

Please remember in your prayers

Sick:

R.I.P.: Elizabeth Warrender

Anniversary: Paul Baird, May Tulips, Isobel Currie, Margaret Kelly, Daniel Skillen, Eddie & Annie McCrory, Mary & Gerard McDonald

Months Mind: Robert Harris

Sunday Collection: £1881.00

Columbian Fathers Collection: £1225.00

LECTIO DIVINA: will resume again on Monday 19th August 2019 at 7pm in Sacred Heart Church. All are welcome.

PARISH DAY AT CARFIN: a huge thank you to all those who came along for the Mass and evening prayer. It was so good to see so many of you at both events. May God bless you all.

ANNUAL VOCATIONAL MASS: Will take place in Motherwell Cathedral on Monday 26th August at 7pm. All welcome.

A PONTIFICAL LATIN HIGH MASS offered by His Eminence Raymond Cardinal Burke will take place on Saturday, 14 September (Feast of the Triumph of the Cross) 2019 at 12 noon, at The Immaculate Heart of Mary, 162 Broomfield Road, GLASGOW G21 3UE. There will be tea, wine and snacks in the reception hall.

SSVDP SENIOR CITIZENS BUS TRIP TO AYR: This will take place on Saturday 7th September leaving from outside the Church at 9am and departing from Ayr at 5pm. Any Senior Citizen and their carer should put their name on the sheet at the back of the Church.

IRELAND TRIP: All who are going to Holiday in Ireland. Remember your medication, your European Health Card, passport or travel card for show at the Hotel. Remember to get Euros! You must be at the Church for 2pm on Sunday prompt.

Confessions – Sacred Heart Church

Confessions are now available before the Vigil Mass from 4.15pm until 4.45pm.

All Bulletin notices/Months Mind and Anniversaries for both parishes should be handed into the Chapel House or emailed to frmcgoldrick106@gmail.com by Wednesday evening to guarantee inclusion in that weekend's bulletin. Thanks.

PARISH BULLETIN

18th August 2019 – 20th Sunday of the Year “C”

ST GERARD'S

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Sacred Heart Church

Weekday Masses:

Monday 10am & Friday 10am

Rosary:

Monday and Friday 9.35am

Exposition:

Monday and Friday - 9am until 9.55am.

Tuesdays and Thursdays 11am till 6pm
(Tuesdays and Thursdays in the Sacristy)

Sunday Masses:

Vigil Mass 5pm (Confessions 4.15pm to 4.45pm)

Sunday 11.30am & 5pm

Please note that on the occasion of a funeral there will be NO Exposition of the Blessed Sacrament before the weekday Mass.

St. Gerard's Church

Weekday Masses:

Tuesday, Thursday and Saturday 9.30am
(Confessions **after** Saturday 9.30am Mass)

Exposition:

Tuesdays, Thursdays and Saturdays 8.45am
(Tuesdays 10am until 4pm in the Marian Chapel)

Sunday Mass:

10am

Sunday Readings

First Reading:

Jeremiah 38: 4-6; 8-10

Resp. Psalm:

Lord, come to my aid.

Second Reading:

Hebrews 12: 1-4

Gospel Accl:

Alleluia, alleluia

Open our heart, O Lord, to accept the words of your son.

Alleluia

Gospel:

Luke 12: 49-53

SACRED HEART PARISH HALL

THE MOBILE NUMBER FOR HALL BOOKINGS AND ENQUIRIES IS **07542 763033**

PLEASE NOTE: All bookings and hall enquiries **MUST** go through this number to ensure the booking can be dealt with properly. Many thanks.

If you wish a bar for your function a **MINIMUM** of 8 weeks' notice is required

EXPOSITION OF THE BLESSED SACRAMENT: the Tuesday and Thursday Exposition will resume in the first week of September. Exposition of the Blessed Sacrament before the weekday morning Mass will continue as normal.

VISIT OF THE RELICS OF ST THÉRÈSE OF LISIEUX AND NATIONAL PILGRIMAGE **FRIDAY 30TH AUGUST TO SUNDAY 1ST SEPTEMBER**

The relics of St Thérèse of Lisieux will arrive in Motherwell Diocese of Friday 30th September 2019 at the National Shrine at Carfin and will remain there until the conclusion of the National Pilgrimage with Mass on Sunday 1st September at 3.00 pm.

DAY 1 Friday 30th August

10.15am Public Procession with the relics from St Theresa's Newarthill to St Francis Xavier's, Carfin
11.00am Rite of Welcome for the Relics of Saint Thérèse at Saint Francis Xavier's, Church, Carfin
11.15am Holy Mass for the Primary and Secondary Schools of Motherwell Diocese with Bishop Toal
2.00pm Holy Mass with the Sacrament of the Sick
3.30pm Confessions until 7.00pm
7.30pm Holy Mass followed by a Torchlight Procession to the Grotto Shrine of Saint Thérèse
10.30pm Night Prayer of the Church
11.00pm Adoration of the Blessed Sacrament. The Rosary will be recited each hour on the hour throughout the night until 7am.

Day 2 Saturday 31st August

10.00am Holy Mass
11.00am Confessions until 12.45pm
12.00noon Midday Prayer of the Church
12.30pm The Rosary
1.00pm Solemn Holy Mass (opportunity to receive an individual blessing with the St Thérèse Relic)
2.00pm Confessions until 4.45pm
5.00pm Parish Vigil Holy Mass for Sunday
6.00pm Confessions until 7.15pm

Day 2 Saturday 31st August continued

7.30pm Devotions to Saint Thérèse and Benediction of the Blessed Sacrament, concluding with an opportunity to receive an individual blessing with St Thérèse Relic
9.00pm Confessions until Midnight
10.30pm Night Prayer of the Church
11.00pm The Rosary will be recited each hour on the hour throughout the night until 7am.

Day 3 Sunday September 1st

9.00am Parish Holy Mass for Sunday
11.00am Solemn Parish Holy Mass for Sunday
12.30pm Confessions until 2.30pm
3.00pm Solemn Mass for the National Pilgrimage in honour of Saint Thérèse of Lisieux in the Grotto with the Bishops of Scotland. At the conclusion of Holy Mass, the Solemn Farewell to the Relics will take place as they leave for the Diocese of Galloway

MASS FOR THE SICK – FRIDAY 30TH AUGUST: If you would like to attend this Mass please add your name to the list in the porch.

MASS OF NATIONAL PILGRIMAGE – SUNDAY 1ST SEPTEMBER: If you would like to attend this Mass please add your name to the list in the porch.

If there are sufficient numbers for these events we will coach travel to/from these events

In preparation for the visit of the relics of St Therese a Novena will be recited

Thursday 22nd August after 9.30am Mass
Friday 23rd August after 10.00am Mass
Saturday 24th August after 9.30am Mass
Sunday 25th August after 10.00am Mass & 11.30am Mass
Monday 26th August after 10.00am Mass
Tuesday 27th August after 9.30am Mass
Wednesday 28th August – personal recitation of the Novena
Thursday 29th August after 9.30am Mass
Friday 30th August after 10.00am Mass

Novena booklets will be available in both Churches from Thursday 22nd August 2019.

U.C.M.: A huge heartfelt thankyou to all those intrepid souls who braved the weather last Sunday to attend the family fun day. Due to their generosity and the many donations we have received, we have managed to collect in excess of £600 for Let the Children Live (a final total will be available next week) You will all be in our prayers.

FUNERAL ARRANGEMENTS: ELIZABETH WARRENDER R.I.P.

Requiem Mass- Tuesday 20th August at 9.30am } St
Reception - Tuesday 20th August at 9.25am } Gerard's
Rosary - Monday 19th August at 7pm } 54 Love Drive
Telephone Melissa on 07525215835