

MASS and PRAYER REQUESTS

RECENTLY DECEASED : Marie Roarty, Michael Crocock, Kathleen McAdam, Ellen Strain, Isabella McGuinness, Anne Marie Steel, Betty Ball, Kathleen Duffy, Margaret Hart

MONTHS MIND : Joe Hilferty

ANNIVERSARIES: Hugh Meechan, Violet Fallone, Linda and Lee Kelly

SPECIAL INTENTIONS : Allan McMillan, Theresa Dougherty, For the souls in deepest purgatory, Isa Daniels, John Rotchford, May McMillan, Gabriel Tiago Wiza, Betty Thomson, Olivia Robb, Joe Capra

ROSARY

We pray the Rosary every Monday, Wednesday, and Friday at 9:10am, prior to our morning Mass at 9:30am and it's a such a spiritual way to begin your day.

We use the rosary to pray to God through the intercession of Mary. With the prayers of the rosary, we ask Mary to pray for us and to guide us by the example of her son, Jesus.

Join us during the week to pray the rosary together.



FUNERALS SCHEDULED

ELLEN STRAIN

Tuesday 13th August, 10am, St. Margaret Mary's

ISABELLA McGUINNESS

Wednesday 14th August, 9:30am, St. Bartholomew's

ANNE MARIE STEEL

Monday 19th August, 9:30am, St. Bartholomew's

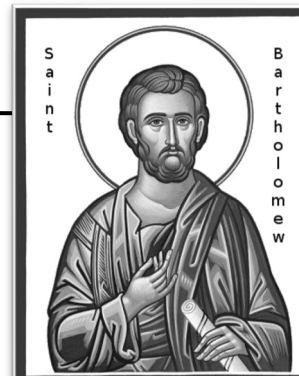
BETTY BALL

Tuesday 20th August, 10am, St. Margaret Mary's

KATHLEEN DUFFY

Thursday 22nd August, 10am, St. Margaret Mary's

REQUIESCANT IN PACE



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19th Sunday in Ordinary Time, Year B 11th August 2024

PARISH PRIEST

Fr. Ian Bathgate sx

ASSISTANTS

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Fr. Willie Hattie sx

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SUNDAY MASS

St. Bartholomew's
11:00am and 5pm

St. Margaret Mary's
6pm (vigil) and 10:00am

WEEKDAY MASS

St. Bartholomew's
9:30am, Mon / Wed / Fri

St. Margaret Mary's
10:00am, Tues / Thurs / Sat

FIRST READING : 1 Kings 19 : 4 - 8
The Lord gives Elijah food to reach the mountain of God

RESPONSORIAL PSALM : Psalm 33
RESPONSE : Taste and see that the Lord is Good

SECOND READING : Ephesians 4 : 30 - 5 : 2
Forgive each other as readily as God forgave you

Do not grieve the Holy Spirit of God who has marked you with his seal for you to be set free when the day comes.

Never have grudges against others, or lose your temper, or raise your voice to anybody, or call each other names, or allow any sort of spitefulness. Be friends with one another, and kind, forgiving each other as readily as God forgave you in Christ.

Try, then, to imitate God as children of his that he loves and follow Christ loving as he loved you, giving himself up in our place as a fragrant offering and a sacrifice to God.

GOSPEL : John 6 : 41 - 51
Anyone who eats this bread will live for ever

LAST SUNDAY MASS COLLECTIONS

1st Collection £693.10

Renovation (21st July) £285.60

Today, Sunday 11th August, there will be a retiring collection for the painting of our church and other improvements.

Next Sunday, 18th August there will be a special collection for **Assisted Parishes**. This will be the 2nd collection at both Sunday Masses.

Many thanks for your generosity to our parish collections and the additional Archdiocese special collections - it is very much appreciated. Thank you.

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(to donate to
St. Bartholomew's)



THE ASSUMPTION



Thursday 15th August is the **Solemnity of the Assumption**, and it is a **Holy Day of Obligation** when we are required to attend Mass.

There will be 2 Masses in each parish as follows:

St. Bartholomew's 9:30am and 7pm
St. Margaret Mary's 7pm (vigil) and 10:00am

CLERGY CHANGES

After the disappointing news announced by Fr. Ian a few weeks ago that the Xaverian Missionaries are on the move from our parish, Archbishop Nolan has appointed Fr. Joe Sullivan as Parish Priest of St. Bartholomew's and St. Margaret Mary's. Fr. Joe is currently Parish Priest of Holy Cross, Croy.

This change will take effect from Friday 20th September 2024.

SUNDAY MASS TIMES

Following consultation between both Parish Pastoral Council's (PPCs) and Fr. Joe himself, the need to alter our Sunday morning mass times so that Fr. Joe has time to "meet and greet" folk in both parishes after each morning mass was accepted. The altered times are:

St. Margaret Mary's 09:30am
St. Bartholomew's 11:30am

The new times will begin **Sunday 8th September**. The Xaverians' last weekend is **September 14/15**.

LIFTS REQUIRED – Can you help?

We realise that the change of mass times causes significant challenges for those who depend on public transport to get to church, but this change also demands of those who drive, an opportunity to serve others and offer "a lift" to and from church if you have space in your vehicle.

If you would be willing to offer this service, please get in touch and leave your contact details including which church you go to on a Sunday morning and how many "spaces" you have.

BAPTISM PREPARATION

If you plan to have your child baptised in St. Bartholomew's parish, you are required to attend a preparation class prior to baptism. The next baptism preparation session is scheduled for next weekend on **Saturday 17th August at 11am** in the church (please use side door).

APPEAL

We urgently require some extra help to assist in the gardens and grounds in the parish. Could you offer a few hours each week to help out? If so, please come and speak to us!

CARFIN PILGRIMAGES IN YEAR OF PRAYER

Pope Francis has declared this year a Year of Prayer in preparation for the Holy Year of 2025. Carfin Pilgrimages have been arranged by the Legion of Mary on
13th August,
13th September and
13th October.

Each evening begins at 7.30pm with Rosary Procession followed by Holy Mass and Benediction until 9pm. Prayers offered for world peace, young people, vocations and Parish renewal.

BUS TO CARFIN

Anyone wishing to goto Carfin on 13th August should put name on list at back of the church, payment of £9 required in advance.

All welcome.

CERTIFICATES

We still have a number of certificates from our First Holy Communion day in May and Confirmation in June. If you have not yet received your certificate, please speak to us.

SCIAF's WEE BOX appeal

If you still have a SCIAF WEE BOX from Lent, it is not too late to hand it in. Your generous donations are vital in supporting our Church partners to help our sisters and brothers in greatest need.