

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.

The Year Ahead

May God make your year a happy one!
Not by shielding us from all sorrows and pain,
But by strengthening us to bear it, as it comes;
Not by making our path easy,
But by making us sturdy to travel any path;
Not by taking hardships from us,
But by taking fear from our heart;
Not by granting us unbroken sunshine,
But by keeping our face bright, even in the shadows;
Not by making our life always pleasant,
But by showing us when people and their causes need us most,
and by making us anxious to be there to help.
God's love, peace, hope and joy to us for the year ahead.

- Author Unknown

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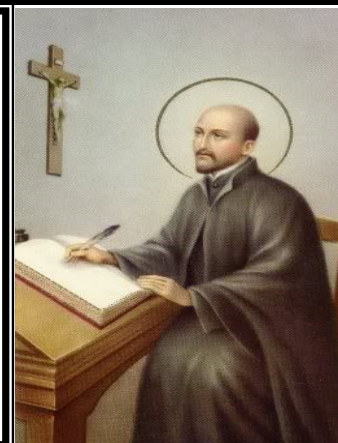
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Solemnity of the Epiphany 2nd/3rd January 2021

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



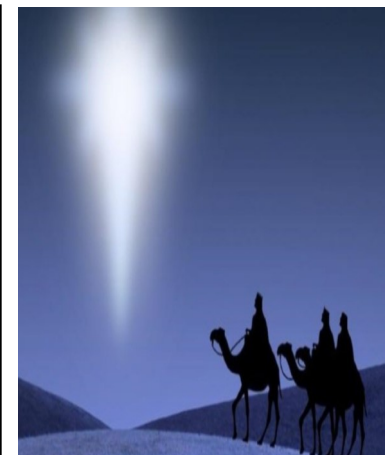
RESPONSE TO THE PSALM

*All nations shall fall prostrate before you,
O Lord*

This Week

Monday; Tuesday;
Thursday & Friday
9.30am

Saturday 5.30pm
Sunday 10am & 12noon



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

**Charity no.
SCO 11041**

Last Collection:

Total: 1634.00

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

Thank you for supporting our parish
St Margaret's Adoption Society: £218.22

Wishing you all a Happy; Holy & peaceful 2021.
May it be a year of hope; happiness & health.
Keep safe
Fr Stephen & Monsignor Conway

Readings for next Sunday

Isaiah 42:1-4,6-7

Acts 10:34-38

Mark 1:7-11

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

Thank you for your financial contributions to support the parish. We understand people are struggling at this time but 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
The Chaplain

For emergency visit please ask nurse to contact chaplain or call
01698 263945/07767 392234

Data Protection

New Laws were brought out a few years ago. Readers need to be aware that they will be filmed when carrying out their Ministry(Sunday @12noon). This also impinges on the Sick List in the bulletin. A name can only be on the list if the person or their next of kin has given written permission. We now need to implement this.

Booking a seat for Sunday Mass

Please call:

07595860196

The hotline is available
Thursday & Friday from 12noon
to book a seat.

Please DO NOT leave a message

Please Pray For

SICK: Rose O'Hara;

REQUIESCANT IN PACE

Recently Deceased

Jack Durkin(Trowbridge); all who have died as a result of the virus

Months Mind

Sister Rosaria O.S.F.;

Anniversaries

Fr Joseph Brannigan; Fr Martin O'Keefe; Philip O'Donnell;
Eddie Hattie(Jnr; Agnes(Sloey)Skiffington; Mary & Edward Stewart;

Christmas Remembrance omitted from last week

Malcolm Gray; Thomas Gray; Margaret and James Muir;
Betty McSheffrey; Jim and Annie Muir;
Margaret Haggerty; Christine Muir;
Robert and Janet Gray; Jim and Margaret Gray

The Work of Christmas Begins

When the carols have been stilled,
When the star-topped tree is taken down,
When family and friends are gone home,
When we are back to our schedules
The work of Christmas begins:
To welcome the refugee,
To heal a broken planet,
To feed the hungry,
To build bridges of trust, not walls of fear,
To share our gifts,
To seek justice and peace for all people,
To bring Christ's light to the world.

- by Michael Dougherty, a variation on Howard Thurman's 'When the Song of the Angels is Stilled'