

**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 Archie Armitt, Anna Andreucci, Margaret Bachiller, John Colquhoun, Patrick Docherty, Betty McCann; Hugh Devine, Patricia Docherty, Maria Walker, Allison Gean, Jim Hayes, John Hunter, John Lilly, Simon Logan, Ellen Madden, Les Mathew, Cathie McAleavey, Ann Marie Brown; Cathie McConnachie, Ann McKenna, Wilma Muircroft, Brian Nolan, Ella Helling, Ella Rae, Cecilia Donnelly; Ruby Sinclair, Rachel McGhee, Margaret Sweeney; Robert Houston; Patricia Pearson; Harry Docherty, Owen Nolan; Jane Cameron, Gerald McAleer; Moira Dykes; Rose Mead; Ann Forrest; Alec Kirson George O'Hara; Karen Wilson; David Govan, Ros Haswell; Silvio Clemente; Margaret Quigley; Mary Cairney; Mary Taylor; Kathleen Bowman; William Campbell; Linda McKearney; Rosemary Wotherspoon; John Pow; John Naughton
Babies & Children: Laila Hunt, Eve Naughton, Connor Simpson, Zak Matthew Thomson; Abbi MacMillan; Peter Convery



RECENTLY DIED: Bette Duffy; John Keatings
ANNIVERSARIES

Berry Family; Duncan Burns; Frances Pryce; Frank Hinshalwood; James Duddy; Joseph McCrossan; John McQuade; Daniel & Joseph Crumley; Adam McCormick; Jane Convery; David Henderson; Frances Collins; Alice Mulholland; Rose Ann Kyle; Joseph McCulloch; Donald Skiffington; Jim Sloey; Jim Duddy; Catherine McGuire

Prayer for A New Bishop Eternal God, shepherd and guide,
in your mercy give your Church in this diocese
a shepherd after your own heart who will walk in your ways,
and with loving care watch over your people.
Give us a leader of vision and a teacher of your truth.
So may your Church be built up and your name glorified;
through Jesus Christ our Lord. Amen.

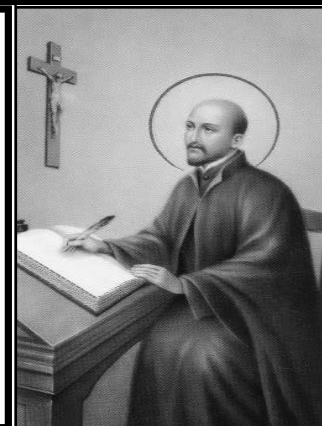
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19th Sunday of Year C
10th/11th August 2013

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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 labor and not to ask for reward,
save that of knowing that I do
your will.



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FAITH
**EVIDENCE OF
THINGS
NOT SEEN**



YEAR OF FAITH
2012
2013

**YEAR OF
FAITH 11TH
OCTOBER
2012 to
24TH
NOVEMBER
2013**

SUNDAY MASSES: Vigil: 5:30 pm (Sat), 10 am, 12 noon 6pm
WEEKDAY: Mon-Fri 9:30am; Sat 10am **Thurs Exposition till 3pm**
CONFESSIONS: Saturday 9:30am and after the Vigil Mass

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**Charity no.
SCO 11041**

This week's feasts

Wed 14th St Maximilian Kolbe
Thurs 15th The Assumption of Mary
Holiday of Obligation
Vigil Mass Wed 7pm
Thurs 9:30, 12noon (High School)
7pm

Books of Remembrance

The new books and stands for the book of deceased parishioners and for brick benefactors are now on display. If you would like to buy a brick to raise funds for the hall extension please pick up the forms in the porch

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

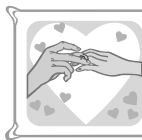
Trip to Tuscany

Meeting for all on Tues
20th Aug at 7pm in the
Loyola Centre



Co Clare Trip Final payment now due

Congratulations to
Gavin Gillen & Michelle
McCrossan who were
married this weekend.



Loyola Centre: Hall booking and enquiries tel: 01698296550
10am-2pm

Priest on call for Wishaw Hosp this week is me, Fr. Chromy tel: 351921

Last Week's Collection £1460
2nd Collection £731
Parish Lottery 1 £10 winner
New total £3433

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



Holidays

If you are visiting St Ignatius during your summer holidays you are very welcome. If you are going away this week have a safe journey and happy holiday!

Parish Lottery Lucky Numbers
Please join up and support the fund

Family Barbecue Night

Many thanks to all who helped to organise the evening and to all who came along



Charity Concert for
Macmillan Cancer care
Cambusnethan Old Parish Fri 16th Aug
7:30pm free entry; tea/coffee

Congratulations to Fr Pat Gaffney
Holy Ghost Father who celebrates his
Golden Jubilee 15th Aug Mass at 6pm in
Carfin. All invited

Carfin Grotto Parish Day

Mon 26th August. Bus will leave at 9am
Breakfast provided at the Grotto. Service
of Anointing at 11am. Holy Mass at 1pm
Bus returning at 2pm **Names on list in porch for bus AND/OR breakfast**
Thurs 15th the Assumption
Mass with Sacrament of Sick at 1pm
Next Sun 18th Pilgrimage for
Grandparents Mass 2pm

School's Back Friday 16th August
St Ignatius P2-7 8:55AM P1 10-12noon
St Aidans P2-7 9am P1 10-3pm

SVDP Tel: 07582075890 for help
Furniture Collection 07812 480615
or 07773731123

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

Dear Young Friends, We have just recalled the story of Saint Francis of Assisi. In front of the crucifix he heard the voice of Jesus saying to him: "Francis, go, rebuild my house." The young Francis responded readily and generously to the Lord's call to rebuild his house. But which house? Slowly but surely, Francis came to realize that it was not a question of repairing a stone building, but about doing his part for the life of the Church. It was a matter of being at the service of the Church, loving her and working to make the countenance of Christ shine ever more brightly in her. Today too, as always, the Lord needs you, young people, for his Church. Today too, he is calling each of you to follow him in his Church and to be missionaries. How? In what way? Well, I think we are able to learn something from what has happened these days: how we had to move this vigil from Campus Fidei in Guaratiba because of the bad weather. Would not the Lord be willing to say to us that the real area of faith, the true campus fidei, is not a geographical place but are we that very place? Yes! Each of us, each one of you. And missionary discipleship means to recognize that we are the Campus Fidei of God! Starting with the name of the place where we are, Campus Fidei, the field of faith, I have thought of three images that can help us understand better what it means to be a disciple and a missionary. First, a field is a place for sowing seeds; second, a field is a training ground; and third, a field is a construction site. A field is a place for sowing seeds. We all know the parable where Jesus speaks of a sower who went out to sow seeds in the field; some seed fell on the path, some on rocky ground, some among thorns, and could not grow; other seed fell on good soil and brought forth much fruit (cf. Mt 13:1-9). Jesus himself explains the meaning of the parable: the seed is the word of God sown in our hearts (cf. Mt 13:18-23). This, dear young people, means that the real Campus Fidei, the field of faith, is your own heart, it is your life. It is your life that Jesus wants to enter with his word, with his presence. Please, let Christ and his word enter your life, blossom and grow. Jesus tells us that the seed which fell on the path or on the rocky ground or among the thorns bore no fruit. What kind of ground are we? What kind of terrain do we want to be? Maybe sometimes we are like the path: we hear the Lord's word but it changes nothing in our lives because we let ourselves be numbed by all the superficial voices competing for our attention; or we are like the rocky ground: we receive Jesus with enthusiasm, but we falter and, faced with difficulties, we don't have the courage to swim against the tide; or we are like the thorny ground: negativity, negative feelings choke the Lord's word in us (cf. Mt 13:18-22). But today I am sure that the seed is falling on good soil, that you want to be good soil, not part-time Christians, not "starchy" and superficial, but real. I am sure that you don't want to be duped by a false freedom, always at the beck and call of momentary fashions and fads. I know that you are aiming high, at long-lasting decisions which will make your lives meaningful. Jesus is capable of letting you do this: he is "the way, and the truth, and the life" (Jn 14:6). Let's trust in him. Let's make him our guide! **Pope Francis at Copacabana Beach Rio de Janeiro**

When a waitress in a New York City restaurant brought an Englishman the soup of the day, he was a bit dismayed. Good heavens," he said, "what is this?" "It's bean soup," she replied. "I don't care what it's been," he replied. "What is it now?" **On his first visit to the zoo**, a little boy stared at the caged stork for a long time. He waved, jumped up and down, and stared at the stork a while longer. Finally, turning to his father, he exclaimed, "Gee, Dad, he doesn't recognize me!"