

ROMAN CATHOLIC DIOCESE OF MOTHERWELL

ST. LEONARD'S

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30th Sunday of the Year (A) - 29th October 2017

HOLY MASS

Sunday: Vigil 6:00pm, 10:00am, 12:00noon and 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 Sunday of the month.

Please speak to Fr. Dominic to arrange above sacraments

HOLY HOUR

Thursday evenings: Holy Mass at 7:00pm during November

FEAST DAYS

Wednesday – **Solemnity of All Saints.** Thursday - Commemoration of **All Souls.**

Friday – **St. Martin de Porres.** Saturday – **St. Charles Borromeo.**

PRAYER REQUESTS

Sick: Nancy Cannon, John Cannon Jr., Maureen Croke, Rhys Crossan, Beau Johnston, Gerry Kelly, Joe Kelly, Gerald MacEwan, Joe McGettigan, Kathleen McIntyre, Paul Quinn, George Rawson, Elizabeth Rayner, Frank Tierney, Molly Rooney, Mary Jo Walsh, Catherine Sharkey, Andrew Young, Margaret Armstrong, Amer Khan, Aaron Matthew Hosie.

Recently deceased: Tony Browning, Eddie Coccozza, Elsie McCrossan.

Anniversary: Hugh Craig.

PARISH STEWARDSHIP

Thank you for your contribution to last Sunday's collection. £1,292.00

World Mission Sunday -- Missio Scotland:

A special collection will be taken up this Weekend to support the work of Missio Scotland.

Solemnity of All Saints – Holiday of Obligation:

Wednesday 1st November – Holy Mass will be celebrated at 10:00am and 6:00pm.

Commemoration of All Souls:

Thursday 2nd November. Although not a Holyday of Obligation, this commemoration encourages us to make a special effort to celebrate Holy Mass and to pray for our departed loved ones.

Holy Mass will be celebrated at 7:00am 10:00am and 7:00pm.

November – Month of Prayer for the Holy Souls:

During the month of November the Church prays even more intensely for our departed loved ones, in the knowledge that we are still united with them by bonds of love, expressed in prayer. Holy Mass, throughout the month of November, will be celebrated for our dead, including the provision of an evening Mass every Thursday at 7:00pm (this Mass will replace the Holy Hour during November). Please complete and return a "November List", recording the names of your departed loved ones. These lists will be placed on the altar during November and Holy Mass will be offered for all the faithful departed.

50th Anniversary of Abortion Bill – Bishops’ Pastoral Letter:

Please take a copy of the Bishops’ Letter marking the 50th Anniversary of the Abortion Act in the UK. The Bishops restate the Church’s teaching on the sanctity of human life and its compassionate accompaniment of those who believe that abortion is the only solution at a time of personal crisis.

Society of The Innocents:

Please support the Annual Draw for the Society of The Innocents. Raffle tickets are available at the stall.

Third World: No Tea & Coffees this Sunday – 29th October.

This is to allow our Caritas students to prepare for the Children’s Halloween Party.

Halloween party for P1 – P3 - Sunday 29th October 2:00pm to 4:00pm.

Our Parish Caritas candidates are organizing a Halloween Party for the children and invite all P1 – P3 children to come along and join in the fun. Prizes will be awarded for the best costumes.

Choir Practice: Meeting every Monday from 7:00pm. New members welcome.

Coffee Morning: Tuesday morning downstairs in the hall after 10:00 a.m. Mass

Altar Servers: Next meeting for Altar Servers will be Tuesday 31st October from 5:00pm to 5:30pm. All servers should attend this meeting. New servers are always welcome.

R.C.I.A. The RCIA group will meet on Tuesday evening at 6:00pm, in the Presbytery. If you wish to learn more about the Catholic Faith, with a view to membership, please come along.

Fernhill School Open Day:

Thursday 2nd November. Nursery 10:00am to 4:00pm. School 7:00pm to 9:00pm. Pupils aged 2 - 18 years. Fernbrae Avenue, Burnside, Glasgow G73 4SG. Tel No. 0141 634 2674 www.fernhill-school.com

St. Leonard’s Primary School – Ladies Night: Friday 3rd November 7:00pm to 11:00pm. Tickets £3 from school office or PTA members or pay at the door. BYOB.

Celebrating 50 years of Christian Life in the Parish of St. Leonard’s

Holy Mass will be celebrated on Monday 6th November, 2017 at 7:00pm to give thanks to God for our parish community, established 50 years ago. Please note this date in your diary and make a special effort to attend.

Kilbryde Hospice: Musical Vintage Tea.

Monday 13th November 1:00pm to 3:00pm. With special guests – Rovin Productions. Tickets £5.50.

Operation Christmas Child: The Shoebox Appeal 2017

Leaflets giving lists of items required will be given out at all Masses this weekend. The collection box will be in the Blessed Sacrament chapel. From Saturday 4th to Sunday 19th November. If there are any knitters out there with time and odd balls of wool on their hands, there are some items which can be knitted for the shoeboxes. The patterns and other information can be found at www.operationchristmaschild.org.uk Once you are on the website you would “click” on **Resources** on the top line. We would be particularly happy to receive knitted scarves.

From the “Compendium of the Catechism of the Catholic Church” 2005

6. What does God reveal to man?

God in his goodness and wisdom reveals himself. With deeds and words, he reveals himself and his plan of loving goodness which he decreed from all eternity in Christ. According to this plan, all people by the grace of the Holy Spirit are to share in the divine life as adopted “sons” in the only begotten Son of God.