

St Patrick's Parish Bulletin



4th Sunday of the Year

1st February 2026

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MASSES and SERVICES

Monday

9.30 am Rosary
10.00 am Daily Mass

Wednesday

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10.00 am Daily Mass

Thursday

9.00 Exposition of the Blessed Sacrament
9.30 Divine Mercy Chaplet
10.00 am Morning Mass

Saturday

Vigil Mass 4.00 pm

Sunday

9.30 am Sunday Mass



The Presentation of the Lord

Thursday: St Agatha

Friday: St Paul Miki and Companions

RIP: Nancy Baird, Peter Ferguson (St Bernadette's), Nicholas Lamarra (Cathedral), Mary McAllistair, Catherine Reilly.

MONTH'S MINDS & ANNIVERSARIES: Winnifred Docherty Mullen, John Hughes, Elizabeth Boyle, Catherine McGlinchey, Bernard Smith, Elda Dougal, George, Mary and Billy O'Neill, Jimmy Corry, Norah Butcher, Joseph Syme (Joe), Greig George McGregor.

SICK: Liz Phillips, Maureen Thompson, Janette Connor, 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, May McCrossan, Margaret Rose McDade.

BIRTHDAY REMEMBRANCE: Jimmy Johnstone.



CONFESSIONS
Thursday 9.30 am
Saturday 3.30 pm

Exposition of the Blessed Sacrament and the Divine Mercy Chaplet resume on Thursdays from 9.00 am

Fr Ricklan will be away from the Parish from January 6 until February 16 during which time he will have several weeks of vacation. In addition, he will be attending a 10-day Spiritans' Conference. Please offer your support to Fr Bernard during this time. Many thanks.

There are still a few spaces for memorial plaques to honour your loved ones. Order forms for these can be obtained from the stall. Cost per plaque is £150.00, a £50.00 deposit is required when ordering. The remaining amount to be paid when the plaque is installed in the garden. Please speak to John McLelland for further information. We have 4 plaques ready to install but due to the weather, this has not been possible just now, but you can view these plaques in the Sacristy. We will do our very best to have the installations completed as soon as possible. Thank you for your patience.



Our first event of 2026 is our St Patrick's Dance. Join us on Saturday March 14th until late.

Tickets £12.00 include pie and peas and entertainment from the fabulous Claire Devine.

Bring your own bottle.

For more information or to buy your ticket, contact Tricia on 07954 718943

Young Adults' Cathedral Night

This takes place on February 8th at 7.30 pm in Motherwell Cathedral for all S6s and 16-30 year olds. An evening of talks, Eucharistic Adoration, confessions, live music and social. For more information contact freilly@rcdom.org.uk

Many thanks to everyone who has joined and the made the "300 Club" possible. The first draw will take place this Saturday, 31st January, after the Vigil Mass at the back of the Church. 1st prize £100.00, 2nd £50.00, 3rd £25.00. Membership for the 300 Club is now closed but will re-open in December.

Vocation evening on Sunday February 1st in the Cathedral at 7.30 pm

An evening for men who may be considering a vocation to the priesthood. Through prayer and reflection, participants will have the opportunity to learn more about the priestly life and the process of discernment in a supportive and welcoming environment.

SCIAF "Wee Box Lent Appeal"

Lent is only a few weeks away, starting with Ash Wednesday on 18th February. The Wee Boxes are now available at the back of the Church. Please take one and help raise much needed funds for the Scottish Catholic Aid Fund and return it by Holy Thursday.



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

Sunday:	£1008.41
Sort Code:	80 12 97
Account number:	10243263

CHARITY SHOP

Open on Tuesdays and Thursdays from 11.00 am to 2.00 pm.