

St. Lucy's Parish

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4th Sunday of the Year

This Week in the Parish

Sunday:

11.00am Mass
5.00pm Mass
6.00pm Vespers before the Blessed Sacrament & Benediction

Monday

9.10am Morning Prayer
9.30am Mass
7.15pm Peo-Life Rosary Group

Tuesday

Memorial of St John Bosco

9.10am Morning Prayer
9.30am Morning Mass
6.00pm Baptismal Preparation
7.00pm Holy Hour

Wednesday

9.10am Morning Prayer
9.30am Mass
Fr. Joe's Day off

Thursday

Feast of Presentation of the Lord and – Procession and Blessing of candles

9.10am Morning Prayer
9.30am Mass
11.00am Recollection for priests– Hazelwood House, Glasgow

Friday

9.10am Morning Prayer
9.30am Mass
6.00pm Holy Hour
7.30 pm Retiral Dinner for Ronnie MacKinnon – St Mungos Church of Scotland, Decon

Saturday

Our Lady's Day

8.10am Morning Prayer
9.30am Mass

Sacrament of Reconciliation

Saturdays

10.30-11.00am: 5.15 – 5.45pm

Sunday

10.30-10.45am: 4.30-4.45pm

Welcome – During 11am Mass we will welcome Aiden Andrew Law, born 11 November 2011 and Lexi Janine Elizabeth Mary Zupp, born 19th December 2011. Next Sunday they will receive the anointing with the oil of Catechumens during the Rite of Exorcism, in preparation for their Baptism on Sunday 19th of February at 12.15pm.

Please Pray For

RIP

Sheena Ross, Margaret Powell

Anniversaries

Pat Corcoran

Sick

Fr. Noel Barry, Anne O'Donnell, Margaret Thompson, Joan Gallagher, Johnny Donnelly, Patrick O'Donnell, Sandra Barlow, Susan Johansen

Next week the names of the sick for the month of February must be lodged by Thursday in the black box outside the Sacristy please

Parish Finance

MANY THANKS

First Collection

Non-GAD £283.50
GAD £280.97

Approved Fundraising

Non-GAD £191.26
GAD £182.35

Second Collection

this week
Approved Fundraising

ST LUCY'S PRO-LIFE GROUP

VIGIL MASS

FRIDAY 10TH FEBRUARY 2012

PROGRAMME –

7.00pm Vigil Mass followed by Exposition and candlelight procession

8.00pm Break for buffet

8.45pm Film

10.00pm Holy Hour

Midnight Rosary

Throughout the night:

Holy Hours

Rosaries

Stations of the Cross

Films

Discussions

Vigil will end at: 9.30am

Morning mass

A hot and cold buffet will be provided.

Parish Pastoral Council Could the members please pick up a copy of *Porta Fidei* at the back--- relax only the title is in Latin!

The St Vincent de Paul Society would appreciate the help of parishioners in identifying neighbours or families who would welcome some help at this time of year. You can do this by dropping a wee note in either of the SVDP boxes at the back of the church. All that is needed is the name and address. Alternatively, you can speak to any member of our conference. All information will be treated with the utmost confidentiality.

Notice Board

Mary's Meals - Letters of thanks for the generous donation of 104 bags.

Education in a Secular Age, A Christian Response to the New Atheism - University of Strathclyde, Monday 30th Jan 2012, at 7.30pm

The Mass of our Celtic Roots

St Aloysius, Glasgow – Sunday 29th Jan 2012 4.00pm
Fiddlers Rally – City Chambers Glasgow, Friday 10th Feb, 7.00pm

Caring for the Human Person to the end - Glasgow University Chaplaincy – Tuesday 7th Feb

Bible Alive booklet - copies now available at the back of the church

The Beginning Experience – weekend for those who find themselves alone again through divorce, separation or bereavement. **23rd to 25th March 2012 at St Mary's, Kinnoull, Perth. Contact Ros on 0131 669 0003 or email roz25@hotmail.co.uk.**

The Little Sisters of the Poor Vocations Mass at St. Joseph's, Robroyston on 30th January at 7.00pm. All Welcome.

32nd Cumbernauld Brownies

held every Monday during school term time resumed last Monday 9th January 2012 4.30-6.00pm in St Lucy's Church Hall, Hornbeam Road, Abrohill. All girls between the ages of 7 to 10 years of age are invited to come and join our pack. If you like to play games, sing, cook, learn new things, badge work, parties, outings, pack holiday and generally have fun then this is the place to be. Come along and try us out and bring a friend with you. If you wish any more information please Phone Brown Owl 614164 or Claire 614039

Vocation or Vacation! On Wed. 8th Feb. I am heading of to Honduras in Central America. During my absence the parish will be covered by the priests belonging to The Society of Millhill Missionaries tel 0141 883 0139 who should be contacted should any pastoral need arise.

As I am sure you appreciate, Honduras is a country rooted in poverty. If you would like to donate to Fr Micheal on behalf of the new Diocese of Ceba, then simply put an envelope with your offering in one of the collection baskets and mark it 'Honduras Appeal'.

EXPLANATION OF GOD:

'One of God's main jobs is making people. He makes them to replace the ones that die, so there will be enough people to take care of things on earth. He doesn't make grownups, just babies. I think because they are smaller and easier to make. That way he doesn't have to take up his valuable time teaching them to talk and walk. He can just leave that to mothers and fathers.'
By an 8-year-old named Danny Dutton