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CHRIST THE KING - THIRTY FOURTH SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME (B) 24TH NOVEMBER 2024

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

HOLY MASS	Tues	7pm at St Anthony's	Sat	5.00 pm Vigil at St Mark's
	Wed	9.30 am at St Mark's (funeral)	Sun	10.00 am at St Mark's
	Thu	9.30 am at St Anthony's	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
HOLY ROSARY	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
CONFESSION	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 7:13-14	His sovereignty is an eternal sovereignty.
Psalms	Ps 92:1-2. 5 r.1	The Lord is king, with majesty enrobed.
Reading 2	Rev 1:5-8	Rulers of the kings of the earth... he made us a line of kings, priests to serve his God.
Acclamation	Mark 11:9. 10	Blessings on him who comes in the name of the Lord! Blessings on the coming kingdom of our father David!
Gospel	John 18:33-37	It is you who say that I am a king.

PLEASE REMEMBER IN YOUR PRAYERS

Those who died recently, especially: **Pat McNulty** (reception & funeral Wednesday 27th Nov. 9.30am, St Mark's); **Cathie Martin** (funeral reception Thursday 5th Dec 6.30pm and funeral Mass Friday 6th Dec 9.30am, St Mark's); Daniel Griffiths; Mary McCluskey; Thomas Dunne (Orkney); Beatrice Beattie

Anniversaries: Amanda Lang; Charlie Docherty; Annie & Hugh Paterson; Nessie, John, Dan & Wullie McLaughlin.

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.

CLASSROOMS FOR MALAWI AFTERNOON TEA THANKS:

Many thanks to everyone who supported Classrooms for Malawi's recent Afternoon Tea! An amazing £2,815 was raised!

KINGDOM - ADVENT HOLY HOUR | 3RD DEC | 7:30PM | MOTHERWELL CATHEDRAL

The RCDOM Young Adults Group invites you to an evening of Eucharistic Adoration, Personal Testimonies and Live Music as we enter the Advent season together. All are welcome. COME LET US ADORE HIM. To register, please email mishal@rcdom.org.uk.

COMMUNION TO THE SICK

If you know of anyone who isn't able to attend Mass and who would like a visit from Fr Stephen and to receive Holy Communion weekly from a Minister of Holy Communion, please be in touch using the contact details in the box at the top of this page.

EDUCATION SUNDAY THANKS

Thanks for all who contributed to the collection last Sunday which raised £894.

CARITAS AWARD JUSTICE & PEACE SCOTLAND TALK AND HOLY HOUR 4TH DEC

This weekend we welcome our Caritas Award parishioners who have been working really hard over the last few months to learn about Catholic Social Teaching and the issue of human trafficking, and preparing a talk and Holy Hour to share with the parish. Don't forget to support their Holy Hour on **Wednesday 4th December at 7pm** at St Mark's.

XAVERIAN MISSION APPEAL NEXT WEEKEND

Next weekend we will welcome the Xaverian missionaries who will be celebrating the Masses and giving the mission appeal. There will be a second collection to support their work.

CHRISTMAS 2024 MASSES AND SERVICES:

Wednesday 11th December - Reconciliation Service with Confession (St Anthony's) – 7.00pm

Saturday 14th December: Confession (St Columbkille's) 2.30-4.00pm

Thursday 19th December - Carols by Candlelight Service (St Mark's) – 7.00pm

Tuesday 24th December:

Christmas Vigil Family Mass (St Anthony's) 5.00pm

First Mass of Christmas by Candlelight (St Mark's) – 8.00pm (with carol service from 7.30pm)

Christmas Day:

Dawn Mass (St Mark's) – 10am; Christmas Mass (St Anthony's) – 11.30am

SALAMANCA PILGRIMAGE: LISTS IN THE PORCHES

Next year's parish pilgrimage will be to the Royal Scots College in Salamanca, Spain. The pilgrimage is likely to cost around £950pp inc. flights and half board. Please contact Marjie on 07771939696 or put your name on the list in the church porches asap.

IGNITE SACRAMENTAL PREPARATION FOR FIRST HOLY COMMUNION: METING TODAY

This year the parish will undertake a pilot of parish-based sacramental preparation to compliment the work done in our Catholic primary schools. 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 today, **Sunday 24th Nov** after 11.30am Mass, in the side chapel at St Anthony's.

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.

FOODBANK NEWS

Our volunteers have supported 210 visitors at both Foodbanks over the past two weeks. Many thanks to everyone who has donated items to us over this period, as well as to The City charitable Trust for their ongoing support. Welcome to all those who have volunteered and thanks to all who have given donations as a result of our Parish update.

We are focussing on Christmas, so if you could donate a selection box or a packet of biscuits over the next few weeks that would be great. Mini lists are also available at the back of the Churches. Donations can be left at the back of both Churches, Jingers and Le Sorelle Home & Gift Boutique. Many thanks.

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. We've already passed on raffle prizes books and stall items to Trinity and St Anthony's on behalf of the parish, but can we ask for donations of **cakes** to be sold at the St Mark's Christmas Fayre please? They can be handed into the school.

ALPHA PROCESS CONTINUES THIS THURSDAY

Our Alpha process will continue this **Thursday 7th Nov** at 7-8.15pm in the side chapel at St Anthony's.

TRINITY HIGH ST ANDREW'S DAY LUNCH: CHANGE OF DATE

For those who have an invitation to this event, please note that the date has been changed to this **Friday 29th Nov, 11.30am-1.30pm**

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 (which is working again!)

