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The Twenty-Eighth Sunday of the Year

Cycle B

This Week in the Parish



YEAR OF FAITH 2012
2013

Vigil Mass of Sunday

6.00pm (Saturday)

Sunday

11.00am Mass
5.00pm Mass (Fr. Kevin Dow)

Monday

9.10am Morning Prayer
9.30am Mass (Mill Hill)
7.15pm Pro-Life Rosary

Tuesday

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Thursday

Memorial of St. Albert the Great
NO morning services
6.10pm Evening Prayer
6.30pm Mass
7.15pm Parish Pastoral Council

Friday

Feast of St. Margaret of Scotland
9.10am Morning Prayer
9.30am Mass
6.00pm Vigil of Prayer & Reception of Ellen Mc Kiernan RIP

Saturday

9.10am Morning Prayer
9.30am Mass of Christian Burial for Ellen Mc Kiernan RIP
6.00pm Vigil Mass of Sunday

Sacrament of Reconciliation

Saturdays
10.30-11.00am: 5.15 – 5.45pm
Sunday
10.30-10.45am: 4.30-4.45pm

Parish Drivers Thanks to those who have volunteered their services. Do not hesitate to give your name to the SVDP.

Cumbernauld SPRED groups need volunteer drivers. Contact Irene Fannan on 731706 or Cindy O'Donnell on 726993.

Please Pray For RIP

Ellen Mc Kiernan & Anna Lee
Sick

Fr Noel Barrie, Fr. Pat Currie, Fr. James Andrew Berry OP., Robert Crocken, Clare Adams, and E

Ellen Mc Kiernan RIP

With the passing of this beautiful lady to the Lord at the ripe old age of 94, our parish has lost a spiritual treasure-house on earth but has, I am sure, gained one in heaven. The mother of 11 children she bore, over the years, the loss of four of her sons with heroic fortitude. A devoted servant of St. Mungo's, Glasgow and a devotee of St. Anthony, the daily Mass was the centre of her life. Blessed with all her faculties even until the end, she was a joy and blessing for her family and those who cared for her. In her 90's she made the curtains which now adorn our stage in the hall. May she rest in peace and find, in the Lord, the fulfilment of her faith. We pray also that her family and friends may enjoy consolation and peace.

Pilgrimage: a journey of faith

We know that age does not matter – it is a milestone not a mill-stone! Having celebrated the 65th year of my baptism on 1st September, I had the desire to make a personal pilgrimage to renew my faith and orientate myself more strongly to the Lord during the final stages of my life. I had it in mind to walk part of the Camino, the ancient pilgrim route to Compostela, and, en route, to visit Lourdes which is very much a spiritual home. Having only 7 days left of my holidays and, watching the diary fill up with other commitments, I have settled for four days for a pilgrimage to Lourdes. I set off on Sunday night via Amsterdam Toulouse, and should be in Lourdes, God willing, for Monday afternoon. I will be back on Thursday afternoon. During my

absence, different priests will cover the Masses but I may still be contacted on my mobile 079 5050 299, if you have any urgent problem. I will remember you in my prayers and, during this Year of Faith, may all of us, through the intercession of Mary's Immaculate Heart, grow in our personal relationship with Jesus and a deeper knowledge and love of him and his Church. God bless you all.

Christmas cards from Carmel in

Dysart or Kirkintilloch To order tel. 0141 776 6257 or fill in a form on the table at the back.

Pro-Life Prayer Campaign

Torchlight Rosary in George Sq., Glasgow at 6.30pm; procession to St. Andrew's Cathedral for Mass at 7.30pm on Thurs. 25th Oct.

World Food Day 16 October

It is estimated that **925 million** people in the world are undernourished; nearly **11 million** children under five die in developing countries each year and malnutrition and hunger-related diseases cause 60 per cent of these deaths. See www.fao.org

Preparing for the Sacraments

the future of the parish and of the Church depends on the faith of our children and young people. Without children the family dies-the society dies and so also does the local church. I appeal to you all to support our children in these coming weeks as they prepare for the Sacraments of Confirmation and First Eucharist. We will have the privilege and pleasure of welcoming our new Archbishop, Philip Tartaglia, to our Church on Wednesday, 21 November to celebrate the sacrament with our children. It is very important that he realises what a vibrant community of faith we are and how much we love our children.

Baptism This Sunday after 11am Cora Anne Fulton will enter into the life of the Church and the parish community. May she and her parents Neil and Lauren experience every joy and blessing.

Notices

- **SPUC Scotland Pro-Life Chain from 19-21 Oct.**
- **Catholic Nurses Guild of Scotland Annual Day of Recollection** on Sat. 3rd Nov at Schoenstatt.
- **Vatican II -50 years On** at the Catholic Society Chaplaincy, Southpark Ave. Glasgow on Thurs. 25th Oct.
- **Pilgrimage to Rome 3-10th Oct 2013** with St. Joseph's Parish, Bonnybridge.
- **Cumbernauld Churches Together: Reflections for One World Week 22-26 Oct.** at 12noon at Holy Name'

MANY THANKS

First Collection

Non-GAD	£ 217.79
GAD	£ 249.50

Second Collection

Approved Fundraising

Non-GAD	£ 167.93
GAD	£ 141.00

Next Week Second Collection Missio (Scotland)

World Mission Sunday Message from the Director

As the young Church continues to grow, we face the challenge of meeting increasing financial needs. Combined with a decrease in income worldwide, each of the Pontifical Mission Societies has to revise funding distribution. I would ask you to do what you can to encourage parishioners to put the needs of mission dioceses at the heart of their giving. This is part of the Missionary mandate, a commitment of all the People of God, bishops, priests, deacons, men and women religious and lay people, which the Holy Father refers to in his Mission Sunday message.

Yours sincerely
Rev Thomas Welsh sx
National Director

