

Programme for St Edward's:-

Sunday 10th March
10.15am Mass
Monday 11th March
9.30am Mass
11.00am Mass St Andrew's Hospice
Tuesday 12th March
6.00pm Holy Hour/7.00pm Mass
Wednesday 13th March
7.15am Mass, 9.30am Mass
Thursday 14th March
9.30am Mass
7.00pm Holy Hour with opportunity for
the Sacrament of Reconciliation
Friday 15th March
9.30am Mass
Saturday 16th March
9.30am Mass
5.30pm Vigil Mass
Sunday 17th March
10.15am Mass

We welcome the boys and girls of Primary 4 to both our weekend Masses as they begin their parish preparations for the Sacrament of First Holy Communion.

The Statement to the Parish on Safeguarding prepared by the Bishops of Scotland will be read out at both weekend Masses.

We pray for Jamie McCourt who will be baptised this morning after the 10.15am Mass

Stations of The Cross this afternoon at 3.00pm

Monday evenings during Lent at 7.00pm in the Church House our Lenten series, Finding Jesus in our broken world

Please see Lenten sheet for all that is happening in the parish during Lent.

We pray for the children from both our Primary Schools who will celebrate the Sacrament of First Forgiveness this Monday and Tuesday evenings at 6.00pm

First Reconciliation Cards, First Holy Communion cards and Confirmation cards and gifts are now available in the Piety Shop. There are also cards for St. Patrick's Day, Mothers Day, Easter cards and Easter Mass Bouquets.

Please see posters highlighting Lenten programme from Diocesan Mission and Evangelisation Team.

Response: Be with me, O Lord , in my distress

Thought for the week:

The person who can preserve gentleness amid pains, and peace amid worry about a multitude of affairs is almost perfect. St. Francis De Sales

Please pray for those on our Sick List

Recently deceased: Helen and George Bryce, Stephen Cook, Charles Gallagher

Anniversary: Tom Andrew, Margaret McKeown, William Morgan, Bobby Ratcliffe, John Courtney, James McDonald, Mary Glen

Months Mind: Beattie Morrison, Hugh Plunkett, Jim Cunningham, Pat Morrison, May McDonald

400Club Winners

1. James McHugh	366	2. Paul Hackland	103
3. Maria Greig	47	4. Sandra McMullen	107

A gentle reminder, last weekend there were 46 numbers unpaid for although the same amount of prize money is still given out. So please do try and keep up to date with payments as the 400Club is a wonderful way to raise funds for the Church. There are a few numbers available for anyone who would like to join the 400Club or who would like to add to the numbers they already have.

Next weekend there will be a second collection for the Sick and Retired clergy of the Diocese. The Diocese supports 31 priests who are sick and retired. Please be as generous as you can as we say thank you for the wonderful service of so many priests who are now themselves in need of care and support.

Father William Crombie, a Missionary of Africa, will be living and working in St. Andrew's parish during the Season of Lent and the Easter Triduum.

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