

**Holy Michael, the Archangel, defend us in the day of battle.
Be our safeguard against the wickedness and snares of the devil.
May God rebuke him, we humbly pray
and do Thou, O Prince of the Heavenly Host,
by the Power of God thrust down into hell,
Satan and all the other wicked spirits
who wander through the world seeking the ruin of souls.**

41. Since the universal Church, within which dwells the Spirit of Truth who infallibly directs it toward an ever more perfect knowledge of the revealed truths, has expressed its own belief many times over the course of the centuries, and since the bishops of the entire world are almost unanimously petitioning that the truth of the bodily Assumption of the Blessed Virgin Mary into heaven should be defined as a dogma of divine and Catholic faith—this truth which is based on the Sacred Writings, which is thoroughly rooted in the minds of the faithful, which has been approved in ecclesiastical worship from the most remote times, which is completely in harmony with the other revealed truths, and which has been expounded and explained magnificently in the work, the science, and the wisdom of the theologians - we believe that the moment appointed in the plan of divine providence for the solemn proclamation of this outstanding privilege of the Virgin Mary has already arrived.

42. We, who have placed our pontificate under the special patronage of the most holy Virgin, to whom we have had recourse so often in times of grave trouble, we who have consecrated the entire human race to her Immaculate Heart in public ceremonies, and who have time and time again experienced her powerful protection, are confident that this solemn proclamation and definition of the Assumption will contribute in no small way to the advantage of human society, since it redounds to the glory of the Most Blessed Trinity, to which the Blessed Mother of God is bound by such singular bonds. It is to be hoped that all the faithful will be stirred up to a stronger piety toward their heavenly Mother, and that the souls of all those who glory in the Christian name may be moved by the desire of sharing in the unity of Jesus Christ's Mystical Body and of increasing their love for her who shows her motherly heart to all the members of this august body. And so we may hope that those who meditate upon the glorious example Mary offers us may be more and more convinced of the value of a human life entirely devoted to carrying out the heavenly Father's will and to bringing good to others. Thus, while the illusory teachings of materialism and the corruption of morals that follows from these teachings threaten to extinguish the light of virtue and to ruin the lives of men by exciting discord among them, in this magnificent way all may see clearly to what a lofty goal our bodies and souls are destined. Finally it is our hope that belief in Mary's bodily Assumption into heaven will make our belief in our own resurrection stronger and render it more effective.

43. We rejoice greatly that this solemn event falls, according to the design of God's providence, during this Holy Year, so that we are able, while the great Jubilee is being observed, to adorn the brow of God's Virgin Mother with this brilliant gem, and to leave a monument more enduring than bronze of our own most fervent love for the Mother of God.

44. For which reason, after we have poured forth prayers of supplication again and again to God, and have invoked the light of the Spirit of Truth, for the glory of Almighty God who has lavished his special affection upon the Virgin Mary, for the honor of her Son, the immortal King of the Ages and the Victor over sin and death, for the increase of the glory of that same august Mother, and for the joy and exultation of the entire Church; by the authority of our Lord Jesus Christ, of the Blessed Apostles Peter and Paul, and by our own authority, we pronounce, declare, and define it to be a divinely revealed dogma: that the Immaculate Mother of God, the ever Virgin Mary, having completed the course of her earthly life, was assumed body and soul into heavenly glory.

45. Hence if anyone, which God forbid, should dare willfully to deny or to call into doubt that which we have defined, let him know that he has fallen away completely from the divine and Catholic Faith.

46. In order that this, our definition of the bodily Assumption of the Virgin Mary into heaven may be brought to the attention of the universal Church, we desire that this, our Apostolic Letter, should stand for perpetual remembrance, commanding that written copies of it, or even printed copies, signed by the hand of any public notary and bearing the seal of a person constituted in ecclesiastical dignity, should be accorded by all men the same reception they would give to this present letter, were it tendered or shown.

47. It is forbidden to any man to change this, our declaration, pronouncement, and definition or, by rash attempt, to oppose and counter it. If any man should presume to make such an attempt, let him know that he will incur the wrath of Almighty God and of the Blessed Apostles Peter and Paul. 48. Given at Rome, at St. Peter's, in the year of the great Jubilee, 1950, on the first day of the month of November, on the Feast of All Saints, in the twelfth year of our pontificate.

PIUS XII ~~~MUNIFICENTISSIMUS DEUS~~~1st November 1950

**Please turn
off mobile
phones and
remove
chewing gum**

Solemnity of the Assumption 15th/16th August 2020

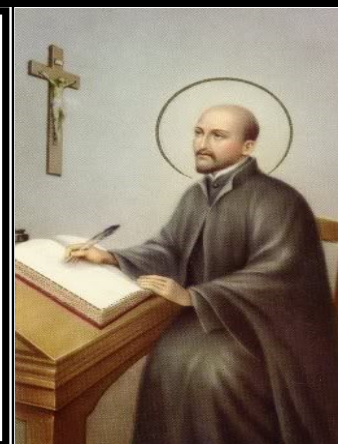
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Lord, teach me to be generous.
Teach me to serve you as you
deserve;
to give and not to count the cost,
to fight and not to heed the
wounds,
to toil and not to seek for rest,
to labour and
not to ask for any reward,
save that of knowing that I do
your will. Amen



RESPONSE TO THE PSALM

*On your right stands the Queen,
in garments of gold.*

This Week

Monday to Friday 10am
(excluding Wednesdays)

Saturday 12noon &
5.30pm

Sunday 10am & 12noon

Sacrament of Reconciliation
by prior arrangement ONLY



Parish Priest Fr. Stephen Rooney
Pastor Emeritus: Mgr Michael Conway
Website: www.saintignatiuswishaw.org.uk

**Charity no.
SCO 11041**

**Last Collection:
Total £**

*(This isn't an accurate figure as some have
paid for a number of weeks)*

Thank you for supporting our parish

Feasts this week

Sun 16th Solemnity of the Assumption
Thursday 20th St Bernard
Friday 21st Pope St Pius X
Sat 22nd Feast of Queenship of Mary

Readings for next Sunday

Isaiah 22:19-23
Romans 11:33-36
Matthew 16:13-20

**SSVP Tel: 07840 142894 for
help**

Any items for the bulletin,
please send in no later than
Thursday mornings.

Prayer to make
a Spiritual Communion

**My Jesus, I believe that you are
present in the most
Blessed Sacrament. I love You
above all things and I desire to
receive You into my soul. Since I
cannot now 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.**

Collections

It is appreciated that some have
managed to send in their collections
which greatly helps the parish at this time.
It is understood that others may be
feeling the strain of financial burden. If
you can make any contribution to the
parish then that would be greatly
appreciated.

You could:

- 1) put your donation through the letter
box of the Chapel House
- 2) Sign up for Gift Aid~~Call/ email
Fr Stephen for a form
- 3) make donation via Bank transfer
Sort Code: 82 68 28
Account: 10460143
Clydesdale Bank, Wishaw
Thank you

Wishaw Hospital

If any parishioner is in hospital and
requires the sacraments then please call
Chaplain Fr Louis Mendy
For emergency/visit please ask nurse to
contact chaplain or call
01698 263945/07767 392234
Only members of the emergency
chaplaincy team will be allowed into the
hospital.
No other priest will be allowed.

Prayers for Healing

We are asked to pray 10 Hail Marys
every day from
15th August to 15th September
at 12 noon

NO MASS ON WEDNESDAYS

A number of stewards and cleaners
have returned to work and we thank
them for their dedication. As a
result Mass on Wednesdays are
CANCELLED.

Please Pray For

SICK: Fr Jim Casey; Sr Josephine McGuigan; Grace & Sandy Abernethy; Catherine Anderson; Margaret Bachiller; Janice Ball; Liam Benham; Paul Brassington; Andrew Brown; Pamela Brown; Rosanna & Joe Bulmer; Martin Burns; Mary Byrne; James Cameron; David Clegg; Mary Cliens; Desmond Coyle; Colette Currier; Annie Devine; Eileen Docherty; Harry Docherty; Jim Doyle; Mary Dugan, Louise Foley; Marion Fox; Mary Graham; Cathleen Hendry; Catherine Hughes; Conor Jamieson; Cara Louise Jordan; Gordon Law; Simon Logan; Catherine McBroom; Fiona McCall; Donna & Patricia McGuire; Thomas McIlvaney; Peter McKenna; Dillon McLauchlan; Bernadette McLaughlin; Robbie McNaughton; Frank McNulty; Rose McQuade; Jean McRorie; Danny Moran; Jeanette Murphy; Elizabeth Murray; Patricia Nolan; George O'Hara; Paul O'Hara; John O'Kane; Patricia Pearson; Colleen Ras; Joe Reilly; Zeila Simpson; Frank Slavin; Colin Slevin; Brian Smith; Millie Smith; Kenny Steele; Andrina Thomson; Betty Wassell; Ann Welsh; Suzanne Welsh; Marie West; Graeme Wood;
CHILDREN: Aeden, Louise Fraser; Avannah Baillie; Corran Davidson; Chloe Docherty; Sean Patrick Goss; Caoimhe Lamb; Jade Law; Megan Macauley; Iona McMillan; Isabella Mooney; Shay Nevans; Evanna Ras; Connor Simpson; Zak Matthew Thomson; Edward Whitfield;

REQUIESCANT IN PACE

Recently Deceased

Moira Jackson and all who have died as a result of the virus

Months Mind

Anniversaries

Paul Sloey; Elizabeth Mooney; Donald Skiffington;
Margaret Sloey; Frances Collins; Margaret Laikowski; Adam McCormack;
Fr Hugh McGurk; Thomas Gray;

I am taking a break from
17th August to 1st September.
During my absence
the Holy Ghost Fathers will be
celebrating Mass.
In the event of an emergency please
call 01698-290831
There will not be any live stream
Masses during this time. There will
be no bulletin for next few weeks.

The Solemnity of the Assumption of
the Blessed Virgin Mary, this year
will be celebrated on Sunday
Masses (16th August) and not the
usual date 15th August.

Booking a seat for Mass

Due to the ongoing situation and
the limit to our capacity,
please book for Mass.
Please call:

07595860196

The hotline is available Monday
to Friday between 12noon and
6pm to book a seat.
You will be asked to provide
your Name; address and contact
details due to
NHS Test & Trace.
Your temperature will also been
taken and recorded.