



# St Lucy's Parish

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**33<sup>rd</sup> SUNDAY OF ORDINARY TIME**

**Cycle C**

## This Week in the Parish

**Vigil Mass of Sunday**  
6.00pm (Saturday)

**Sunday**  
11.00am Mass with baptisms  
5.00pm Vespers & Benediction

**Monday:**  
**Optional Memorial of the Dedication of the Basilicas of Saints Peter and Paul**  
9.10am Morning Prayer  
9.30am Mass  
5.00pm RCIA in Church  
7.00pm Reconciliation Service in preparation for the Sacrament of Confirmation. All welcome.

**Tuesday:**  
9.00am Morning Prayer  
9.30am Mass

**Wednesday:**  
*Mass for Archbishop Tartaglia on the 8<sup>th</sup> anniversary of his Ordination to the Episcopate*  
9.10am Morning Prayer  
9.30am Mass

**Thursday:**  
**Memorial of the Presentation the Blessed Virgin Mary**  
*Prayers for Vocations to the Priesthood*  
9.10am Morning Prayer  
9.30am Mass  
10.00am to 12 noon  
Rosary & Adoration of the Most Blessed Sacrament

**Friday:**  
9.10am Morning Prayer  
9.30am Mass  
*Fr. Joe's day off*

**Saturday**  
**Our Lady's Day**  
8.00am Mass  
9.10am Morning Prayer  
9.30am Mass  
10.00am Rosary  
6.00pm Vigil Mass of Sunday

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

10.30-10.45am  
**Baptisms:** This Sunday we will celebrate the Sacrament of Baptism with Devin Laurence Murphy and Chloe Ruby Elizabeth Daly. We welcome with joy these new members to the Church and the Parish Community. May God who has begun this good work in them bring it to fulfilment.

**RCIA Bronwyn Byrne** who was enrolled into the Order of Catechumens a few weeks ago, has been continuing her study of the faith in preparation for her baptism at Easter. This Monday in the Church there will be a short Liturgy of the Word and Prayer of Exorcism for her. If anyone is able to join us for this, they would be most welcome.

**Say it with flowers!** Anne Duffy and Jennifer Horan have now offered to help Susan Woods and Dorothy Mc Cue with the flowers. If there is anyone else who is interested in this form of service, can they please speak to me.

**Prayer and Consultation for the restructuring of the Archdiocese.** The Archbishop has asked us to **PRAY** for vocations to the priesthood and for each parish to set aside a day for this intention. Whenever we are praying the rosary we are asked to offer one decade for this intention. In answer to his call, each Thursday after Mass we will pray the rosary and there will be Adoration of the Most Blessed Sacrament until 12 noon when Adoration will close with Benediction. Jesus always answers our prayers and he himself urged us to "*ask the Lord of the harvest to send labourers into his harvest.*"

**Aladdin Pantomime** being performed by the Kirky Players at Lenzie Public Halls. Tickets: £10/£8 (concessions). So far 43 persons are going along. *'Speak now or for ever hold your peace!'*

### Please pray for Anniversaries:

Annie & David Mc Allister,  
Edward Burke and  
Kenneth Waddell

### Sick:

Fr. Noel Barrie, Mgr. James Clancy, Jamie Daly, Ian & Anne Fulton, Michael & Kathleen O'Hare, Andy Wilkinson, Mae Mc Guinness and Catherine Taylor, Billy Kerr, Irene Kelly, Alison Hernandez, Tommy Smyth, Claire Adams, Margaret Gaughan and Ian Steele

**Reconciliation Service** in preparation for Confirmation this Monday, 18<sup>th</sup> Nov. at 7pm. Could all prayer partners please make a special effort to take part and support their children. All are warmly invited to participate

### MANY THANKS First Collection (2 weeks)

GAD £273.50  
SDS £255.73

**Parish Fundraising**  
SDS £141.00  
GAD £216.96

### Second Collection for Assisted Parishes

### APPEAL FOR THE PHILIPPINES

Next Sunday the Second collection which should be for the parish will go to SCIAF to help the people of the Philippines. It is very hard to understand why the poorest people in the world have to suffer so much. Pray the Rosary, Come to daily Mass. Bring their sufferings before God, "*who has thoughts of peace and not of affliction.*"

## This is Prisoners' Week

"Time to change"

17-24<sup>th</sup> November 2013

**Consultation in Preparation for the Synod of Bishops:** This is open until 10<sup>th</sup> December and we are all encouraged to take part. Printed copies of the areas of consultation are available in the porch or go online at [www.surveymonkey.com/s/RCA](http://www.surveymonkey.com/s/RCA) Gsynodconsult

## NOTICES

- **Celebrate a life at Christmas** – Kelvingrove Art Gallery and Museum, Sunday Dec 8<sup>th</sup> at 2.00pm
- **Aid to the Church in Need Mass** on Mon 18<sup>th</sup> Nov at 7pm in St. Bride's, Cambuslang.
- **The Relationship Helpline** Tel. 08088022088
- **The Newman Association:** the Magisterium & Moral Change 28<sup>th</sup> Nov. 7.30pm
- **Catholic Nurses Guild Annual Day of Recollection** on Fri. 6<sup>th</sup> December: 10.30am-4pm
- **Friends First: Bringing Christians Together**  
[www.friends1st.co.uk](http://www.friends1st.co.uk)
- **Cardinal Winning Charity Ball; Fri. 6<sup>th</sup> December**
- **Abronhill regeneration Forum Pre Christmas Fayre Coffee Evening** on Fri 6<sup>th</sup> Dec.

**Prayer for Prisoners Week**  
Lord, you offer freedom to all people. We pray for those who are held in prison. Break the bonds of fear and isolation that exist. Support with your love: prisoners, their families and friends, prison staff, chaplains and all who care.

Heal those who have been wounded by the activities of others, especially the victims of crime. Help us to forgive one another, to act justly, to love mercy, and walk humbly together with Christ in his strength and in his Spirit, now and every day. Amen.

**Mothers of Bedford** is a film about the experience of women prisoners and their families in New York State on Tues. 19<sup>th</sup>

Nov in the Hippodrome Cinema,  
Bo'ness. Tickets at [www.  
PrisonersWeekScotland.org.uk](http://www.PrisonersWeekScotland.org.uk).