

Parish of Saint Conval - Weekly Bulletin

14th Sunday in Ordinary Time (C) 6th / 7th July 2019

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Please Pray For Those Who Are Sick: Carol McKenzie and Isa McClellan.

Please Pray For Those Who Have Died Recently: Edward Brady and Maureen O'Neill.

Please Pray For Those Whose Anniversaries Occur About Now: Mary Murphy, Thomas Lochhead, Thomas McElhoney, John Graham Jnr and for the month's mind of Thomas Quinn, Paul O'Neil, Mary Theresa Simpson, Janie Lavery, Edward Flood, Betty Dunnion, Robert Hunter, Danny Hunter, Elsie Muggins and Elizabeth McAdam.

Please Pray For The Special Intention: Joseph Alan McLaren.

Last Week's Collections: The first amounted to £764.69 of which £399.50 was gift aid and the second for the Building Fund amounted to £554.03. Thank you very much for your great generosity.

Gift Aid Envelopes: If you pay tax please consider signing a Gift Aid Declaration so that your contribution will be increased by a further 25%. The annual refund which the Parish receives from HMRC makes a massive difference to our funds. Please call into the Sacristy after Mass if you would like to become involved in the Gift Aid Scheme.

Children's Liturgy: Sunday, 7th July 2019 will be the last Children's Liturgy for a few weeks. We will resume on Sunday, 11th August, the Sunday before the schools restart for the next term. Have a safe and fun holiday, see you in August.

Sunday Teas And Coffees will be taking a break over the summer and will resume on 25th August 2019.

Malawi Trip: The St. Benedict's High School blog is available via this link: <https://tinyurl.com/y3vxplkl> Photographs can be found in the Teenage Ministries page of the Parish website via this link: <https://tinyurl.com/y4a79byf> or on Twitter: @stbenedictsren.

Impact Arts are now doing QI Gong on Mondays from 1.00pm until 3.00pm in the Hall.

Dance With Pace: No Dance on Monday Night. Tom is on holiday and will be back on 17th July 2019.

During The Summer Months On A Tuesday Morning there will be tea, coffee and bingo after Mass. Bingo will be from 11.00am until 12.30pm. Please support us as the proceeds are for our Building Fund.

Weekly Parish Bulletin: Any items for inclusion in the bulletin (including names for the sick, month's mind and anniversary lists) should be put through the letter box of the Parish House or sent by email: stconval@rcdop.org.uk by **12noon on the Thursday** before publication.

Parish Website: Please visit: www.stconvals.com to take a look and find out more about our Parish, Mass times and Confessions etc.

The Hall: Please note that no one in the Parish House can open or close the hall, take bookings or organise functions. The Hall Keeper – Bridget Macfarlane – has the keys and the Bookings Diary, she has the Booking Forms and the Contract that all users are required to complete for insurance purposes. All these matters will be attended to by her, and by her alone, to avoid double bookings and other confusions. She may be contacted by email: bridgetmacfarlane992@gmail.com or tel. 07874007136 or 01505 674782.

First Saturday Devotion In Honour Of The Immaculate Heart Of Mary: In St. Andrew's Cathedral, Clyde Street, Glasgow from July until December 2019 at 12noon. For more information visit: <https://tinyurl.com/y5uaygqy> Facebook: Glasgow Vigils or contact Liam Coyle, email: liam.coyle1@ntlworld.com or tel. 07806 517383.

Monaco Boys Choir: In Paisley Methodist Church, Central Hall, 7 Gauze Street, Paisley PA1 1EB on Thursday, 18th July 2019 at 7.00pm. Donations towards providing education for vulnerable children in Mwange Village, Democratic Republic of Congo.

St. Therese Relics Tour Of Scotland: Please visit the website: <https://tinyurl.com/y27dnhfc> to view the full itinerary, learn the two hymns composed for the visit and see an image of the Icon which has been commissioned for the tour.

Diocese Of Paisley Welcomes The Relics Of St. Therese Of Lisieux: The relics will be in Scotland for two weeks in September 2019. They will be in our Diocese from 14th until 16th September. The relics will mainly be at St. Mary's Church, Greenock from the evening of Saturday, 14th September until the morning of the 15th. The relics will then be taken to St. Mirin's Cathedral on Sunday, 15th September until the afternoon of Monday, 16th September. All welcome to come and pray before the relics of the "Little Flower". Please visit the Diocesan website: <https://tinyurl.com/y2qktzus> for more information on the schedule for our Diocese.

S.S.V.P.: The Annual Society of Saint Vincent de Paul Family Mass at Carfin this year will be celebrated on 28th September 2019. We are hoping to run a bus from the Parish, if there is sufficient interest. Cost per person would be £5.00 return. Details and a list for those wishing to attend is at the back of the Church. Please put your name on the list if you wish to attend. It will not commit you until we see how many are interested.

Wheelchair Assistance Required For Saturday Hospital Vigil Mass At RAH, Paisley: Once more, in the spirit of Making All Things New, we are appealing for some volunteers to join our rota for wheelchair assistance to enable patients at the RAH to attend the 4.00pm Saturday Vigil Mass. You will assist a person from the ward to the hospital Chapel, stay with them for Mass, and then take them back to the ward. Volunteers need to have or need to obtain a PVG as standard Diocesan practice. Can you please contact Mgr. John Tormey for further details, email: staidan@rcdop.org.uk or tel. 01505 320900. You will be asked to join our rota of helpers, probably helping once every three or four weeks. You are free to change your day with another helper if you can't do the day when it's your turn. We have had some helpers leave the rota recently and we really do need some fresh recruits. Please consider giving some of your time to help those who are ill and who will benefit from your kindness. Thank you. Mgr. John Tormey.

Knights Of St. Columba: Centenary Recruitment Drive. 'Serving God by Serving Others'. If you are over 16 and a practicing Catholic and want to join an organisation to promote the Catholic faith and help others, please contact John O'Donnell, tel. 07854886425 or email: john.odonnell1@hotmail.co.uk