thursday 21st Nov at 7.30pm** in the side chapel at St Anthony's, with the theme of "See—Discern—Act: Responding to Injustice as a Follower of Christ". The sessions, led by Anne Marie Clements from J&P Scotland, have been very informative and engaging. Please do consider coming along. Many thanks are also due to the parish Justice and Peace Team who have really surpassed themselves this autumn by running these talks and the Caritas Award project.

## IGNITE SACRAMENTAL PREPARATION FOR FIRST HOLY COMMUNION

This year the parish will undertake a pilot of parish-based sacramental preparation to compliment the work done in our Catholic primary schools. It's called Ignite, and our pilot will be for First Holy Communion candidates: the parents have been informed of the dates, which will run in each church for 6 weeks January—March 2025. We need some volunteer leaders to join the core of those already involved, and so we invite parishioners to a meeting to find out more next **Sunday 24th Nov** after 11.30am Mass, in the side chapel at St Anthony's. Some experience of parenting or working with children would be helpful, but you don't have to be a teacher.

## PARISH HOGMANAY PARTY!

We're delighted to announce that the parish will host a St Anthony & St Mark's Parish Hogmanay party in St Mark's hall on 31st, 8 til late. Fr Stephen has always celebrated this in previous parishes and was keen to bring the idea to our parish. The night will be run for Kilbryde Hospice, and will feature live music from Franny Conway, joined by the McHugh family and also Fr Stephen, plus raffles games and a singalong. Tickets £5, or £15 for a family (household) ticket, available from Franny 07952313267. BYOB and snacks.

## SCHOOL CHRISTMAS FAYRES

You are warmly invited to attend and support the Christmas Fayres of our associated schools: Trinity High on Thursday 28th November 6-8pm, St Anthony's Primary on Sunday 24th November 12 noon—3pm and St Mark's Primary on Friday 29th Nov 3-5pm

## SAVE THE DATE: JUSTICE & PEACE SCOTLAND CARITAS HOLY HOUR 4TH DEC

Don't forget the Holy Hour of prayer and music on **Wednesday 4th Dec at 7pm** at St Mark's church: please save the date!

## ENROLMENT FOR THE SACRAMENTS FOR CHILDREN IN THE PARISH

This year all families wishing their children to be prepared for the Sacraments of First Reconciliation, First Holy Communion or Confirmation must enrol them with the parish using a form. Parents can access the forms from both churches; or by contacting the parish in any way convenient to them: in person, by email, or by phone. Forms are required to be completed and returned by the Enrolment Masses on Sunday 17th Nov 10am (St Mark's) or Sunday 24th Nov 11.30am (St Anthony's). Thanks.

## SPACE—CHRISTMAS GIFTS FOR CHILDREN

SPACE provides Christmas gifts for children in the East End of Glasgow. You can take a tag this weekend and bring back an age-appropriate gift by Sunday 30th Nov. For more info contact Karen Smith.

**QR CODE FOR PARISH GIVING** If parishioners or visitors would prefer to use their mobile phones to make a donation at Sunday Mass, then please feel free to use the QR code.

