

PLEASE REMEMBER IN YOUR PRAYERS

The sick and housebound:

Kara Louise Jordan; Mary Graham; Nina Brown; Pauline & Michael Wilson;
Alice Ann Bjorn; Ann Paterson; John Dobbin Jnr; Baby Alfie James Milligan;
David Clegg; Rosanna Bulmer; Joseph Bulmer; Catherine Donnelly;
Evelyn Ringer; Elaine McCarren; George O'Hara; Angela McLaughlin;
Laura McIntosh; Thomas Lally Snr; Peter Convery;
Bill Wood, Ciara Loughery, Nicholas McAnaw, Hugh Windsor,
Helen Woods, David & Elizabeth Cooper, Mary Goodwin: Margaret Higgins.

Deaths: Teresa McKeown – Nairn Quadrant;

Anne (Annie) McArdle – Kennedy Street; Paul Clark.

Months Minds:

Anniversaries: Margaret Laikowski; Elizabeth Mooney; Paul Sloey;
Margaret Dougan; Isobel Currier; John Gaffney; Matthew Lynch.

POPE FRANCIS' MONTHLY PRAYER INTENTION – August:

For Political Leaders

Pope Francis invites prayers "so that political leaders may serve their people, work for comprehensive human development and the common good, attending to those who have lost their jobs and prioritizing the poorest."

Parish Grounds

If anyone would like to or be part of a team to undertake the work of keeping the Parish Grounds including the cutting of the grass, please speak with Fr Kevin. Or perhaps you know someone who would like to undertake this work or be part of a team, once again, please speak with Fr Kevin.

Thank you – donation - new Bell

Fr Kevin wishes to acknowledge and say thanks for the donation of £100 that was received towards the new bell that has been put in place outside the Sacristy to 'announce' the Masses and Services within St Ignatius Church.

The Parish Hall – Loyola Centre

Work is ongoing following the fire. To date, the new parts of the Centre have now been demolished and the flooring and effected items in the old part have been removed. The temporary wall is being completed to allow repair and use of the old part of the Hall.

A further meeting has been arranged for Monday 2nd September at 6.00pm to continue to move forward with the future of the Loyola Centre. All welcome to attend.

SSVP 07840 142894 for assistance

St Ignatius of Loyola

Address: 74 Young Street, WISHAW ML2 8HS

Telephone: 01698 682679

Email: stignatius@rcdom.org.uk

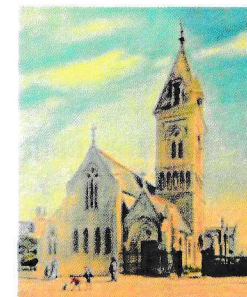
Parish website: www.saintignatiuswishaw.org.uk

Facebook: St Ignatius' RC Church, Wishaw

Parish Priest: Rev. Kevin Lawrie

Priest in Residence: Rt. Rev. Mgr. Michael J. Conway

A Scottish Registered Charity No. 011041



21st Sunday of the Year – B

25th August 2024

SUNDAY 25 AUGUST <i>21st Sunday of the Year</i>	10:00am Mass 6:00pm Mass 7:00pm Reception – Teresa McKeown
MONDAY 26 AUGUST	9:00am Rosary 9:30am Funeral Mass – Teresa McKeown 12:00noon Angelus
TUESDAY 27 AUGUST <i>St Monica</i>	9:00am Rosary 9:30am Mass 12:00noon Angelus
WEDNESDAY 28 AUGUST <i>St Augustine</i>	9:00am Rosary 9:30am Mass 12:00noon Angelus
THURSDAY 29 AUGUST <i>The Passion of St John the Baptist</i>	9:00am Rosary 9:30am Mass 12:00noon Angelus
FRIDAY 30 AUGUST	9:00am Rosary 9:30am Mass 12:00noon Angelus
SATURDAY 31 AUGUST <i>St Aidan</i>	NO 9:30am Mass or Morning Confessions due to Mass at Motherwell Cathedral 3:15pm-3:45pm Confessions 4.00pm Mass
SUNDAY 1 SEPTEMBER <i>22nd Sunday of the Year</i>	10:00am Mass 6:00pm Mass



A further meeting regarding Project Wellspring at St Ignatius will take place on Monday 2nd September at 7.00pm. This meeting will look to develop a Mission Statement of the Parish, as well as, to develop ways to meet the Missions of Wellspring and also Parish Renewal.

Interested in Becoming a Catholic or learning more about the Catholic Faith

Are you interested or know someone who is interested in becoming a Catholic or learning more about the Catholic Faith, please let Fr Kevin know.

The Beginning Experience

The Beginning Experience are holding a weekend for those who find themselves suffering bereavement through divorce, separation or widowhood. The weekend will take place from 4th – 6th October at the Conforti Centre, Coatbridge. For details contact: Louise on 07926 571004 or email: louisep398@gmail.com Completed Applications must be returned by 20th September 2023. See poster at entrance of Church.

Children's Liturgy

As previously mentioned in the Parish Bulletin, it is anticipated that a Children's Liturgy will take place during the 10:00am Sunday Mass. Thank you to all those who have offered to lead the Children's Liturgy. A meeting will take place in the Chapel House on Wednesday 4th September at 6.00pm of all those who have offered to help. If anyone else would like to help with the Children's Liturgy, please speak with Fr Kevin.

Coffee, tea, juices and all after 10:00am Sunday Mass

It is hoped that, on a monthly basis, coffee, tea, juices and all will be available after the 10.00am Sunday Mass. It is hoped by coming together we will all get to know each other more and build our faith community here at St Ignatius. To enable the coffee, tea, juices and all to be available, we need volunteers to organise and provide all that is necessary. If you are interested in volunteering, please let Fr Kevin know. As St Ignatius Parish Hall – the Loyola Centre – is not currently available Fr Kevin is looking to let part of St Ignatius Primary School over the next few months. It is hoped the 1st coffee, tea, juices and all will take place in mid/late-September.

Wishaw Foodbank

Wishaw Foodbank have been in touch with the SVDP to ask for help with donations of specific items – toilet rolls, long life milk and tinned food. If you are able to help, please leave any items in the Chancery as previous.

Visit of Papal Nuncio

The Pope's Ambassador to Great Britain, the Papal Nuncio, Archbishop Miguel Maury Buendia, will visit the Diocese of Motherwell from Friday 30th August until 1st September. A special Mass of Welcome will take place in Motherwell Cathedral on Friday 30th August at 7.00pm. All are welcome to attend.

On Saturday 31st August at 10:00am a special Mass for Project Wellspring will take place in Motherwell Cathedral. All involved in Project Wellspring are welcome to attend. A presentation on Project Wellspring will take place after the Mass in St Bride's Centre.

Then, on Sunday 1st September at 3:00pm a Mass will take place, at Carfin Grotto, The Papal Nuncio will preside at this Mass. Again, all are welcome and encouraged to attend.

Singing at St Ignatius

Are you interested in being part of a group of singers at St Ignatius. If so, you are invited to come along to the Church on Thursday 19th September at 7:00pm.

Vocations Awareness Week

Next Sunday, 1st September, is the beginning of Vocations Awareness Week. During this week we pray especially for vocations to the priesthood, diaconate and religious life. We also continue to remember those who are called to have vocations to be single, married and all the many work life vocations.

Second collection

On the weekend 7th & 8th September, a second collection will be taken up to support all those preparing for the priesthood and permanent diaconate in the Diocese of Motherwell. Thank you in advance for your support.

National Pilgrimage – Carfin Grotto - 2024

The Annual National Pilgrimage to Carfin including The Pilgrimage Mass takes place at the Grotto at 3pm next Sunday 1st September. As previously advised and in information above, the Papal Nuncio will preside at this Mass with Bishop Frank Dougan preaching. Please consider coming along and joining in the Pilgrimage along with people from all over Scotland.

The Assumption and Weekly collections –

The Assumption - £385.45 17th/18th August - £1443.00.

Thank you once again to everyone who contributes to the Offertory Collection and to all those who make payments direct to the Parish Bank Account.

World Day of Prayer for the Care of Creation –

Next Sunday, 1st September is World Day of Prayer for the Care of Creation. We join Pope Francis is praying that as asked by God the Father at the time of creation He asked humanity to take care of His wonderful creation.

Holy Ghost Fathers Annual Raffle

A wee reminder that tickets are still available from the Parish Stall for the Annual Raffle run by The Holy Ghost Fathers in Carfin.