

**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 Harry Docherty; Jane Cameron; George O'Hara; Frank Slavin; Donna & Patricia McGuire; Marie Laird; Patricia Pearson; Pamela Brown; Fr Jim Casey; Peter McKenna; Catherine Anderson, Robbie McNaughton; Patti Brassington; Richard Hughes, Jean Reilly; Simon Logan, Gordon Law, Fiona McCall; Marion Fox; Margaret Bachiller; Jimmy Kinsella; George McGowan; Brian Smith; Graeme Wood; Catherine Nolan; Catherine Hughes; Marie West; Alison Coogan; Gerard Corbett; Patricia Nolan; Danny Moran; Mary Graham; David Clegg; Rosanna & Joe Bulmer; Conor Jamieson; Jamie Hillen; Catherine Anderson; Dillon McLaughlan; David Muir; Betty Wassell; Grace & Sandy Abernethy; Bernadette McLaughlin; Jean Pearson; Liam Benham; June Wood; Linda Russell; Sr Josephine McGuigan; John McGuigan; Cara Louise Jordan; Colleen Ras; Frank McNulty; Janice Ball; Joe Reilly; Catherine McBroom; Mary Byrne; Zelia Simpson; Jeanette Murphy; Eileen Docherty; Kenny Steele; Colette Currier; Donna McCulloch; Kenny Lindsay; Jean McRorie

Children: Zak Matthew Thomson; Corran Davidson; Jade Law; Megan Macauley; Chloe Docherty; Caoimhe Lamb, Aaron Matthew Hosie; Isabella Mooney; Connor Simpson; Avannah Baillie; Shay Nevans; Aeden

**REQUIESCANT IN PACE
DIED RECENTLY**

John Kelly; Kevin McGuire; Sarah McKee; John Connor
ANNIVERSARIES

Dennis O'Brien; Sally McCrossan; Jessie & Lawrence Hynds; James McCluskey;
Joe Scott; Bernard & Mary Morgan; John Howard; Elizabeth Crumley

MONTHS MIND Bill McQuade; James & Teresa Murphy



**Saint Michael the Archangel, defend us in battle.
Be our protection 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 Divine Power of God,
cast into hell Satan and all the evil spirits
who roam throughout the world seeking the ruin
of souls. Amen**



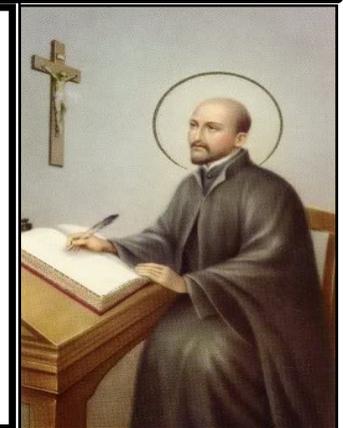
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30th Sunday of Year B
27th/28th 2018

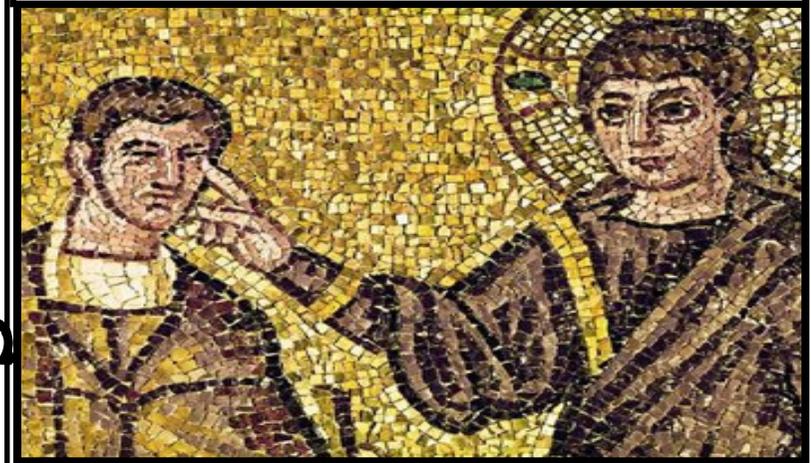
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Lord, teach me to be generous.
Teach me to serve you as you deserve;
to give and not to count the cost,
to fight and not to heed the wounds,
to toil and not to seek for rest,
to labor and not to ask for reward,
save that of knowing that I do your will.



MASTER LET ME SEE AGAIN!



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

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Feasts this Week

Thurs 1st All Saints Holy Day of Obligation Masses at 9:30am and 7pm
Fri 2nd All Souls 9:30am & 7:30pm
Sat 3rd St Martin de Porres
During Oct we will pray one decade of the Rosary after 9:30am Mass on Tuesdays followed by Benediction for the renewal of the Church

Please pray for the Success of the Synod on Youth in the Church taking place in Rome until 23rd October

One decade of the Rosary just before every Sunday Mass during October to pray for Renewal of the Church

Congratulations to Jack McFarlane, Shania Dolores McGarry, Lucie Christina Totten baptised this weekend and to their families



We will be hosting the Christ our Teacher Icon in our Church on the weekend of 3rd/4th Nov to celebrate the centenary of Catholic Schools

First Friday Padre Pio Confessions 7pm Mass 7pm

First Saturday Devotion to Our Lady of Fatima after 10am Mass

Stall- Christmas Cards on sale

Mary's Meals will be collecting bags of clothes on Sun 11th Nov and selling their raffle tickets

Last Week's Collection £1641
2nd for Missio £2823
1 £10winner New Lotto Total £2061
Many thanks for your generosity

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



Annual Mass for Deceased Parishioners on Sat 3rd Nov at 11am. Annual Cemetery Service Sun 4th Nov at 3pm

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

NOVEMBER LISTS

Are available in the porch to write down the names of your loved ones who have died. Please place your sealed envelopes in the box at the front of the Church. The names will be placed in our Book of Remembrance on the sanctuary and Holy Mass during November will be offered for all those mentioned.

Loyola Centre Update

Work on the extension to the Loyola Centre has commenced. Updates and photos of the work are posted weekly on the parish facebook page. The work to last around 6 months. End of January 2019

Enrolment for First Confession

Parents of Primary 3 children are invited to complete an enrolment form.

Friar Alessandro Concert Sat 1st Dec St Mary's Calton Ticket plus bus £20. List at back of Church

Facebook for parish now at St. Ignatius' RC Church 1509 likes. Have a look and comment!

Wishaw Hospital Chaplain Fr Ricklan for emergency/visit please ask nurse to contact chaplain or call 263945

SVDP Tel: 07840142894 for help.

Furniture Collection Diocesan SVDP 07749467335 Volunteers welcome

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

Beavers/Cubs 6:30 Scouts 7:30 Monday Evenings in St Ignatius Primary

BARTIMAEUS: The gospels report many cases of Jesus healing blind people, but the case of Bartimaeus is told in the most graphic way, and it has several practical lessons. That man had lost his sight, and when he heard that Jesus of Nazareth was passing by, he had to make up his mind quickly. Should he just sit quietly and let Jesus pass him by, or he could seize the moment, and ask to be healed. Everyone knew Jesus had the power to heal, but you had to get his attention and ask to be healed.

In an American cartoon series called Snoopy, a sharp-tongued little girl called Lucy was trying to reform her schoolmate Charlie Brown. She glared at him critically. "Do you know what's wrong with you, Charlie Brown?" she said. "What?" he asked nervously. Lucy fumed at him and said, "What's really wrong with you is that, well, you don't want to know what's wrong with you!"

Bartimaeus was not like that, for he was well aware of what was wrong with him, and was determined to have it cured! When he called out to Jesus, people around him tried to get him to stay quiet. But he just shouted louder, and kept shouting until Jesus stopped and called him over. Although Bartimaeus was blind, Jesus stayed where he was and let the blind man come to him. If he really wanted to be cured, he would find a way to get to Jesus.

It was obvious that the man was blind, and yet Jesus asked him "What do you want me to do for you?" The man had to name his problem, and do so himself. If one of us needs to be cured of something, whether blindness, alcoholism, depression or any addiction, we need to say to God what's wrong with us. We need to NAME what we want from God. Of course he knows our needs, and yet he says "Ask and you will receive." "Your heavenly Father will surely give to those who ask." Bartimaeus's words were simple and uncomplicated. There was no long speech, no haggling or wheedling. "I want to see" was his direct reply. And Jesus told him that his faith had healed him. Rightly, this blind man knew that Jesus would not turn away from the cry of the poor. He was clear about what he wanted, and knew who could help him. That's why Bartimaeus has a lesson for us all, here and now.

St Ignatius Primary Fashion Evening Wed 7th Nov at 7.00pm. Tickets cost £5, ladies over 16 years only, to raise school funds

It was St Valentine's Day in Auchengillan and Sandy McTavish, the local travel agent, was in a good mood. Bookings over the winter had been well up on the previous year and profits had been sky high. So when he looked out of his window and saw an old lady and an old gentleman peering in the window at the posters showing glamorous destinations around the world, he experienced a rare feeling of generosity (and saw an opportunity for some free publicity in the local newspaper). He called the dejected couple in (out of the rain) and announced: "On your pension you could never hope to have a holiday abroad, so I am sending you off to a fabulous resort at my expense - and I won't take no for an answer." He gave them two flight tickets and a room in a five star hotel in sun-drenched Tenerife for two weeks. About a month later, the little old lady came in to his shop. Sandy asked "And how did you like your holiday?" The old lady replied: "The flight was exciting and the room was lovely. I've come to thank you - but, one thing puzzled me. Who was that old guy I had to share the room with?"