

CHURCH OPENING TIMES

The normal schedule of Exposition, etc. resumes this week.

FEAST OF SAINT BLAISE

The Feast of Saint Blaise is not celebrated this year since it falls on a Sunday. However, the traditional blessing of the throats will be offered after Mass on Monday 4th February.

CHILDREN'S LITURGY LEADERS:

We are delighted to have two new Children's Liturgy Leaders after our recent appeal. We could still use a few more – just remember, you don't need any special qualifications – just a desire to share the faith with our youngsters.

GLASGOW FAITH FORUM:

Jesus said to him, "I am the way and the truth, and the life; no one comes to the Father, but by me" (John 14:6). Keen to learn more about the Church's magisterial teachings? Come along to the Glasgow Faith Forum's fortnightly series of talks in 2019

7 February - *The Incarnation* (Canon Luiz Ruscillo);

21 February - *Ecclesiology: Models of the Church* (Fr Nick Welsh);

7 March - *The Life of Grace* (Fr David Barrett);

21 March - *The Four Last Things* (Fr Michael John Galbraith). These sessions will take place at 7.30pm at Turnbull Hall, University of Glasgow Catholic Chaplaincy, 13-15 Southpark Terrace, G12 8LG. All young people welcome.

FEAST OF OUR LADY OF LOURDES

An evening to celebrate the Feast of Our Lady of Lourdes and its place in our lives will take place on Monday February 11th, 2019 at 7pm in The Immaculate

Conception Church, 2049 Maryhill Rd G20 0AA. If Lourdes has featured in your life in any way, then come celebrate - all welcome! On the evening, there will be sharing of stories, images and video of Lourdes and, as at the torchlight procession, we will pray by candlelight. There will also be an anointing for all our needs. Music & prayer is by the St Margaret of Scotland Youth Group. Drinks and refreshments will be provided in the church hall and Lourdes mementos will be on sale. We are situated 200m from Maryhill Train Station; there is also ample parking and there is disabled access to the church and hall. For information contact:

immaculateconception@rcag.org.uk

CRAIGLOCKART COLLEGE

To celebrate the centenary of the founding of Craiglockhart College of Education, a reunion rally has been planned for Saturday 11th May 2019 in Napier University Craiglockhart Campus. 10.30 Registration, 11.30 Mass, 1.15 lunch. Various events to follow. The cost is £40 per person, which includes a welcome drink, three course lunch and afternoon tea/coffee. For further information and application form please email gripfast2019@gmail.com or phone Anne on 07762 575803 or Silvana on 07793 545 025 by 1st March.

NEW FERTILITY CARE CLINIC

Fertility Care Scotland: We are opening a new clinic in the Diocesan offices, Paisley on Monday evenings from 7 – 9pm. The first clinic will be on Monday 11th February and will run every alternate Monday thereafter. We run clinics in Edinburgh, Hamilton, Aberdeen and Paisley. At Fertility Care Scotland we teach The Billings Ovulation Method of Natural Fertility Regulation, which helps couples achieve or postpone pregnancy in a natural way. We can help couples optimize their chances of conceiving. Our service is free and confidential and no appointment is necessary. We invite you to come and visit us at one of our clinics.

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ASSISTED PARISHES FUND

Next Sunday there will be a retiring collection for the Assisted Parishes Fund. This is one of the three collections in the course of the year which goes towards the support of our parishes in other parts of the city who would otherwise struggle to meet their commitments. Please be generous if you can.



We renew our appeal for musicians and singers to join the 11.00 am Music Group. We know the talent is out there! Why not give it a try?



SICK

We remember all the sick of the parish

RECENTLY DECEASED

Mary Gallagher, Annie Regan, Agnes McLaughlin, Maureen Ferguson, Kathleen Garrity, Kathleen Garrity.

ANNIVERSARIES

Mary Roebuck, Mary Mayes, Frank Hackett, Tony McCollum, Davey O'Brien, Anna O'Donnell, John Cull, Margaret Passmore, Mary and William McGrath

PRAYER TO SAINT MICHAEL

St. Michael the Archangel, defend us in battle. Be our defence 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, thrust into hell Satan, and all the evil spirits, who prowl about the world seeking the ruin of souls.
Amen

In your justice rescue me, free me:
pay heed to me and save me.

Be a rock where I can take refuge,
a mighty stronghold to save me;
for you are my rock, my stronghold.
Free me from the hand of the wicked.

It is you, O Lord, who are my hope,
my trust, O Lord, since my youth.
On you I have leaned from my birth,
from my mother's womb you have
been my help.

My lips will tell of your justice
and day by day of your help.
O God, you have taught me from my
youth
and I proclaim your wonders still.

SECOND READING

1 Corinthians 13:4-13

Love is always patient and kind; it is never jealous; love is never boastful or conceited; it is never rude or selfish; it does not take offence, and is not resentful. Love takes no pleasure in other people's sins but delights in the truth; it is always ready to excuse, to trust, to hope, and to endure whatever comes. Love does not come to an end. But if there are gifts of prophecy, the time will come when they must fail; or the gift of languages, it will not continue for ever; and knowledge – for this, too, the time will come when it must fail. For our knowledge is imperfect and our prophesying is imperfect; but once perfection comes, all imperfect things will disappear. When I was a child, I used to talk like a child, and think like a child, and argue like a child, but now I am a man, all childish ways are put behind me. Now we are seeing a dim reflection in a mirror; but then we shall be seeing face to face. The knowledge that I have now is imperfect; but then I shall know as fully as I am known. In short, there are three things that last: faith, hope and love; and the greatest of these is love.

GOSPEL ACCLAMATION

Jn 14:6

Alleluia, alleluia!
I am the Way, the Truth and the Life,
says the Lord;
No one can come to the Father except
through me.
Alleluia!

GOSPEL

Luke 4:21-30

Jesus began to speak in the synagogue: 'This text is being fulfilled today even as you listen.' And he won the approval of all, and they were astonished by the gracious words that came from his lips. They said, 'This is Joseph's son, surely?' But he replied, 'No doubt you will quote me the saying, "Physician, heal yourself" and tell me, "We have heard all that happened in Capernaum, do the same here in your own countryside." And he went on, 'I tell you solemnly, no prophet is ever accepted in his own country. 'There were many widows in Israel, I can assure you, in Elijah's day, when heaven remained shut for three years and six months and a great famine raged throughout the land, but Elijah was not sent to any one of these: he was sent to a widow at Zarephath, a Sidonian town. And in the prophet Elisha's time there were many lepers in Israel, but none of these was cured, except the Syrian, Naaman.' When they heard this everyone in the synagogue was enraged. They sprang to their feet and hustled him out of the town; and they took him up to the brow of the hill their town was built on, intending to throw him down the cliff, but he slipped through the crowd and walked away.



SAINT HELEN'S, LANGSIDE PARISH BULLETIN

3RD FEBRUARY 2019 – 4TH SUNDAY OF THE YEAR

TIMES OF SERVICES

SUNDAY MASSES:

Vigil (Saturday) 5.30 pm; 9.00 am,
11.00 am and 5.00 pm

MONDAY TO SATURDAY

Mass at 10.00 am preceded by Morning Prayer
at 9.50 am. The Rosary is prayed every day
after Mass.

CONFESSION:

Saturday 10.30 – 11.00 am
Saturday 6.15 – 6.45 pm

ADORATION:

Tuesdays-Thursday from after 10.00 am Mass
until 1.00 pm

ROSARY FOLLOWED BY NOVENA:
resumes in February

HOLY DAYS OF OBLIGATION:

Masses on holy days of obligation are at 7.30
am, 12.30 pm and 7.30 pm

CONTACT DETAILS

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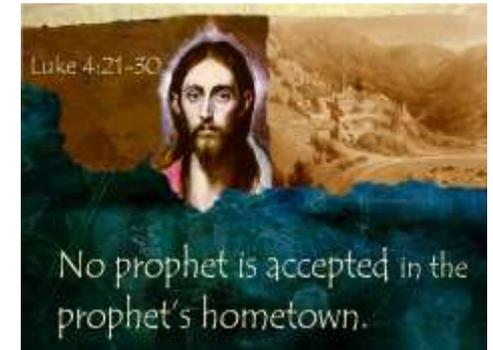
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FIRST READING

Jeremiah 1:4-5, 17-19

In the days of Josiah, the word of the Lord was addressed to me, saying: 'Before I formed you in the womb I knew you; before you came to birth I consecrated you; I have appointed you as prophet to the nations. 'So now brace yourself for action. Stand up and tell them all I command you. Do not be dismayed at their presence, or in their presence I will make you dismayed. 'I, for my part, today will make you into a fortified city, a pillar of iron, and a wall of bronze to confront all this land: the kings of Judah, its princes, its priests and the country people. They will fight against you but shall not overcome you, for I am with you to deliver you – it is the Lord who speaks.'

RESPONSORIAL PSALM

Psalm 70(71):1-6, 15, 17

My lips will tell of your help.

In you, O Lord, I take refuge;
let me never be put to shame.