

St. Bride's - Parish Bulletin

In those day and at that time I will make a virtuous
branch grow from David

Jeremiah 33:14



*Do pass on a big thank you to Margaret Hughes, the ACN Group at St Brides and to all the parishioners for their fantastic fundraising efforts, the sum of £14,500 is amazing. We are assigning £9,000 to help Sr Claudine and the Sisters of the Resurrection in Democratic Republic of Congo and £5,500 to help with the support of youth work and religious communities in Vietnam. Once again, St Brides, Cambuslang has shone with compassion and love for Christians in need. **Neville Kyrke-Smith** (ACN)*

Aid to the Church in Need

£14,500 was raised for the two projects in the parish. What amazing generosity! Thank you to all who attended the Mass and all who helped in any way. *ACN on cards on sale after Mass this weekend.*

Westburn Cemetery

Thank you to all those who attended the prayers at Westburn cemetery.

Parish Diaries

Parish diaries have arrived on time this year! They are 12 month diaries as opposed to 11 months you normally get! Donation of £1 will go to charity. 150 sold last weekend.

Feast of St Andrew

The feast of the National patron is on Monday. Mass at 10 am; 11.15am & 7 pm on that day.

St Charles' PS, Newton

Christmas Fayre on 4th December 2-4 pm. All welcome.

Dementia Carers

The Carers support group will be in the parish house at 7 pm on Tuesday (1st December)

Website

The parish website is being renewed. Among the planned changes are ones that will allow for easier access to material on the pages; some of the images will also be changed. New items have been added to the education page and it is hoped that items will be added to this each week as well as the news page. Please send in photographs of school groups, first communions, weddings and parish events over the years. It is also hoped to include a video section on the website.

Christmas Party - Senior Citizens

The Christmas party for the senior citizens in the parish will be on 12th December. Please put your name down on the sheet at the back of the church

Christmas Party - Children

Children's Christmas party will be on 13th December. Please put names on the sheet at the back of the church.

First Sunday in Advent (C)

Lourdes 2010

Please put down names at the back of the church.

Windows

Thanks for the support for the window fund this year. Parishioners have donated **£9233.25** over 2009. We are looking at a project next year to do something similar with the windows in the parish house. Like the work in the church, these would create a greater harmony in the building. New collection envelopes available for those who **wish** to help and **can** help.

Rome 2010

Please put your name down for Rome 2010

Fatima

Check the display on the boards or the parish website.

Community Carol Service

The service will be at Cambuslang Church (St Andrew's building) on 29th November at 2.30pm.

Diocesan Youth Team

Taize: Prayer Evening (every first Sunday of the month at 7pm)
Carfin

Alma: Volunteers for Lourdes youth helpers contact 01698 269114

Topical Tuesday: discussion forum every Tuesday at Diocesan Centre 7.30 pm

Wave

There will be a big march in Glasgow on 5th December in support for action on climate change - sciaf.org.uk/whatson. 13th December - Climate Action day for faith communities.

Sciaf

Real gift booklets for Christmas from Sciaf at the back of the church. *Also sign up to make Cambuslang a Fairtrade town!*

Pastoral Centre

- *Exploring and living Adult Faith: 8th May 2010 (£7)*
- *Advent Meditations: 2nd December (£2.50)*
- *Lenten Meditations: 24th February & 3rd March 2010 (£2.50)*

Contact: 01698 385397

Tablet

Tablet on sale in the stall.

India 2010

Trip to India in November 2010.

Nativity Set

Winner of the prize draw Anne Marie Laidlaw

Innocents Draw

No prize winners of the recent diocesan raffle to help the Innocents - again!

Cubs

More help needed.

Year of Luke

St Luke was a gentile who was also believed to be a doctor (St Paul's letter to the Colossians). His Gospel is written to Theophilus, a serious enquirer about the life of Jesus. Luke's Gospel is written in clear Greek and with access to careful research and also with the help of his companion, St Paul. Luke is writing for Gentiles and consequently gives explanations of places and rituals in the Jewish faith. He has many themes which include: prayer, the importance of women, care for the poor and the message being for all. In his Gospel he also sets out the love of God that has come through Jesus and recounts some of the most wonderful parables of Jesus: the Prodigal Son, the Good Samaritan etc

Silver Circle Winner

22nd November: £20 Evelyn Harty
73 Dukes Rd £20

Died: Rose Gorman; Gerard Mooney; Edward Matheson; Frankie Loughran; Francis McVey
Anniversaries; Hugh & Agnes Maclean; John Trainer; Frankie Andrews

First Advent (C)

Monday St Andrew	Toddlers 9.30 am Masses: 10am 11.15 & 7pm Exposition of the Blessed Sacrament until 7pm SVDP 7.30 pm
Tuesday	Mass: 10 am Senior Citizens: 12 noon St Bride's Youth Drama 6.30 pm Dementia Carers 7pm
Wednesday	Toddlers 9.30am Morning Prayer 9.45am Mass: 10 am Legion 7 pm RCIA 7.30pm
Thursday St. Francis Xavier	Mass: 10am Golden Group 1.30 pm Benediction and Confession 7-8pm AA 8 pm
Friday	Toddlers 9.30 am Mass: 10 am Novena after Mass
Saturday	Mass: 10 am Confessions after 10 am Mass
Sunday	Masses: 5.30 pm (Vigil) 10 am & 12 noon & 6pm 3.30 pm (Indian)

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