



# St Lucy's Parish

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## WORLD DAY OF PRAYER FOR THE MISSIONS

### This Week in the Parish

#### Vigil Mass of Sunday

6.00pm (Saturday)

#### Sunday

11.00am Mass & baptisms  
12.00pm Rosary  
16.15pm Baptism Preparation  
5.00pm Rosary, Vespers & Benediction

#### Monday:

9.10am Morning Prayer  
9.30am Mass  
5.00pm RCIA  
7.00pm Confirmation Meeting for parents and children [P4]  
7.15pm Pro-Life Rosary in chapel house prayer room.

#### Tuesday:

9.00am Morning Prayer  
9.30am Mass

#### Wednesday:

#### Optional Memorial of St. John of Capestrano

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

#### Thursday

#### Optional Memorial of St. Anthony Mary Claret

9.10am Morning Prayer  
9.30am Mass

#### Friday:

9.10am Morning Prayer  
9.30am Mass

#### Saturday

#### Our Lady's Day

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

#### October Devotions

A Plenary Indulgence for those who take part whether in Church, family or pious association on condition of interior charity, Confession and Communion within 7 days.



PONTIFICAL MISSION SOCIETY

### THIS IS MISSION SUNDAY "Do not be afraid!"

The second collection today goes to Missio Scotland our part of the Pontifical Mission Societies: The St. Peter the Apostle Society, Mission Children (Holy Childhood) and the Association for the Propagation of the Faith.

### The Mission Activity of the Church

"It will be the bishop's task to raise up from among his own people, especially the sick and those oppressed by hardship, some souls to offer prayers and penance to God with a wide - open heart for the evangelization of the world. The bishop will also gladly encourage youths and clerics who have vocations to mission institutes, accepting it with a grateful spirit if God should call some of them to be employed in the missionary activity of the Church. The bishop will exhort and help the diocesan congregations to play a role of their own in the missions; he will promote the works of mission institutes among his own faithful, but most especially the papal mission works. For it is only right to give these works pride of place, since they are the means of imbuing Catholics from their very infancy with a real universal and missionary outlook; and they are also the means of making an effective collection of funds to subsidize all missions, each according to its needs." *The Second Vatican Council: Decree Ad Gentes.*

"Spring forward, fall back!" The clocks change next Saturday night. Be prepared.

### Second Collection this week for the Pontifical Mission Societies

#### Please pray for

**Sick:** Fr. Noel Barrie, Mgr. James Clancy, Billy Kerr, Alison Hernandez, Tommy Smyth, Claire Adams, Margaret Gaughan and Ian Steele

**Anniversaries:** Sally Gibbons and Peter Treacy

**On retreat:** I am on retreat next week from Tuesday to Friday. Sadly this year there is no time to find a more remote location! I will be 'on vacation with the Lord' at Hazelwood House Glasgow. The retreat is given by the Fathers of the Prelature of the Holy Cross and will be in silence. In my absence the Masses will be covered by Fr. Stephen Dunn [Tues] and the Holy Ghost Fathers [Wed/Fri]. Let pray for one another. In emergency tel.07405805834 or 07710757766 or 07950502991.

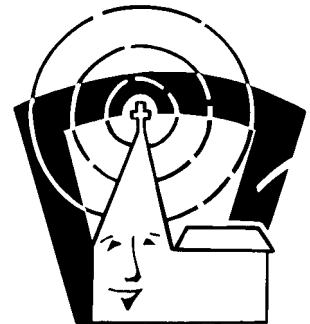
**RCIA [Rite of Christian Initiation of Adults]** this is the title given by the Church to the programme of preparation and entry into the life of the Church. Last year a young aspirant began coming for instruction and this Easter she hopes and prays she will be baptised, confirmed and make her first holy communion. The formal programme begins for **Bronynn Byrne, 9 Almond Road** next Sunday at 11am Mass with the Rite of Acceptance into the Order of Catechumens. Her sponsor is Mrs. Patricia Mc Auley and I am being assisted in the catechesis by Avril Kelly and Catherine Kennedy.

**Baptisms:** in a few weeks' time it is also hoped that another two children will be baptised viz. Devin Laurence Murphy and Chloe Daly.

**Confirmations:** the sacrament will be celebrated in the parish on Monday 25<sup>th</sup> November at

7pm when it will be received by 20 of our children. It is unlikely the Archbishop will be able to come this year but I await notification. At the recent meeting with the priests of the diocese he indicated that he intended to change the age of Confirmation back to P7. If this comes to pass then it will be another 4 years before the sacrament will be again celebrated with the Archbishop in the parish

. Please pray for all of these young people who are our hope and our future: "*The family that prays together, stays together.*"



### NOTICES

- **The Newman Assoc.** Meeting on Thurs. 31<sup>st</sup> October.
- **St. Anthony's Relics** visit the UK. Glasgow, 26 October.
- **The St. Andrew's Foundation for Catholic Teacher Education: Public lecture** 12 November at 5pm.
  - **Requiem Masses at St. Peter's, Dalbeth and St. Agnes Lambhill** on Sunday, 3 Nov. at 3pm.
  - **Mass and Candlelight Procession for Life** in George Square on Thursday 24<sup>th</sup> October **6.30-7pm.**
  - **Aid to the Church in Need: Mass and talk by the Patriarch of the Melkite Church in Syria and Sr. Youssef from Beirut** in Christ the King, Glasgow on Monday, 21<sup>st</sup> Oct. at 7pm.