

# St Bride's - Parish Bulletin

## St Bride's Weekly Schedule

<b>Monday</b>	Mass: 8.15 am & 10am <i>Exposition of the Blessed Sacrament 10.30am-7 pm</i> <i>Benediction and Evening Prayer 7 pm</i> SVDP 7.30 pm
<b>Tuesday</b>	Mass: 8.15 am & 10am Tuesday Club resumes
<b>Wednesday</b>	Mass 8.15 am & 10 am Legion of Mary 7 pm
<b>Thursday</b>	Mass: 8.15 am & 10 am Thursday Club: 1.15 pm <i>Vigil Mass for the Assumption: 7 pm</i>
<b>Friday</b> <b>ASSUMPTION</b>	Mass: 10 am Novena : after 10 am Mass Indian Mass: 6 pm
<b>Saturday</b>	Mass: 8.15 am & 10 am <i>Confessions after Mass</i> <i>Indian Mass: 7 pm</i>
<b>Sunday</b>	Mass: 5.30pm (vigil) 10 am 12 noon 6pm



**Lourdes**

**1858-2008**

**10th August 2008 Year of St Paul 19 OT (A)**

## NEWS

Parishioners have returned from a very successful pilgrimage to Lourdes. This year was 150th anniversary of the apparitions at Lourdes. 30 parishioners joined the group of 700 people who were led by Bishop Devine.

There were many good aspects of the pilgrimage, not least the good contribution of 100 young people from the Diocese. Our own Fr Millar has been appointed co-director of the pilgrimage in succession to Fr John Kelly

The children's liturgy will be holding a special Family Fun Day on 31st August. The group ask for help with volunteers for the day and parishioners to provide home baking and prizes. Those at the meeting asked for more helpers. Please contact Maggie 641 5843

## HOLIDAY OF OBLIGATION

August 15th is the feast of the Assumption. This remains a holiday of obligation. The Masses will be (Vigil) 7 pm & 10 am. There will

be no evening Mass on the Friday. The same obligation and duty is present on this day as on Sunday.

retreat on 11th-15th August under the title *Bringing the Gospel to life*. They are also organising retreats for 25th-29th August and 1st-5th September. Contact: 01738 624075

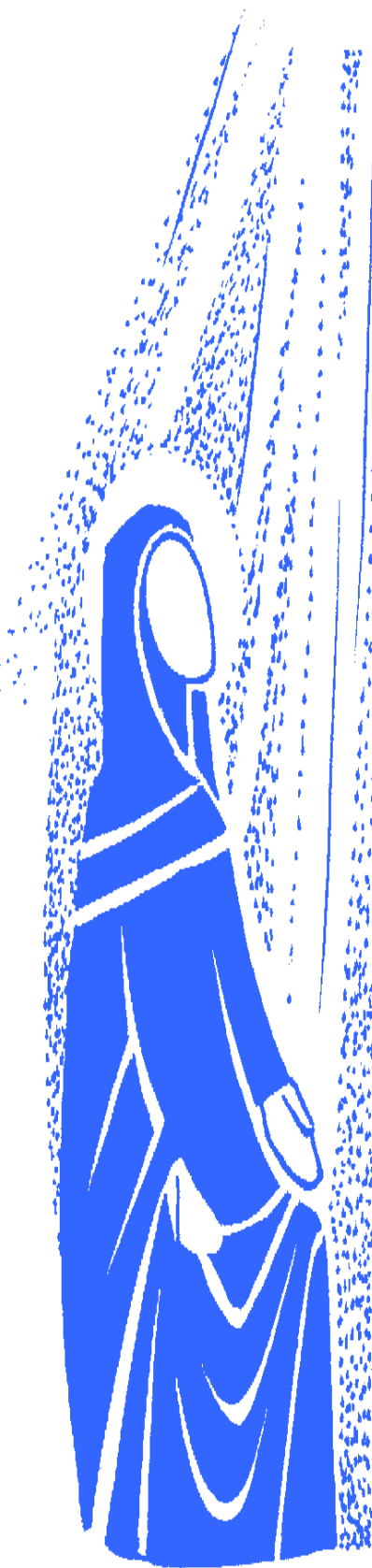
St Mary's, Kinnoul (Perth) is organising a

## PRO-LIFE—CLERGY—BULLETIN

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.

Fr Sebastian and Fr Michael will be covering the parish for the period in which I am on holiday. Any arrangements can be made with them for things coming up. .

*This Sunday will be the last of the parish bulletins for the next few weeks as Fr Morton will be away on summer holidays. If you have any notices, please let us know*



### Support

Dementia Support group resumes on 2nd September .

### 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.

### SSVP (Society of St Vincent de Paul)

SSVP will be celebrating the anniversary of the beatification of their founder at the Carfin on 23rd August at 2pm. List at the back of the Church

### ACN

**In September we will have a visit from a bishop in Pakistan who will receive the cheque for payment of 10,000 catechisms in Urdu.**

**Aid to the Church in Need will be organising a Ceili for our Pakistan project on 12th September. This will take place at the Cambuslang Institute and will feature the Inishowen Ceili Band. Tickets cost £10 and can be obtained from Maureen 583 1441 or Margaret 583 1187. Please return ACN boxes at this time and take a new box!**

### Permanent Deacon

We have been asked to take a person training for the permanent diaconate. This person is called, Mario Vaninni, and he comes from Hamilton. The permanent diaconate is the stage before priesthood and is open to married men. Mario will be doing his training with us over the next year.

### Fr John Irons

Fr John, who was ordained from our parish and who is working in the diocese of Motherwell, is taking up

a new appointment as parish priest of St. Mary's, Larkhall. He combines these duties with looking after Our Lady and St John's, his present parish.

### Sister Mary Josephine

Sister Mary Josephine (Annie Waddell) one of our parishioners who was in the convent for over 70 years has died. We thank God for the wonderful life of service that she gave to Him.

### Indian Community.

**The feast of the Assumption (15th August) is a very important feast for the Indian Community. An Indian Bishop, Rt Rev George Paliparambil (Diocese of Miao), will be here to celebrate the feast this year with Fr Sebastian and his group. There will be three days of celebration which will be brought to a conclusion with a procession in the streets around St Bride's.**

*Died Frank McPake; Sister Mary Josephine (Annie Waddell); May McIntyre Anniversaries: Brian McLaughlin; Winnie Gallagher; Margaret Falloon ; Anne Clarke; Jessica and Isabella Leadbetter; Mary Kelly; Mary McFadden*

## Catholic Education

September	Why do we have to go to Mass?
October	Holy Days of obligation
November	Islam
December	Bible and You
January	Pope Benedict
February	Pope Benedict's Encyclical: <i>Hope that saves</i>
March	Eucharist: <i>Sacrament of Charity</i>
April	Discerning Gifts
May	Pornography
June	Just War
July	Crusades

### Tuesday Club

The club resumes on 12th August. There will be a bus run to Largs on 13th August, leaving at 11.30 am

### SSVP

Looking for new members to play an active role in supporting the poor. Contact Fr Morton or a member of the Conference.

### 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

### Toddlers

The Toddlers will resume on the week commencing 18th August. The leaders would like those who are interested to know that there are places on both the Monday and Friday. If you wish to register your child please telephone 641 1171. Also, there will be photographs taken on 11th August by a professional photographer, please telephone the same number above if you wish to reserve a place.

### Parish Day

The next parish day at Carfin will be 18th August. A bus will take anyone wishing to go to 1 pm Mass on that day - please put name down. Evening prayer at 8 pm

### Gift Aid & Collections

Please join the Gift Aid Scheme, if you pay tax. Please be generous to the support of the parish through collections.