

St Bride's - Parish Bulletin

St Bride's Weekly Schedule

Monday	Mass: 8.15am & 10am <i>Exposition of the Blessed Sacrament 10.30am-7 pm</i> <i>Toddlers 9.30am</i> <i>Benediction and Evening Prayer 7 pm</i> <i>SVDP 7.30 pm</i>
Tuesday	Mass: 8.15am & 10am <i>Senior Citizens 12 - 3 pm</i>
Wednesday	Mass: 8.15am & 10am <i>Prayer of the Church: 9.45 am</i> <i>Pre-school 1 pm</i> <i>Legion of Mary 7 pm</i>
Thursday	Mass: 8.15am & 10 am <i>Thursday Club: 1.15 pm</i> <i>Adoration & Confession 7 pm</i>
Friday	Mass: 8.15am & 10 am <i>Toddlers 9.30 am</i> <i>Novena : after 10 am Mass</i>
Saturday	Mass: 10 am <i>Confessions after Mass</i>
Sunday	<i>Mass: 5.30pm (vigil) 10 am</i> <i>12 noon 6pm</i>



22nd June 2008 12th Sunday in Ordinary Time A

News

Pope's representative in the U.K is in the diocese to celebrate its 60th anniversary and 25th anniversary of Bishop Devine's coming to Motherwell Diocese. See next page for details.



We have managed to help the following charities over the last few weeks: China Red Cross appeal £1500; Burma Sciaf appeal £3200; Jericho Benedictines £1000; Columban Missionaries £1020; Pakistan A.C.N appeal £1236; S.I.R. 500

bags+. Thank you for all the good work that you have done.

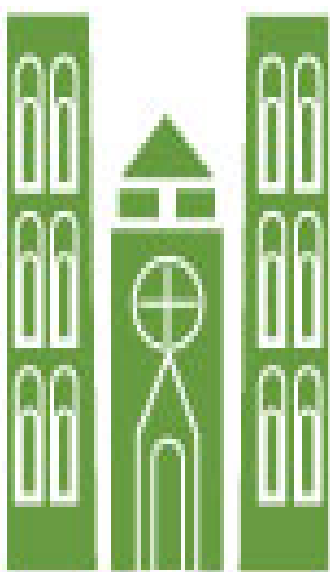
Thank you for those who stopped at the Legion of Mary stall two weeks ago. Anyone who is interested in their work please contact 583 2042

Peter's pence

This Sunday and the following Sunday I ask you to give extra in your collection for the support of Pope Benedict XVI. The collection is traditionally taken up on St

Peter and Paul's day. I ask you to be as generous as you can in the knowledge that we want to support Pope Benedict in his great work.

The feast of Peter and Paul is normally a holiday of obligation, this year the feast takes place on Sunday. The feast will, therefore be celebrated next Sunday in honour of the great saints of the Church.



News

Fr Morton will be away on Wednesday and Thursday to attend a family funeral in England. Fr Sebastian will cover parish duties at this time.

31st May was the Day for Life. Please remember to keep prayers for pro-life in your daily intentions. Pamphlets available at the back of the Church with useful contacts.

Canon Allison's celebrations continue in Letterkeney in Co Donegal on 4th July. We continue to send the Canon our good wishes.

Year of St Paul

On 28th June Pope Benedict will begin a year in honour of St Paul. This year is to celebrate and honour the apostle who brought the Gospel to the nations.

Icons

The new icon above the altar is of Christ our Saviour, divine Son of God, seated in the glory of heaven. The other images are of John the Baptist and the Virgin, each positioned beside Christ in glory, turned towards and pointing at him, to indicate the one who should take our attention. They are each bathed in gold, to remind us of the glory of God and the glory of heaven.

Children's Liturgy

The Children's Liturgy group met on Wednesday and set their plans over the next year. One of the

things that they hope to do is to recruit a new team of helpers, the aim of this is to renew the Children's Liturgy in the parish. During this coming year, because of reduced numbers in the group, Children's Liturgy will only be for the age group 4-8 years. See next page for their plans for what happens after summer until Christmas.

Papal Representative

Archbishop Sainz Munoz, the Pope's representative in Britain, will be visiting us to celebrate the 60th anniversary of Motherwell Diocese. In a three day visit he will have a civic reception (Friday), a Mass at the Cathedral, (Saturday) and Mass at Carfin (Sunday). The last day everyone is invited.

Rome

There will be a meeting of those going to Rome on 23rd June at 7.30 pm in the church hall.

St Margaret's

Our Catholic adoption agency placed 16 children with adoptive par-

ents in 2007. 23 couples are being prepared this year.

Silver Circle

Winner: Mrs T Kearns 96 Glasgow Rd

RCIA

Anyone wishing to enter the Catholic Church at Easter 2009 is asked to get in contact with Fr Morton as soon as possible. Also anyone who is interested in deepening their Catholic faith or finding out more about it can belong to this group which resumes in September 2008.

SVDP

Our parish SVDP group is organising a Mass for the sick on 28th June at 10 am. The Sacrament of the sick will be given at this Mass. If parishioners know of any sick person, please bring them along. Can you also provide your cars for possible transportation of the sick? Contact 642 9282. Also contact this telephone number if you need transportation to the Mass or put your name on the sheet at the back of the church.

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Children's Liturgy

31st August	<i>Fun Daye</i>
4th October	<i>Family Night</i>
14th December	<i>Christmas Party</i>
Advent	<i>Resources for children and families to keep Advent</i>

Senior Citizens' Club

Our Senior Citizens' club is organising a couple of bus runs: Dalkeith & Musselburgh (16th June); Largs (13th August); Saltcoates (7th September). Our Senior Citizens Club will also visit the Jericho Benedictines and give £1000 for help with their work.

Lay MCs

The Diocese is training lay MCs to help with the liturgical life of the Diocese. Anyone interested, please contact Fr Morton or Fr Stuart Parkes 01698 823896

Chaplaincy

If you are interested in lay chaplaincy in our Lanarkshire hospitals, positions are now being made available contact Rev Bob Devenney NHS, 14 Beckford St, Hamilton.

Scotus College

The National Seminary in Scotland is to have courses for lay people interested in theology and learning.

Silver Circle

Thank you for your support of the Silver Circle over the years. On the death of Mary Monaghan her daughter in law Lorraine has agreed to take over the Silver Circle. If you haven't paid over the last while you can pay Mary O'Farrell, Dan Lavery, Stall, Jean Mulholland or Michael Kenny. If you would like to join for the draw, please see any of these people or contact Lorraine at 641 7432

***Died Elizabeth Gallagher Anniversaries:
Elizabeth Dalton***