



# St Lucy's Parish

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## FEAST OF THE BAPTISM OF OUR LORD

### This Week in the Parish First Week in Ordinary Time

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

**Sunday**  
11.00am Mass  
5.00pm Vespers & Benediction  
6.15pm Marriage Preparation

**Monday:**  
**Feast Day of St. Mungo**  
9.10am Morning Prayer  
9.30am Mass  
5.00pm RCIA  
7.15pm Pro-Life Rosary Group

**Tuesday:**  
9.00am Morning Prayer  
9.30am Mass  
10.30am Fabric & Finance Meeting  
12 noon St. Mary's, Lanark-Mass of Christian Burial for Fr. Joseph Brannigan RIP

**Wednesday:**  
9.10am Morning Prayer  
9.30am Mass

**Thursday:**  
*Morning of prayer for Vocations to the Priesthood*  
9.10am Morning Prayer  
9.30am Mass  
10.00am to 12 noon Rosary & Adoration of the Most Blessed Sacrament  
7.00pm PPC Meeting

**Friday:**  
**Memorial of St. Anthony of the Desert**  
9.10am Morning Prayer  
9.30am Mass

**Saturday:**  
**Our Lady's Day**  
9.10am Morning Prayer  
9.30am Reception of Remains and Requiem Mass for John Mc Kiernan RIP  
10.30am Rosary

*No Confessions this Saturday morning*

**6.00pm Vigil Mass of Sunday**

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

**Age of Confirmation** The Archbishop has decided that from now onwards children will receive this sacrament in P7. A copy of his letter giving the reasons for his decision is available in the porch.

### Please pray for RIP

Fr. Joseph Brannigan, Fr. George Rodgers, Paul Peterson, Patrick Mc Pake, Liz Hart, and John Mc Kiernan

### Anniversaries

Zenon Gluchowski, William Treacy and Edward Devine

### Sick:

Fr. Noel Barrie, Charlotte Hall, Paul Peterson, Agnes Wilson, Alex Jacks, Claire Adams, Billy Kerr, Alan Mc Kinney, Bill Speedie and Iain Steele

### Enrolment for the sacrament of Penance and Anointing and blessing of Bronwyn Byrne, our Catechumen

During the 11.00am Mass this Sunday, the Church, represented by our parish community, will welcome the Primary 3 children, for their enrolment in preparation for the Sacrament of Penance. Also, during this Mass, Bronwyn Byrne, our Catechumen who is aged 17 yrs., will participate. As an adult seeking reception into the Church, Bronwyn is now at the stage on her journey of faith for being present and taking an active part in the Liturgy of the Word each Sunday. She will be once again anointed with the Oil of Catechumens [Oil of Baptism] and receive a blessing before being dismissed before the Liturgy of the Eucharist begins. The children will renew their baptismal promises along with the community and be formally enrolled for the celebration Penance, the Sacrament of Reconciliation, during Lent. The children at present are: *Ewan Freeland, Grace Irwin, Luke Kinnear, Damian Lyzwa, Grace Mac Broom, Aaron*

*Martin, Nathan Mc Aloon, Pearce McBride, Ryan Noble, Sophie Steel, Devin Murphy, Shannon O'Neill, Sharee O'Neill, Alfons Woods and Robyn Wright.*

In light of the Archbishop's decision to, once again, change the order in which the sacraments are received, these children will not now be confirmed until P7.

### Bethlehem [House of Bread]

is the name given to the Cumbernauld Community Church's Food-bank. We have received a letter of thanks as follows:

*"Because of your support we were able to supply over 50 families in Cumbernauld with a very generous food hamper to enable them to enjoy the Christmas season and have enough food to last them for a week or more. It has also enabled us to continue to help them throughout January. It is also much appreciated by ourselves as we do not receive any funding for contributions and rely on the good will of our congregation and others such as yourself to be able to continue this work.*

*We open on Thursday evening from 6p.m. till 7.30p.m. to supply the poorest people in our community with basic food supplies and can only continue doing so with the support and help from people such as yourselves in our local community. Again a big thank you from everyone in House of Bread and we pray God's Blessing on you all in 2014."*

Contact them on **07500725514** or speak to any member of the SVDP for help.

**Mary's Meals- Rags to Riches Clothing Collection** will take place on Sunday 26<sup>th</sup> Jan. Donations in black bags can be left in the hall any time during Saturday or Sunday morning. The collection will be uplifted between 12-12.30pm on Sunday 26<sup>th</sup>.

### The Joy of the Gospel..... *when youth is all spent!*

There is nothing the matter with me  
I'm as healthy as I can be  
I have arthritis in both of my knees; And when I talk, I talk with a wheeze,  
My pulse is weak, my blood is thin  
But I'm awfully well for the shape I'm in.  
The moral is this, as this tale I unfold,  
That for you, him and me that are now growing old  
It's better to say that 'I'm fine' with a grin  
Than to tell everyone else the shape that I'm in.  
And how do I know that my youth is all spent?  
Well, my 'get up and go' has got up and went.  
But I really don't mind when I think with a grin  
Of all the grand places my 'get up' has bin.  
Now old age is golden it's often been said  
But sometimes I wonder as I get into bed  
With my ears in a drawer, my teeth in a cup; my eyes on the table until I wake up.  
And as sleep comes down o'er me I say to myself:  
'Is there anything else I could put on the shelf?'  
I get up in the morning and dust off my wits  
Pick up the paper and read the 'obits'  
If my name is still missing I know I'm not dead  
So I have a good breakfast and go back to bed .....

### NOTICES

- **Pro-Life Mass:** Wednesday, 15<sup>th</sup> January in Our Lady of Consolation, Inglefield St, Govanhill, G42 7PZ at 7.30pm.
- **AGAP Film & Faith Club** on Thurs. 6<sup>th</sup> Feb: 7-10pm
- **Glasgow Faith Forum: Programme of Events** beginning 16<sup>th</sup> January.
- **Religion and Social Change in Latin America** on Thurs. 30<sup>th</sup> Jan. at 7.30pm
- **Parish Collections received by the Archdiocese 2012/13**