

ST PATRICK'S PARISH BULLETIN

5th Sunday of Easter 10th May 2026

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St Patrick's Breastplate



Christ with me,
Christ before me,
Christ behind me,
Christ in me,
Christ beneath me,
Christ above me,
Christ on my right,
Christ on my left,
Christ when I lie down,
Christ when I sit down,
Christ when I arise,
Christ in the heart of every man who
thinks of me,
Christ in the mouth of everyone who
speaks of me,
Christ in every eye that sees me,
Christ in every ear that hears me.



Thursday 14th May is the
Solemnity of the Ascension of
the Lord and is a
Holy Day of Obligation

MASSES and SERVICES

Monday

9.30 am Rosary 

10.00 am Daily Mass

Wednesday

 9.30 am Rosary

10.00 am Daily Mass

Vigil Mass for the

Ascension of the Lord 7.00 pm

Thursday

 9.15 am Rosary

Mass for the Ascension of the Lord

10.00 am

Saturday

4.00 pm Vigil Mass

Sunday

9.30 am Sunday Mass

Pope Leo's Monthly Prayer Intention for May: That everyone might have food. Let us pray that everyone, from large producers to small consumers, be committed to avoid wasting food and to ensure that everyone has access to quality food.



POPE LEO XIV

RIP: Frankie Corry (Uddingston), John Paul McCafferty, Tom Cook, Rose Daly (Dobbin).

MONTH'S MINDS & ANNIVERSARIES: Jean Meechan, Sean Delaney, Michael Kerr, Martin and Billy Johnstone, John and Ian Dougal, David Phillips, James and Jeannie McKay

BIRTHDAY REMEMBRANCE: Isabelle Cullen.

MASS BOUQUET: Sister Mary Stephen of the Trinity.

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, Margaret Rose McDade, Martha Matheson, Elizabeth Hobson.

Sunday 17th May is World Communications day, and a second collection will be taken up for the apostolate of communications

FIRST HOLY COMMUNIONS

These will take place on
Saturday 16th May at 12.00 pm



CONFESSIONS
Thursday 9.30 am
Saturday 3.30 pm



URGENT HELP NEEDED

Saint Vincent de Paul Furniture Project.
Netherton Industrial Estate Wishaw ML2 0ER.
Office Hours Wednesday & Thursday 11am - 3pm.

*Go to the poor,
you will find God*

If you, or someone you may know, has a spare hour or two once a month and willing to help out in the warehouse or on the delivery vans please contact the furniture project office on 01698 372599 or contact a member of SSVp in your parish.

There is a "Festival of Synodality
in Glasgow Caledonian
University on Saturday June 6th
from 9.00 am to 4.00 pm.

Youth Ministry resource
evening on May 19th at 6.30
pm in the Diocesan Centre
ML1 1PP.

**MARIAN
DEVOTIONS**
During May in
St Augustine's,
Coatbridge,
every Tuesday
at 7.00 pm
rosary and
Benediction

The price is £15.00.
Scan the QR code
to book a place.



NOTICES FOR THE BULLETIN
Please ensure all notices for the Bulletin are
handed in by Thursday evening at the latest
to ensure their publication. Many thanks for
your co-operation



WHITE FLOWER APPEAL 2026

John Deighan, Chief Executive of the Society for the Protection of the Unborn (SPUC), has written to the Parish to express an appreciation of our contribution towards this year's White Flower Appeal. The sum of £524.36 was raised and John says: "I can't thank you enough for your support and for all you do for the defence of unborn babies in the UK."



We are looking for volunteers to help steward the Church. Could you spare 1 hour a month to help? Also, church cleaners are needed for 1 hour every 2 weeks. If you are willing to do this for your Parish, please contact John McLelland or hand your name into the stall.

CATHEDRAL SUNDAY NIGHT 14TH JUNE.

The final Cathedral night of this session takes place on Sunday 14th June at 7.30pm in Motherwell Cathedral. We'll have a special panel of young adults speaking about their journey of faith, plus the usual beautiful music, adoration of the Blessed Sacrament, and social time afterwards. We'll conclude the year with a barbecue. All young adults are most welcome.

MEMORIAL PLAQUES

As the weather has now changed, we hope to have the remaining plaques installed in the garden. We still have around 24 places left for plaques. If you would like one of these, please speak to John McLelland. Forms are available in the Church Stall and Sacristy. Thank you for patience.

We have received this message from SCIAF. "I would love to say thank you from the bottom of our hearts for your generous donation of £793.94. Every person, every Christian, is like a chain that keeps us tethered to Christ" Sister Mana, Ethiopia and Michael and Maria of SCIAF Community Engagement Team.

PARISH INCOME

Sunday:	£792.91
Sort Code:	80 12 97
Account number:	10243263

CHARITY SHOP

Open Tuesdays and
Thursday from 11.00 am to
2.00 pm

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.**