

St Patrick's Parish Bulletin



5th Sunday of Lent – 6th April 2025

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MASSES and SERVICES

Monday

9.30 am Rosary

10.00 am Funeral Mass for Margaret Fallon

Wednesday

9.30 am Rosary

10.00 am Daily Mass

Thursday

9.30 am Rosary

10.00 am Daily Mass

Exposition of the Blessed Sacrament

6.00 pm to 7.00 pm

Stations of the Cross 7.00 pm

Saturday

4.00 pm Sunday Vigil Mass

Sunday

9.30 am Sunday Mass

CONFESSIONS

During the Rosary on Thursday morning and 6.00 pm to 7.00 pm during Exposition of the Blessed Sacrament and 3.30 pm to 4.00 pm before the Vigil Mass



Stations of the Cross here in St Patrick's, Thursdays at 7.00 pm.



RIP: Joe Canavan, Mary McGuigan, Frank Cunningham, Margaret Fallon.

MONTH'S MINDS & ANNIVERSARIES: Jim Wotherspoon, Neil Murray, Mary Templeton, Terry and Neillie Fernon, Tillie Malpass, Joseph McGuigan.

SICK: Liz Phillips, Maureen Thompson, Janette Connor, Mary Jackson, John Dobbin, Marie McDonald, Roseleen Daly-Higgins, Theresa Gilgunn, Jean Reilly, Anne Rocks, Joseph Hawthorne, Ann Kenny.

FUNERAL ARRANGEMENTS: Margaret Fallon's remains will be brought to the Church on Monday morning prior to the Morning Mass.

INVITATION FROM BISHOP TOAL

As in previous years, the Mass of Chrism in Motherwell Diocese will be celebrated on Holy Thursday morning in Our Lady of Good Aid Cathedral at 11am. As Bishop, I extend an invitation to all the faithful of the Diocese to attend and look forward to welcoming you there. At this Solemn Mass, I bless the Oils to be used in the celebration of the Sacraments in the parishes through the year ahead, while the priests renew the promises made at ordination. The full contents of his letter are on our website.

JOIN THE AFRICAN CATHOLIC COMMUNITY IN THE MOTHERWELL DIOCESE!

Come and be part of a vibrant and welcoming community celebrating faith, culture and friendship. There is a Mass every Sunday of the month at 1.00 pm here in St Patrick's Church, Craigneuk ML2 7TH. Together let's celebrate the Eucharist, share in our rich traditions and grow as a community united in Christ. Bring you family and friends.

WE LOOK FORWARD TO WELCOMING YOU!

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Visit our Parish Website

www.stpatricksshieldmuir.co.uk

Parish bulletins and other information will be uploaded here.

Please get in touch with Fr Mallya if you have notices for the website.



PARISH INCOME

Parish income:	£790.25
SCIAF:	£516.73
Sort Code:	80 12 97
Account number:	10243263

**DIOCESAN
JUSTICE AND
PEACE GROUP**

The initial meeting of the Diocesan Justice and Peace Group will take place on Thursday 22nd May at 7.30 pm in the Diocesan Offices, preceded by Mass in Motherwell Cathedral at 7.00 pm.

**Gospels and
Ceremonies of Lent**

During Lent on Wednesday evenings at 7.00 pm in the Church meeting room of Sacred Heart Church, Bellshill. We will reflect on and study the Gospel texts of Lent and some of the ceremonies of Lent and Holy Week as we prepare for Easter.

HOLY LAND TALK

Anne-Marie Clements, Catholic Social Teaching Engagement Office at Justice and Peace Scotland, will present a talk on her recent journey to the Holy Land with Archbishop Bill Nolan of Glasgow Archdiocese, in the Diocesan Offices on Tuesday 8th April at 7.30 pm.

Ladies' Day in the Hall on Sunday 4th May from 1.00 pm to 6.00 pm. Entertainment and buffet will be provided. Bring your own bottle. Tickets @ £10.00 are available from members of the Hall Committee at the back of the Church or by calling the dedicated Hall telephone number (top of the Bulletin).



The next meeting of the Hall Committee is on Thursday April 10th at 7.00 pm in the Lesser Hall.

If you made a booking with the outgoing Hall Committee, especially for May, it is **very** important you contact the new Committee on the dedicated Hall telephone number asap!

**PRAYER TO ST
MICHAEL**

St 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 hosts, by the power of God, case into hell Satan and all the other evil spirits who wander through the world, seeking the ruin of souls.

PRAY THE STATIONS OF THE CROSS EVERY MONDAY IN LENT

Organised by the Bishops' Conference Marriage, Family and Life Office, we will be praying for the unborn, their mothers and all pro-life intentions every Monday in Lent from 7.45 pm on Zoom. Each session will include a brief reflection from a member of the clergy. For more details, please see the Parish Website:

www.stpatricksshieldmuir.co.uk

The Zoom link is: <https://bit.ly/stations25>

The table below shows where/when Churches in our area provide Lenten Services

DAY	LOCATION	ADORATION OF THE BLESSED SACRAMENT	STATIONS OF THE CROSS
Monday	St Mary's, Lanark	10.00 am – 12.00 noon	12.00 noon
Monday	St Ignatius', Wishaw	6.00 pm – 7.00 pm	7.00 pm
Tuesday	St Aidan's, Coltness	10.30 am – 12.00 noon	12.00 noon
Tuesday	St Athanasius', Carluke	6.00 pm – 7.00 pm	7.00 pm
Wednesday	St Ignatius', Wishaw	10.00 am – 12.00 noon	12.00 noon
Thursday	St Patrick's, Craigneuk	6.00 pm – 7.00 pm	7.00 pm
Friday	St Mary's, Cleland	10.00 am – 12.00 noon	12.00 noon
Saturday	St Mary's, Lanark	10.00 am – 12.00 noon	12.00 noon
Saturday	St Thomas', Wishaw	4.30 pm – 5.00 pm	4.00 pm

Cash Bingo every Wednesday. Eyes down at 7.30 pm. Come along and enjoy a chat a cup of tea and, of course, a game of Bingo! Everyone over the age of 18 years is most welcome to play.

OUR CHARITY SHOP IS OPEN TUESDAYS AND THURSDAYS FROM 11.00 am UNTIL 2.00 pm. PLEASE COME ALONG AND SEE WHAT'S ON SALE. THERE ARE ALWAYS PLENTY OF BARGAINS ON OFFER!

Please continue your support by bringing food items to go to the food bank for the area. These items can be left in the box at the back of Church before each Mass.