

ST. LEONARD'S

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22nd Sunday of the Year (A)

3rd September, 2017

HOLY MASS

Sunday: 6.00pm (vigil); 10 am, 12 noon; 5.15pm

Weekday: 10.00am

CONFESSIONS

Daily: 9.40 – 10.00am

Saturday: 5.30 – 6.00pm

WEDDINGS & BAPTISMS

Baptisms are celebrated on the first and third Sundays of each month. Please speak to Fr. Dominic to arrange above sacraments

EUCCHARISTIC ADORATION

Thursday evenings from 7.00pm.– 8.00pm.

(including Night Prayer & Novena)

Feast Days this week

Monday **St. Cuthbert**

Friday **Birthday of Our Blessed Lady**

Saturday **St. Peter Claver**

PRAYER REQUESTS

Sick: John Cannon Jnr., Maureen Croke, Rhys Crossan, Margaret Hunter, Beau Johnston, Gerry Kelly, Joe Kelly (Pollockshaws), Gerald MacEwan, Joe McGettigan, Kathleen McIntyre, Paul Quinn, George Rawson, Elizabeth Rayner, Molly & Peter Rooney, Frank Tierney, Mary Jo Walsh, Selina Nugent, Tess Murray, Maureen Chandler, Helen Campbell, Angela Doyle, Veronica Gilday, Pauline Sainbury, Catherine Sharkey, Nancy Cannon.

Anniversary: John Grant, Gary Cairns, Betty McAllister, Jim Tulley

PARISH STEWARDSHIP

Thank you for your contribution to last Sunday's collection. £ 1121.00

FIRST COMMUNION MEETING

All parents wishing to present their child for the celebration of First Holy Communion in St. Leonard's parish are invited to attend a meeting in the church on Tuesday 19th September, at 7.00pm.

PARISH MEETING

All parishioners are invited to attend a pastoral planning meeting on Tuesday 26th September in the church at 7.00pm. The purpose of the meeting is to discuss pastoral initiatives for the coming year. Please come along with your ideas, energy and enthusiasm.



The National Pilgrimage to Carfin in honour of Our Lady of Fatima, to consecrate our country to the Immaculate Heart of Mary, takes place today 3rd September at 3:00pm. Principal Celebrant – Archbishop Philip Tartaglia. Homilist – Bishop Brian McGee.

Our parish pilgrimage to Carfin will take place on Thursday 7th September 11:00am to 3:45pm. If your wish to travel on the parish bus please put your name on the list which will be available at the church porch.

Third World: Coffee morning after 10am and 12.00 Mass in the Hall. All welcome.

Fr. Tata sends his thanks for the donation for the Yemenge school project in Cameroon. He is praying for the parish of St. Leonard's.

Fatima Evening in the church hall on Wednesday, 13th September at 7.00pm. Meet informed Catholics speaking about Fatima – your questions answered. Refreshments provided. All welcome.

Kilbryde Hospice: 1. **Race Night** - Saturday 2nd September in St. Bride's Church Hall from 7:00pm. Tickets £7.50. Light Buffet.

2. **An Evening with Brendan Rodgers** - Thursday 21st September in Celtic Park with a 3-course meal. Cost - £100 per person/£1,000 per table of 10. Contact Kilbryde Hospice – 202020.

SPRED: We would love you to join us! If you would like to help a friend on their faith journey, and enhance your own, please get in touch. No experience needed! We are badly in need of helpers and friends to secure the future of SPRED in our Diocese Please contact: - Lorraine Cunningham. Special Religious Development, 78 Main St. Cleland, ML1 5QR. Mob. 07891 297716 Email: spredmotherwell@rcdom.org.uk

R.C.I.A. If you are interested in joining the Catholic Faith, please contact Fr. Dominic.

SSVP. Help Line: 07842 08 52 84 Please call between the hours of 10:45 am and 6:00pm.

Food Bank: We urgently need donations of **ALL** tinned and packet food, also U.H.T. milk and squash.

MacMillan Coffee Morning: Our parish has registered to be part of the World's Biggest Coffee Morning on Friday 29 September. We hope that you will be able to support Macmillan Cancer Care in the splendid work they do. Please watch this space for further details of this parish event.

Please see, below, text of a Parliamentary Motion lodged by Elaine Smith MSP calling on Parliament to recognise Sunday's Consecration to the Immaculate Heart of Mary. The motion is also supported by Stewart Stevenson MSP and Richard Lyle MSP.

Full text of motion:

'That the Parliament recognises that Scotland's Catholic bishops will consecrate the nation to the Immaculate Heart of Mary on 3 September 2017; understands that the bishops will pray for Scotland at the Marian Shrine at the Carfin Grotto, near Motherwell, asking that Scotland be energised with a renewed desire to seek the truth, and understands that at the same time they will pray for all parliamentarians and government, so that they will play their part in building a true civilisation of love and strive to create a place where all people are valued, a place where poor, lonely and marginalised people are not forgotten, and a place where people are free to practise their faith.'