

**PRAYER AT THE SENDING OUT OF THE EUCHARISTIC MINISTERS
TO THE SICK AND HOUSEBOUND**

Priest: Almighty and loving Father, as we have received your Son in this Holy Eucharist, we ask you to hear our prayer for our brothers and sisters:

All: **Give your healing, Lord, to those who are sick and housebound. May those who take the Body of Christ to them also be a loving sign of our prayers and thoughts. Keep us united with them in all their sufferings so that we will grow together as one community with the presence of Christ among us.**



Please Pray For

SICK Alison Coogan; Margaret Bachiller, John Colquhoun, Jim Traynor; Hugh Devine, Maria Walker; Maureen Boyle; John Hunter, Simon Logan, Ellen Madden, Ann Woods, John O'Donnell, Les Mathew; Cathie McConnachie, Brian Nolan, Rachel McGhee, Ellen Brown; Robert Houston; Harry Docherty; Jane Cameron; Alec Kirson; George O'Hara; David Govan; Silvio Clemente; Mary Cairney; William Campbell; Anna McStay; Margaret Hackett; John Kerr; Gordon Law; Linda Quinn; Ashley Law; Frank Slavin; Jim Simmons, Maria Findlay, James Burns, Tony Perkins; Ann Knight; Rosemary Wotherspoon; Teresa Clark; Mandy Dobbie; John McKenna; Joe Friary; Sr Mary Inglis; Margaret Russell; Esther McKillop; Chrissie Rafferty; Barry Duncan, Kevin Duffy; Sandra McGuire; Bill Grey; Marie Laird; Sara Porcelli; Gordon Roberts; Fiona McCormick; Fiona McCall, Margaret Craigwell Charles Quinn; June Byrne, Rena McGarvey, Santuccia Cence; Lynne Waters; Stephen Mullen; Patricia Pearson Eileen Widdicombe; Margaret Nolan; Jim Burns

Children: Laila Hunt, Connor Simpson, Zak Matthew Thomson; Peter Convery; Corran Davidson; Megan Macauley; Jade Law; Chloe Docherty; Caoimhe Lamb



RECENTLY DIED

Jim Mullen; Neil McCulloch (Sun 5:30, Mon 9:30); Ann Brown (Tues 9:30); William McConnel; Giuseppe Andreucci; John Connolly; Alice Jenkins; Greta McManus

ANNIVERSARIES

Margaret Peacock; Terry Reynolds; Dalfind Franchitti; William Breen; Patrick Caffrey Julia McCluskey; John, Sarah, Frances & Matthew Lynch; William Duddy; Patrick O'Rourke, Agnes Lees; Hugh & Ciss Dearie; Annie Montague

Pioneers of Sacred Heart Lent Retreat Tues 8th Mar 7pm St Patrick's Coatbridge

Hail, holy Queen, Mother of mercy,
hail, our life, our sweetness and our hope.
To thee do we cry, poor banished children of Eve:
to thee do we send up our sighs,
mourning and weeping in this vale of tears.

Turn then, most gracious Advocate, thine eyes of mercy toward us,
and after this our exile, show unto us
the blessed fruit of thy womb, Jesus,
O clement, O loving, O sweet Virgin Mary! Amen.

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3rd Sunday of Lent Year C
27th/28th February 2016

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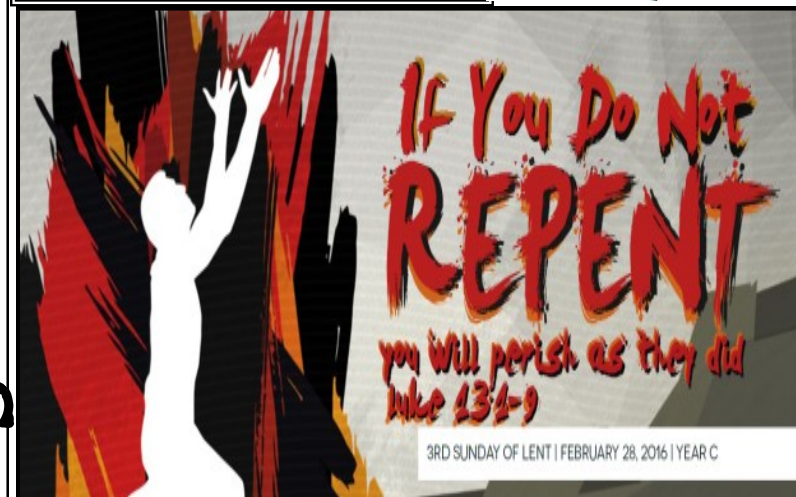
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Lord, teach me to be generous.
Teach me to serve you
as you deserve;
to give and not to count the cost,
to fight
and not to heed the wounds,
to toil and not to seek for rest,
to labour and not to ask
for reward,
save that of knowing that I do
your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



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SUNDAY MASSES: Vigil: 5:30 pm (Sat), 10 am, 12 noon 6pm
WEEKDAY: Mon-Fri 9:30am; Sat 10am *Thurs Exposition till 4pm*
CONFESSIONS: *Saturday 9:30am and after the Vigil Mass*
Church open till 1pm Mon; Fri; till 4pm Tues, Wed, Thurs

Parish Priest Fr. Gerard Maguiness
Pastor Emeritus: Mgr Michael Conway
Website: www.saintignatiuswishaw.org.uk

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LENT 2016

Mass during **Lent at 8:30am** especially for school children This Mass is open to parents & Parishioners.

Please come along

Mass Mon - Fri at 9:30am

Stations of the Cross Monday 7pm preceded by confessions at 6:30pm

Stations After 9:30am Mass on Tues and at 1pm on Fridays led by the school

Exposition of the Blessed Sacrament Mon to Fri after Mass till 4pm (Divine Mercy 3-4pm Thurs)
Please make a regular time to be with the Lord every week

Rosary 9:10am

Please take a **SCIAF Wee Box** from the porch for your Lenten Alms.

PARISH PASSOVER MEAL FOLLOWED BY GALILEAN SUPPER ON 18TH MARCH

We welcome the pupils of P6 & P7 to 10am Mass as they prepare for Confirmation on Mon 29th Feb. Please pray for the confirmandi!

Confirmation cards/ gifts on sale now

First Holy Communion Children can uplift Parish Worksheet 6

World Day of Prayer Service
St Thomas 2pm on Fri 4th March

Give as you Live. Search for **Saint Ignatius'** and register. A percentage of purchases will go to parish funds.

Retail Therapy: Trip to Gretna Green Retail Outlet on Wed 6th April. Names on list at back of Church

Last Week's Collection £1699
2nd for Hall Extension £898
No winner New Lotto Total £3996
Many thanks for your generosity

Donations for flowers most welcome. Box at Our Lady's Altar

YEAR OF MERCY

Lenten Tuesdays Showing of **The Big Silence** in the Loyola Centre after morning Mass

A wee reminder to bow your head just before receiving Holy Communion

Lenten Reflection Evenings In the Church **Thurs 3rd March for Readers**
Tues 8th Mar for Eucharistic Ministers
Each evening will begin at 6:30pm with a short meeting. At 7pm spiritual input followed by tea in Loyola Centre at 8pm
Everyone welcome at 7pm

First Friday Padre Pio Mass 7:30pm
First Sat Fatima Devotion 10am

Congratulations to Max Graeme McNeil & Mia Mary McKinnon baptised this weekend and to their families and to Hannah McFarlane



RCIA: Please pray for David, Janice & Gemma who are participating in the RCIA faith journey of our parish.

Parish trip to Donegal Town 10th Oct for 5 nights. List at back of Church. £269
Deposit £20. Single Supp £55

Are you called to the priesthood?

You are invited to a discernment evening on Wed 16th March 7:30pm at the Holy Ghost Fathers in Carfin. Contact Fr Lamb for more info 01698 823896

Facebook St. Ignatius' RC Church
1076 likes Have a look and comment!

Wishaw Hospital Chaplain Fr Michael Brown; for emergency/visit please ask nurse to contact chaplain or call 264448

SVDP Tel: 07840142894 for help.
Furniture Collection 07773731123 Or 07749467335

GIFT AID— please use white envelope in porch for 2nd collection.

Loyola Centre: booking and enquiries tel: 07939606107 10am-2pm Mon-Fri, Bingo Sunday 7:15pm; Tea Room Mon- Fri after Mass Beavers/Cubs/Scouts Mon 5:45

BAPTIZED INTO MOSES

Paul makes an analogy between the Crossing of the Red Sea and Christian Baptism. He talks about the cloud--a symbol of God's presence--which overshadowed the Israelites and the sea water. They were sort of a baptism into Moses. This means that they were immersed into the life that God sent them through Moses. As Christians we enter into God's presence by baptism in which we are immersed in Christ.

His point is that some of those who followed Moses later fell away through sin. As followers of Jesus, we could meet the same fate, unless we remain strong in our faith.

YEAR OF MERCY 24 HOURS WITH THE LORD MOTHERWELL CATHEDRAL

Friday 4th March 5.00pm Opening of 24 Hours for the Lord

Pope Francis Prayer for the Holy Year of Mercy Passing Through the Door of Mercy
Evening Prayer and Benediction Exposition of the Blessed Sacrament

Priests will be available to celebrate the Sacrament of Reconciliation after Evening Prayer on Friday and throughout the night, continuing on Saturday until 4.30 pm

7.00pm A Liturgy of Sorrow and Forgiveness "To Dry the Tears of those who Suffer"

10.00p Night Prayer 11.00pm Recitation of the Rosary, every hour on the hour during the night concluding with the Rosary at 7.00 am

Saturday 5th March 7.45a Morning Prayer 8.00am Holy Mass 9.30am the Rosary
10.00am Holy Mass 1.00pm Stations 4.30p Closing of 24 hours for the Lord with Benediction

RCIA: THE SCRUTINIES, which are solemnly celebrated on Sundays and are reinforced by an exorcism, are rites for self-searching and repentance and have above all a spiritual purpose. The scrutinies are meant to uncover, and then heal all that is weak, defective, or sinful in the hearts of the elect; to bring out, then strengthen all that is upright, strong, and good. For the scrutinies are celebrated in order to deliver the elect from the power of sin and Satan, to protect them against temptation, and to give them strength in Christ, who is the way, the truth, and the life. These rites, therefore, should complete the conversion of the elect and deepen their resolve to hold fast to Christ and to carry out their decision to love God above all.



St Patrick's Night Celebration Friday 11th March at 7:30. Featuring Frankie Farrell. Tickets on sale now

A woman's husband dies. He had £20,000 to his name. After everything is done at the funeral home and cemetery, she tells her closest friend that there is no money left. The friend says, "How can that be? You told me he had £20,000 a few days before he died. How could you be broke?" The widow says, "Well, the funeral cost me £6,500. And of course, I had to make the obligatory donation for the church and the organist and all. That was £500 and I spent another £500 for the wake, food and drinks, you know. The rest went for the memorial stone." The friend says, "£12,500 for the memorial stone? My God, how big was it?" The widow says, "Three carats."