

St Patrick's Parish Bulletin

14th Sunday of the Year – 6th July 2025

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MASSES and SERVICES

Monday

9.30 am Rosary

10.00 am Daily Mass

Wednesday

9.30 am Rosary

10.00 am Funeral Mass for Ellen McCabe

Thursday

9.30 am Rosary

10.00 am Funeral Mass for James Hayes

Saturday

Vigil Mass 4.00 pm

Sunday

9.30 am Sunday Mass

THIS SUNDAY IS "SEA SUNDAY"

Wednesday: Our Lady of Aberdeen

Friday: St Benedict

RIP: Ellen McCabe, James Hayes, Irene Smith, Tommy M Cliens, Geordie Bell, Terry McCann (St Brendan's), John Slavin (St Ignatius').

MONTH'S MINDS & ANNIVERSARIES:

Patrick Plunkett, Denis Higgins, Alec, Pat and Betty Rielly, Peter Francis McGough, Bridget (Cissie) McGough, James Mays (Snr), Mary Cashmore, Scott Macpherson, Margaret McKeown, Mr and Mrs John and Margaret McCourt, Mrs Elizabeth Outerson, Mr and Mrs William and Margaret Cook, Tom, Peter and Michael Boyle.

SICK: Liz Phillips, Maureen Thompson, Janette Connor, Mary Jackson, John Dobbin, Marie McDonald, Roseleen Daly-Higgins, Theresa Gilgunn, Jean Reilly, Joseph Hawthorne, Ann Kenny, Margaret McCluskey, Dar Simpson, Kevin Kennedy.



CONFESSIONS

Thursday 9.30 am

Saturday 3.30 pm



Rev. Chris Furmage's ordination to the Priesthood by Bishop Tolan takes place on Thursday, 3rd July at 6.30pm in St Augustine's, Coatbridge.
All are welcome to attend.

Fr. Ricklan is celebrating the 25th anniversary of his religious profession (his vows) in the Spiritan Congregation.

Thanksgiving Mass for him takes place on Friday July 25th at 7.00 pm



FUNERAL ARRANGEMENTS

Ellen McCabe's remains will be received into the Church on Wednesday 9th July prior to Mass at 10.00 am.

James Hayes's remains will be received into the Church on Thursday 10th July prior to Mass at 10.00 am.

HALL COMMITTEE / AUTUMN FAYRE

We are starting to plan for this year's Autumn Fayre which takes place on Saturday 20th September at 1.00 pm. We would like to allocate most of the duties before people go on holiday. We will meet again at the start of August to get the arrangements underway. This year, more than ever, we need a successful Fayre to cover the many repairs to the Church, especially the roof which is now allowing water ingress. If you would like to help, please hand in your name into the Sacristy or Stall. Meantime we are looking for donations for the various stalls such as bottles of wine and spirit, unwanted gifts....in fact, just about anything which we can sell! We are also looking for people who can bake and make tablet etc. Raffle tickets will be on sale at all Masses from this week. If you can help sell or perhaps take some books for your family and friends, please speak to the sellers at any of the Masses this weekend. We hope you have a relaxing holiday and come back at the start of August to get the Fayre underway.



To celebrate World Day for Grandparents, the National Marriage, Family and Life Commission invites everyone to St Francis Xavier's for Mass at 3.00 pm on Sunday 27th July. Please come along and support this inter-generational event.

We still have memorial plaques for sale. The cost is £150.00 with a deposit of £50.00 required on ordering. Forms are available from the Stall or Sacristy.

As part of the 150th anniversary celebrations OLHS are hosting a fundraising dinner on 22nd August in Dalziel Park, when we will celebrate the life and history of the Our Lady's community past and present. The evening will be hosted by Peter Martin and includes a 3-course meal, drink on arrival, auction, raffles, games and disco. Tickets are £50. Please gather your old friends together, bring all your family members associated with the school and join us for a fantastic evening celebrating our *Alma mater*. Tickets can be purchased via school, or email olhs150dinner@gmail.com. Bank transfers to sort code 80-09-15 Account no. 00693485 or from the school.



THE CHARITY SHOP IS PRESENTLY CLOSED DUE TO HOLIDAYS. WE WILL RE-OPEN ON TUESDAY 29th JULY AT 11.00 am

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.



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.**

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, cast into hell Satan and all the other evil spirits who wander through the world, seeking the ruin of souls.

PARISH INCOME

Parish income:	£811.34
Second collection:	£571.54
Sort Code:	80 12 97
Account number:	10243263