

St Patrick's Parish Bulletin

20th Sunday of the Year – 17th August 2025

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MASSES and SERVICES

Monday

9.30 am Rosary

10.00 am Funeral Mass for Alan Scott
Gray

Wednesday

9.30 am Rosary

10.00 am Daily Mass

Thursday

9.30 am Rosary

10.00 am Daily Mass

Saturday

Vigil Mass 4.00 pm

Sunday

9.30 am Sunday Mass

Wednesday: St Bernard

Thursday: St Pius X

Friday: The Queenship of the Blessed Virgin
Mary

RIP: Catherine Madden (Glasgow), Pam Denton (Livingston), Kathleen McCrossan (St Mary's, Cleland), Alan Scott Gray, Lillian Mallya, Julie Semple.

MONTH'S MINDS & ANNIVERSARIES:

Isobel Cullen, Elizabeth Rielly, William McLaughlin, Mark Duffy, Rosemary McCafferty, George Irving, Mary Cummings, Michael and Teresa Greenan.

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

BIRTHDAY REMEMBRANCE: John McKeown



CONFESSIONS

Thursday 9.30 am

Saturday 3.30 pm

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.

Funeral Mass

Alan Scott Gray's remains will be received into the Church on Sunday evening at 6.00 pm. His Funeral Mass will be on Monday at 10.00 am.

THANKSGIVING AND PRESENTATION MASS FOR FR JAMES

Father James will be retiring at the end of August after 52 years serving God in the missions and parishes in the Diocese. A truly remarkable life! To show our appreciation of his time with us, we will be organising a thanksgiving Mass for him at 7.00 pm on Friday September 5th in St Patrick's, Shieldmuir along with St Brendan's and hopefully, St Bernadette's. After this Mass, there will be a reception for him in the Parochial Hall. If you would like to contribute to his presentation, please use the box provided at the back of the Church. We will keep this box out for the next 3 weeks. Many thanks in anticipation.

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.

THE CHARITY SHOP OPENS 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.



Visit our Parish Website
www.stpatrickssshieldmuir.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:	£901.59
Sort Code:	80 12 97
Account number:	10243263