

R.C.I.A

*Right of Christian Initiation for Adults*

Have you ever considered joining the Catholic Church or would like to know about the Faith?

Be part of our parish family.

You are invited to an enquiry evening on Wednesday 8th June at 7pm.(change of day)

"Rite of Christian Initiation of Adults (RCIA) is the process in which adults become full, participating members of the Catholic Church. Participants, known as catechumens go through a process of studying the Gospel, nurturing their relationship with God, becoming familiar with the Catholic teachings and practices, professing their faith in Jesus and the Church, and receiving the sacraments of initiation: [Baptism](#), [Communion](#), and [Confirmation](#)."



**St Brigid's Parish**

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**Fifth Sunday of Easter**

**14th/15th May 2022**

**RESPONSE TO THE PSALM**

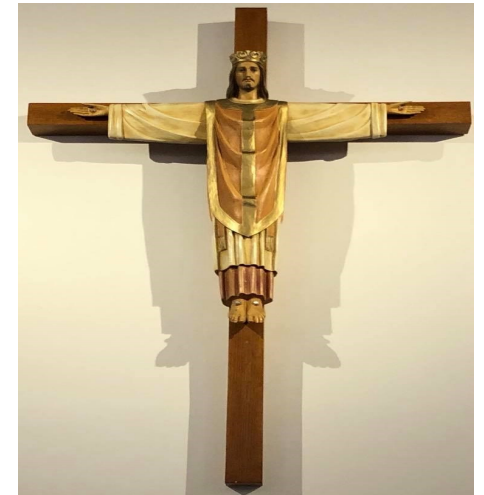
*I will bless your name for ever, O God my King.*

**This week:**

Sunday Mass @11am  
Monday Rosary @9.40am/Mass @10am  
Tuesday Mass Rosary@9.40am/@10am  
Wednesday Rosary@9.40am/Mass @ 10am  
Thursday Rosary@9.40am/Mass @10am  
Friday Rosary@9.40am/Mass @10am  
Saturday Mass @ 5.30pm

*All Masses are livestreamed providing there are no technical problems*

Scottish Charities Office  
Number SCO11041



Sunday Collections:

£885.00

Thankyou for your support for our parish

Special Collection for Sick & Retired Priests:

£690.00

Readings for next Sunday  
Sixth Sunday of Easter

Acts 15:1-2, 22-29  
Apocalypse 21:10-14,22-23  
John 14:23-29

**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

Please hand in any Mass Intentions into the Presbytery **NO Later** than a Wednesday 6pm. Please put through letterbox.



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.

*PLEASE REMEMBER IN YOUR PRAYERS:*

The Sick: Joe Smith; Pauline Dalgleish;

Recently Dead: all who have died due to the virus; all who have died during armed conflicted.

Months Mind: Mary, Joe and Betty Calderhead; Nancy Hinds

Anniversary: Margaret MacDermid; James & Margaret Connell; Patrick Haughey; Margaret Kerrigan;

Congratulations to the young people of Primary 4 who celebrated their First Eucharist on Saturday.

Thanks to all who helped prepare them for their special day.

**Marriage Preparation Course**

New dates listed on [www.marriagefamilylife.org](http://www.marriagefamilylife.org)

For any who you is getting married this year.

Defibrillator

A defibrillator for St Brigid's has been purchased thanks to a kind benefactor. We await its arrival.

A member of the CPR Team from St John's Ambulance will visit the parish centre on 30th May at 7pm who will provide training.

If interested in learning how to use the defibrillator please call Lorraine on 07891 297716 to "book a place." Then we can give the team an idea of how many will be attending the evening.

St Brigid's  
St Vincent de Paul Conference  
are celebrating 100 years of foundation. To mark this occasion Bishop Toal will celebrate a Mass of Thanksgiving in the Church on Tuesday 14th June at 7pm.  
After Mass you are invited into the St Brigid's Parish Centre

The Holy Rosary

Will be praying in the Church each morning before Holy Mass beginning at 9.40am. Please come along a little earlier to gather to pray the Rosary.

The Gift"  
a life in the Spirit Course

This is a preparation DVD of 6 sessions helping to prepare us for the Solemnity of Pentecost.

If interested come along on 19th; May at 7pm; 26th at 6pm then 2nd & 7th June at 7pm in the St Brigid's Centre, Newmains

This is presented by CaFÉ (Catholic Faith Exploration) of Diocese of Brentwood.

300 Club

8/5/2022

£100 No 134 Elizabeth Brown

£25 No 154 Tom Mooney

Sacrament of Confirmation

Bishop Toal will confer the Sacrament on the Young People of Primary 7 on Thursday 9th June, the Feast of St Colum Cille (Columba) at 7pm.

Please keep them in your prayers.