

MASS and PRAYER REQUESTS

RECENTLY DECEASED : Fr. Michael Savage, Margaret Wilson, Marie Joyce, Elma Potter, Joe Jordan, Jim Callaghan, Jean McLaughlin

ANNIVERSARIES : Hugh Lowrie, Joe Haldane, Patricia Steel, Julia Potter, James Hester

MONTHS MIND :

SPECIAL INTENTIONS : Noleen Gray, Our Lady's suffering over her son's passion and death

PRO-LIFE MASS

The monthly Pro-Life Mass is on Wednesday, 17th January at 7.30pm at Holy Cross, 113 Dixon Ave, G42 8ER. Adoration begins at 6.15pm. Tea in the hall afterwards – all welcome. The celebrant will be Fr Charles Coyle.

SAINT BRIGID'S CÉILÍ

Organised by Conradh na Gaeilge . Christ the King Church Hall, 220 Carmunnock Rd, G44 5AP. Saturday 27th of January, 7.30pm – 11:30.

Tickets: £7 (u12s free), available on the Door or contact 07866453708 or cnag_glaschu@hotmail.com

Music by a live céilí band, plus singing in Irish & English. There will be a 'blessing of the rushes' by a local priest and the making of St Brigid's Crosses. Full Bar + Tea & Coffee & biscuits will be served

IRISH LANGUAGE CLASSES

Irish language classes at all levels for adults and children - contact 07866453708 / cnag_glaschu@hotmail.com

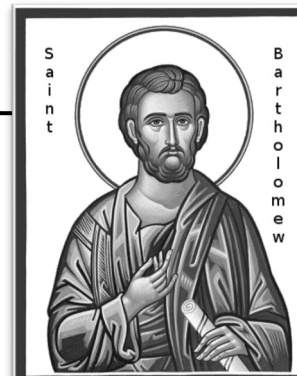
FUNERALS SCHEDULED

Friday 19th January, 12 Noon, St. Margaret Mary's
FR. MICHAEL SAVAGE

Saturday 20th January, 10am, St. Margaret Mary's
MAE REILLY

Wednesday 24th January, 9:30am, St. Bartholomew's
MARGARET WILSON

REQUIESCANT IN PACE



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2nd Sunday in Ordinary Time

14th January 2024

PARISH PRIEST

Fr. Ian Bathgate sx

ASSISTANTS

Fr. Eugenio Montesi sx

Fr. Willie Hattie sx

Fr. Robert Sowa

SAFEGUARDING COORDINATORS

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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 Samuel 3 : 3-10, 19
"Speak Lord, your servant is listening"

RESPONSORIAL PSALM : Psalm 39
RESPONSE: Here I am, Lord! I come to do your will.

SECOND READING : 1 Corinthians 6:13-20
Do not sin against your own body

GOSPEL : John 1 : 35-42
"We have found the Messiah"

As John stood with two of his disciples, Jesus passed, and John stared hard at him and said, 'Look, there is the lamb of God.' Hearing this, the two disciples followed Jesus. Jesus turned round, saw them following and said, 'What do you want?' They answered, 'Rabbi,' – which means Teacher – 'where do you live?' 'Come and see' he replied; so they went and saw where he lived, and stayed with him the rest of that day. It was about the tenth hour.

One of these two who became followers of Jesus after hearing what John had said was Andrew, the brother of Simon Peter. Early next morning, Andrew met his brother and said to him, 'We have found the Messiah' – which means the Christ – and he took Simon to Jesus. Jesus looked hard at him and said, 'You are Simon son of John; you are to be called Cephas' – meaning Rock.

LAST WEEK'S MASS COLLECTIONS

1st Collection, £429.26

Last Sunday, in the letter read at all masses, we heard details from Archbishop Nolan in his capacity as President of the Bishops' Conference of Scotland Justice and Peace Commission.

To support the work of the Justice and Peace Commission, there will be a 2nd collection today.

QR CODE
(to donate to
St. Bartholomew's)



FR. MICHAEL SAVAGE

Funeral of Fr. Michael Savage, former Parish Priest of St. Margaret Mary's parish, will be held on Friday 19th January at 12 Noon, in St. Margaret Mary's Church.

May God grant him eternal peace and happiness.

BAPTISM PREPARATION SESSION

If you wish your child to be Baptised, you must first attend a Baptism Preparation Session. Our next course for parents is scheduled for **Saturday 20th January, 11am**, in the church.

If your child is of primary school age and preparing for Reconciliation and/or 1st Communion, your child should also attend on the same day/time.

PLEASE NOTE : This will be the only Baptism Preparation Course prior to Reconciliation in March this year.

*** If your child has not been Baptised, they cannot receive any other sacrament. For access to ANY other sacrament, BAPTISM is an ABSOLUTE requirement. ***

DATES FOR YOUR DIARY

Dates for Reconciliation, 1st Communion and Confirmation and the corresponding preparation sessions are published on the parish website and on the notice board in the church porch.

Children preparing for any of these sacraments **must** attend the relevant preparation sessions for Reconciliation, First Holy Communion or Confirmation.

These sessions will take place on a Saturday morning at 11am in the parish hall.

FR. DR. ROBERT SOWA

Only one week to go before Fr. Robert departs. Get your tissues ready!

There will be a presentation to Fr. Robert to thank him for all his work here in the parish of St. Bartholomew's next Sunday 21st January, at the end of the 11am Sunday mass.

CRIB

Although our Christmas tree and decorations have now been taken down and put away, in line with tradition in other churches and in Catholic countries around the world, our crib will stay on display until the feast of the Presentation of the Lord, on 2nd February.

TEAROOM and COFFEE MORNING

We have 2 weekly events that enable parishioners to come together, to socialise, to catchup, to be community.

Our **Sunday Tearoom** is open in the parish hall, after the 11am Sunday Mass. It's a chance to have a blether, tea/coffee and a catch-up with fellow parishioners.

On a Wednesday, we have a **Coffee Morning** which takes place after our 9:30am Mass and gives you another chance for a wee catchup! All welcome to join us.

WEEK OF PRAYER FOR CHRISTIAN UNITY

The annual Week of Prayer for Christian Unity will be celebrated from 18–25 January 2024. This year, the theme is: Go and do likewise.

We recite the Rosary every Monday, Wednesday, and Friday at 9:10am, prior to our morning Mass at 9:30am.

During the Week of Prayer for Christian Unity, on Friday 19th, Monday 22nd and Wednesday 24th January, as we recite the Rosary, we will pray for Christian Unity and peace in the world.

NEWMAN ASSOCIATION

Newman Association: Conversion and a Literary Marriage – Ann and George Scott-Moncrieff.

A talk by Dr Linden Bicket, The Parish Hall, Immaculate Conception Church, 2049 Maryhill Road, Glasgow, G20 0AA at 7.30pm on Thursday 1st February 2024 . All welcome. Refreshments provided.

CHARISMATIC RENEWAL

The Glasgow Service of Communion of the Catholic Charismatic Renewal invites you for an afternoon of Renewal. Venue: St Gregory's Church hall, 130 Kelvindale Rd, Glasgow G20 8DP. Saturday 20th January: 12:30 pm – 5:00 pm. Tea and Coffee provided. For more information phone: Minin 07448786569 Email: glasgow.service.team@gmail.com

SPRED Volunteers Required

Are you free to volunteer with SPRED? Can you be a friend to someone with a learning disability who needs your help to grow in faith and take part in parish life? You are invited to meet others who are already involved at an open hour on Zoom on Wednesday, 24th January at 7.15pm. Email Patricia at glasgow.spred@btconnect.com for more information and your personal invitation or to make another arrangement if Zoom doesn't suit you.