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6th Sunday of Easter

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This Week in the Parish

Vigil Mass of Sunday
6.00pm (Saturday)

Sunday
11.00am Mass
5.00pm Evening Prayer & Benediction

Monday:
9.10am Morning Prayer
9.30am Mass
7.15pm Pro-Life Rosary

Tuesday:
9.10am Morning Prayer
9.30am Mass
7.30-8.30pm Catechesis on the Lord's Prayer in the hall

Wednesday:
9.10am Rosary
9.30am Mass & Morning Prayer
Fr. Joe's Day off

Thursday
Solemnity of the Ascension
Holiday of Obligation
9.00am Morning Prayer
9.30am Mass with school
10.30am Rosary

Friday
9.10am Rosary
9.30am Mass & Morning Prayer
6.00pm Holy Hour

Saturday
9.10am Morning Prayer
9.30am Mass
10.00am Rosary

Sacrament of Reconciliation
Saturday
10.30-11.00am; 5.15-5.45pm
Sunday
10.30-10.45pm



Ascension Thursday 9th May Holiday of Obligation

Forty days after his resurrection, the Lord, Jesus Christ, ascended body and soul into heaven where he is now seated at the right hand of the Father and intercedes for us. He promised to be with us all days "even to the consummation of the world".

He lives amongst us now in the sacrament of the Church and reveals himself to us through the eyes of faith.

"Blessed are those who have not seen him [*in the flesh*] but have believed."

Novena to the Holy Spirit 10th-18th May

Jesus said to his disciples before he ascended into heaven:
"Return to the city and wait till you are clothed with the power from on high."

We learn from the sacred scriptures that the disciples returned to Jerusalem and united with Mary, the Mother of God and of the Church. For nine continuous days they persevered in prayer until the outpouring of the Holy Spirit, the power from on high, on Pentecost Day, fifty days after the resurrection.

In this Year of Faith, let us once more unite ourselves with Mary and with disciples throughout the world and persevere in prayer imploring God to send once more upon the earth the power from on high.

Suggested prayers:

"Come Holy Spirit, fill the hearts of your faithful and kindle in them the fire of your love.

Send forth your Spirit and they shall be created and you will renew the face of the earth.

O God, who has taught the hearts of the faithful by the light of the Holy Spirit, grant that by the gift of the same Spirit, we may always be truly wise and ever rejoice in his consolations, through Christ Our Lord, Amen.

Mary, Spouse of the Holy Spirit, *pray for us.*

or

Pick up a Novena leaflet at the back.

Family night on Sat. 18th May
The Social Committee has organised a family night with music, fun and games for all the family, whatever your age!

Entry is free, but tickets will be limited, so if you would like to come along, please sign up on the sheet in the porch

MANY THANKS First Collection

Non-GAD £ 247.29

GAD £ 229.00

Ecclesiastical Students

Non-GAD £188.21

GAD £159.00

Second Collection this week is for the Parish, next Sunday for the Apostolate of Communications



The Month of May Our Blessed Lady has appeared on very many occasions to encourage us to pray the Rosary. During this month we will pray the Rosary in Church each morning before Mass at 9.10am. "*The family that prays together, stays together*" is a time honoured Catholic motto. Please think about making it a reality in your home this May.

Meeting of Extraordinary Ministers of the Eucharist at 6pm on Tuesday 7th May in the Church hall.

Catholic Parliamentary Office
An Agency of the Bishops' Conference of Scotland- for more information, pick up a flyer from the porch. If you

would like email contact, please complete the sheet in the porch.

PLEASE PRAY FOR RIP

Raymond MacHugh

Anniversaries

Margaret Mary McAuley,
Kenneth Lyons, James Craig
and Angela Gillies.

Our Lady and St Helen's Parish Mission: Friday 24th May 7- 9pm and Sat 25th May from 9.30am- 5.00pm. We are

inviting the parishes in the deanery to join with us in this opportunity to enjoy, what we believe, will be a spiritually enriching weekend. A team of six people from Dundee provide and deliver the mission and we would appreciate your helping making it a success. We look forward to your support and meeting as many as possible.

NOTICES

- **Befriender Service** If you would like to help vulnerable adults who live in your area contact Caroline Watson Tel. 702102 or pick up a flyer.
- **Plant Sale at Sacred Heart, Cumbernauld** on Saturday, 8th May at 10.30am
- **Archdiocesan Pilgrimage to Lourdes 12-19th of July.** The pastoral theme this year is Lourdes, "*Lourdes: A Door of Faith*".
- **450th Anniversary of the Council of Trent** a series of talks in St. Peter's Hall, Partick, Glasgow
- **Revive MS Support** See leaflet in porch.
- **Auction of Original Art** by Sandy Moffat on Thurs. 8 May
- **Lentfest Review**
- **St Nicholas Care Fund Report**
- **Faith Development:** a series of talks on the Catechism at Christ the King Glasgow
- **Justice and Peace bulletin**
- **Watch Us Grow-** a letter of thanks