

Many of the great Saints have reminded us over the years about the importance of praying for the Holy Souls in purgatory.

St Padre Pio; St Faustina; St Francisco, St Jacinta & Sister Lucia of Fatima; St Stanislaus (of Jesus and Mary) Papczyński and St Gertrude the Great to name a few.

St Gertrude the great encourages us to pray the following prayer:

*Eternal Father,
I offer You the most Precious Blood
of Your Divine Son, Jesus,
in union with the Masses
said throughout the world today,
for all the Holy Souls in Purgatory,
for all sinners everywhere,
for sinners in the universal Church,
those in my own home and within my family.
Amen.*



St Brigid's Parish

Westwood Road, Newmains
Tel:01698-296550
email:stbrigid@rcdom.org.uk

Clergy: Fr Stephen Rooney
Fr Eamonn Sweeney(Retired)

Pastoral Assistant: Sister Maria Goretti O.S.F
(07518390819)

Parish Centre Enquiries: Pat Cahill (01698-292421)

31st Sunday of the Year/B

30th/31st October 2021
The Year of St Joseph

RESPONSE TO THE PSALM

I love you, Lord, my strength

This week:

Sunday Mass @11am
Monday Mass @ 10am
Tuesday Mass @10am
Wednesday Mass@10am
Thursday Mass @10am
Friday Mass @10am
Saturday Vigil Mass @5.30pm

All Masses are livestreamed providing there are no technical problems

Scottish Charities Office
Number SCO11041

Sunday Collections:
£ 940.00
Thankyou for your support for our parish
£565.00 Special Collection (Missions)

Readings for next Sunday
32nd Sunday
1 Kings 17:10-16
Hebrews 9:24-28
Mark 12:38-44

300 CLUB
24/10/21
£100 No 141 John Kelly
£25 No 91 Andrew Connelly
~~~~~

FEASTS THIS WEEK  
Mon 1st Nov All Saints' Day  
Tues 2nd All Souls' Day  
Wed 3rd St Martin de Porres  
Thurs 4th St Charles Borromeo

November Lists  
The month of Remembrance will soon be upon us and November Lists are available. If you would like your loved ones remembered during this time, take home a list & return it before the beginning of November.

WISHAW HOSPITAL  
Anyone in hospital and needs the Sacrament of the Sick, The Chaplain can be contacted through the Hospital on 01698 361100 or Assistant Chaplain, Deacon Henry McKenna 07792 913166

Welcome to the representatives of Mary's Meals who join us this weekend.

Annual Mass of Remembrance  
Will take place on Monday 15th November at 7pm.  
At this celebration we will remember all our deceased relatives & friends but in particular those whose funerals have been taken place from the Church since last November.  
A warm invitation is extended to all Parishioners but especially the family of the above mentioned.

Holy Michael, the Archangel defend us in the day of battle. Be our safeguard against the wickedness and snares of the Devil. May God rebuke him we humbly pray and do thou O Prince of the Heavenly Host by the power of God thrust down into hell, Satan and all the other wicked spirits who wander through the world seeking the ruin of souls.  
Amen.

Holy Ghost Fathers' Raffle tickets on sale priced £1.00

**PLEASE REMEMBER IN YOUR PRAYERS:**  
The Sick: Liz Kelly; Baby Freddie Brook; John McCardle; Joe Smith; Agnes Slavin Keith; William Duffy;  
Recently Dead: Ann Holmes(Rutherglen); James Condron; Anne Craig(Former Housekeeper of Pastoral Centre); and all who have died due to the virus  
Months Mind: Anne Hayes; Benjamin, Catherine&Paul Dabrera; Clifford&Devlin Families; Michael Howley; James & Catherine Reynolds; Tom & Jim Reynolds; William & Mary Young; Reyonlds, Docherty, Cole, Young & Ferro Families; Thomas & Lynn Murphy;  
Anniversary: Cornelius Docherty; Patricia McLean; Ellen Rooney; John & Liz Brown; Ben & Peggy Jamieson; Michael Fagan; Mary King;

Marriage Preparation Course  
Anyone who are getting married in the parish in 2022 are asked to take part in this course.  
The dates:  
22nd January/ 19th Feb / 19th March/ 23rd April 2022.  
Please book  
[www.marriagefamilylife.org](http://www.marriagefamilylife.org)  
it's a one day course

This is Mandatory at all times in the Church Building unless exempt.



Thank you for wearing a face covering



Use hand sanitiser please

Please use hand sanitiser entering and leaving

Mass of Thanksgiving  
Bishop Toal will offer a Mass of Thanksgiving in the Church on Thursday 11th November 2021 in thanksgiving for the 150th anniversary of the foundation of the Parish. Followed by a buffet in the Parish Centre.  
An invitation is extended to parishioners to join him for that celebration. If you are planning on being at the Mass please add your name to the list at the back of the Church as this would give us an idea of numbers for catering purposes.

Holy Mass for All Souls' Day  
The Schoenstatt Sisters invite you to join them at their Memorial Grotto in the Retreat Centre, Kentenich Way, Clachan of Campsie, Glasgow G66 7AT for the commemoration of the Holy Souls on Tuesday 2nd November at 1pm.

COP26  
More information see  
[www.sowingseedsofthefuture.org/what-s-on](http://www.sowingseedsofthefuture.org/what-s-on)