

**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; George McGowan; Brian Smith; Graeme Wood; Catherine Nolan; Catherine Hughes; Marie West; Alison Coogan; 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; Mary O'Brien Bernadette McLaughlin; Liam Benham; Linda Russell; Sr Josephine 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; Kenny Lindsay; Jean McRorie; John O'Kane; Sheila Lennon; Martin Burns; Margaret Bradley; Mary Cliens; Cathleen Hendry; Gerry Tuite; Elizabeth Murray; Paul O'Hara **Children:** Zak Matthew Thomson; Corran Davidson; Jade Law; Megan Macauley; Chloe Docherty; Caoimhe Lamb; Isabella Mooney; Connor Simpson; Avannah Baillie; Shay Nevans; Aeden, Louise Fraser; Edward Whitfield; Iona McMillan

REQUIESCANT IN PACE

DIED RECENTLY

Marie Reilly; Anne Malley; Patrick Berry

ANNIVERSARIES

Len Smith, Aunziata Deeney; Catherine Connor; Rose Breen; William Kelly; George McCormick; Frank Lyons; Jim & Jackie Murtagh; David Greer; Matthew Sloey; Michael McElhinney; Ann Marie McNulty; Mary Burnett; Annie O'Brien; Margaret Sweeney
MONTHS MIND Tess Lynch; Patricia McLean; Bill McQuade;

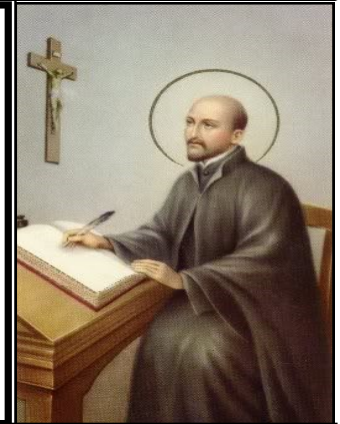
EASTER REMEMBRANCES:

Malcolm & Thomas Gray Christine, Margaret, James, Jim & Annie Muir;
Betty McSheffrey Margaret Haggerty; Rocks Family; Love Family; Gillies Family;
Dominic & Mary Dale; Dale Family; Ferries Family; Alice & Frank Docherty, Docherty Family; Curran Family; Kathleen & Chris Long; Welsh family, Murphy family; Jan Hill;
Mgr Michael Regan, Simon Paul Taylor, Maria & Mary Gallacher; Ghee Family;
Harry Millan; Bernard & Mary Morgan; Thomas & Mary Penman; Theresa McSpadyen;
Briody Family; Jessie & Lawrence Hynds; Laura & Michael Treanor; Jenny & Robert Clarkson; Vera Hynds; Maisie Graham; John McLaughlin; Edward & Jessica McGhee;
Bernard & Margaret (Peggy) Toner; Andrew & Jane Devlin; Eileen Ann Prior;
Janette Irvine; Ron Meldrum; Helen, Johnny & Terry McStay; Maureen Wharry,
Michael Harkins; James & Fanny Sarah Brown

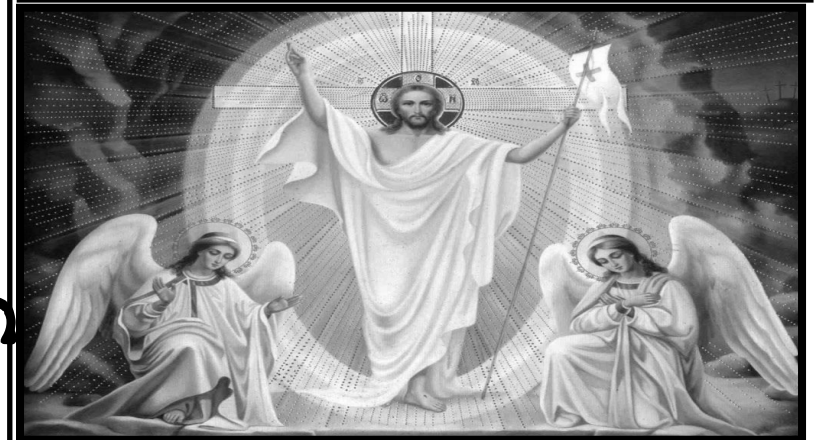
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**Easter Sunday Year C
20th/21st APRIL 2019**

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.



HE IS NOT HERE HE HAS RISEN!



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

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HAPPY EASTER TO EVERYONE.

May the light of the Risen Christ shine on you
and remove all your fears and worries

Fr. Gerry & Mgr Conway



Many thanks to all who worked so hard to prepare the church, the hall, and prepare and participate in the Masses and services of the Easter Triduum.

Congratulations to

Sharon and Brian
who were baptised & received
into full Communion with the
Church and Confirmed at the
Easter Vigil Mass

Loyola Centre Update

Updates and photos of the work are posted weekly on the parish Facebook page
Hall will be finished end of April
groundworks at end of May

First Holy Communion Parish Evenings

Wed 24th April, 1st & 8th May
from 7 to 8:15pm in the Church

Bus Trip to Livingstone Wed 1st May
List at back of the Church

Bus trip to Largs on Wed 15th May
Leaving St Aidan's at 10am
£8 per person tel 293442/387080

Happy Birthday to Nan Briody

Retreats at St Mary's Monastery,
Kinnoull, Perth— see posers for details.

Last Week's Collection £1541
2nd for HCPT £1245

No winner New Lotto Total £2922
Many thanks for your generosity

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



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

Mass on Easter Monday

There will be no 9:30am Mass.
Mass celebrated at 12 noon
Mass during this week at 10am
Except Wednesday at 9:30am

This year marks my Silver Jubilee as a priest. I will be celebrating Mass in thanksgiving on Fri 21st June at 7pm for all my family, parishioners and friends. Everyone is invited.
I also will take a short Sabbatical from mid July till Nov to recharge the spiritual batteries. **Fr Gerry**

Congratulations to
Nicholas O'Connor
baptised at 12 noon Mass
and to his family



First Holy Communion Gifts and Cards in the Stall

Facebook for parish now at
St. Ignatius' RC Church 1567 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.

Dear Brothers and Sisters in Christ,

As Holy Week approaches each year I always experience a strong sense of anticipation, a looking forward again to the liturgical celebration of these great events so central to our faith - the Last Supper, the Passion and Death of Our Lord, and his Glorious Resurrection. These feelings of gratitude go back to my childhood in Roy Bridge, where we celebrated the Paschal Triduum in a very full and uplifting manner in our parish church of St Margaret's. The Easter Vigil really was the highlight of the Church's year, probably of the village's life as well. There were no short-cuts as the whole Catholic community gathered to proclaim Our Lord Risen from the Dead and to celebrate with great joy his living presence with us in the Easter Eucharist.

Sometimes we can feel nostalgic about what happened in the past, especially when we were young, but it is very necessary for us to be aware of the important experiences which have formed us. When we have been brought up to know and love our faith, and to have experienced it in the worship and life of our local Catholic parishes, we realise this is a precious gift which we must hold on to for the whole of our lives. Hopefully the yearly celebrations of the great feasts of Our Lord, Our Blessed Lady, and Our Saints, renew our enthusiasm and our desire to persevere in our own faith journey and to put our faith into practice in every area of our lives. At Easter we are especially aware that Jesus, who died on the cross to save us, has risen and his Spirit is alive within each one of us, and among us as members of his Body, the Church. Because our faith in the Risen Lord brings us such interior joy and hope, despite our own crosses and difficulties, it is something we wish to pass on to the children of today, and surely there is no better gift we can give them. As was the case for me as a child, this gift is lived and shared in our own homes, and is blessed and strengthened by sharing fully in the life of the Church - in the prayers, the celebration of Holy Mass and the Sacraments, and in the spiritual and social activities of our parishes. Pope Francis in his recent exhortation, "Christus vivit" (Christ is living) encourages all in the Church to work fully with our young people and strive to enthuse them with the knowledge that Jesus is alive in their lives and that is indeed the most precious relationship we have. The Lord will never leave us, he is deep within our being, and we are called by Him to love and serve him with all that we are and in all that we do. This passing on of our Catholic faith, in a full and happy way, needs to be fostered within our families and I encourage parents especially to share and live their faith fully with their children. In a world where so many things appears at times to be breaking down it is the best and most stable thing we have to offer. As the Church across the world celebrates with joy the Lord's resurrection, I pray for his blessing upon you, especially on all your families and homes. May his love and peace penetrate deep into our hearts and souls, and through us spread to others.

Bishop Joseph Toal

Two police officers saw this old woman staggering down the street, stopping her they can tell she has had far too much to drink and instead of taking her to jail they decide to just drive her home. They loaded her into the police cruiser one of the officers gets in the back with the drunk woman. As they drove through the streets they kept asking the woman where she lived, all she would say as she stroked the officers arm is "Your Passionate" They drove awhile longer and asked again, again the same response as she stroked his arm "Your Passionate". The officers were getting a little upset so they stopped the car and said to the woman, Look we have driven around this City for two hours and you still haven't told us where you live. She replied I keep trying to tell you: "Your Passin It!"

A reporter was interviewing a 104 year-old man: "And what do you think is the best thing about being 104?" the reporter asked.
He simply replied, "No peer pressure."