

# Saint John the Evangelist Parish

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## LITURGICAL SERVICES

HOLY MASS: Weekdays at 9:30am; Saturday at 10:00am, Vigil for Sunday at 4:30pm; Sunday at 10:00am, 12:00 noon and 6:30pm.

SACRAMENT OF CONFESSION: Saturday after 10am Mass. Between 4:00pm and 4:25pm, and after the Vigil Mass.

ROSARY: Weekdays in the Church/Oratory after Mass; Friday 3:00-4:00pm in the Oratory.

EXPOSITION OF THE BLESSED SACRAMENT: From 10:00am to 9:00pm each weekday in the Oratory.

## 2<sup>nd</sup> July 13<sup>th</sup> Sunday in Ordinary Time

### JUBILEE DINNER DANCE

The parish will hold a dinner to celebrate our 175<sup>th</sup> anniversary in the hall on Saturday 26<sup>th</sup> August, 7pm for 7.30pm. Tickets £40 per person. This includes a drinks reception, 4 course dinner and live band. Return completed booking forms to Fr Paul.

### A MAJOR EVENT OF NEW EVANGELISATION.

Chris Stefanick is founder of *Real Life Catholic* and will speak on Thu 27 July 7.00pm, Bute Hall, Glasgow University. Tickets (£10 or £8 unwaged) contact the Archdiocese of Glasgow RE Department or tel. Christine (0141 226 5898) or through Eventbrite: [rebootlivescotland.eventbrite.co.uk](http://rebootlivescotland.eventbrite.co.uk)

### SECOND COLLECTION

The second collection this week is for the Parish Building fund.

### ORDINATION

Congratulations to Fr Jonathan Whitworth who was ordained on Friday evening at St Andrew's in Greenock for our Diocese. We wish him many happy years of Priesthood. Congratulations too to Fr Matthew Carlin on his 1<sup>st</sup> anniversary of ordination.

### MARRIAGE PREPARATION DAYS

There is one date left on **Saturday 30<sup>th</sup> September 11am – 3.30pm** in the Diocesan Offices, Cathedral Precincts, Paisley Cost £30 per couple. To book, please speak to your Parish Priest.

### SSVP

The SSVP have a small furniture store in Paisley to which we have access to cater for needs within our parish. There is currently an acute shortage of 'white goods' ( i.e. electric cookers, fridges, etc.) . If you become aware of any such items being available, please speak to one of the SSVP members. We thank you for your continuing generous support.

### OUR PAISLEY SYNOD ACTA

The *Acta* (Official Proceedings) of our Synod were published, blessed and distributed for implementation around the diocese at our Anniversary Mass on Friday in St. Mary's Greenock. Copies are available to anyone who would like a copy from Anne Marie at the Synod secretariat ([rcdopsynod@gmail.com](mailto:rcdopsynod@gmail.com)) for £5.00 per copy.

### DIOCESE OF PAISLEY TEXT A DONATION

Please note that the Diocese have now set up their 'Text a Donation' Service which allows you to send a donation to the Diocese through your mobile phone. All you have to do is text **DOPF01 £5** to 70070. £5 is only a suggestion. Any amount will be very much appreciated.

### 100 CLUB DRAW MAY WINNERS

1<sup>st</sup> Prize £140 No 78 MM Davidson, 2<sup>nd</sup> Prize £70 No 93 D & H Gourley, 3<sup>rd</sup> Prize £35 No 136 M Sloey, 4<sup>th</sup> Prize £20 No 59 R & S Young, 5<sup>th</sup> Prize £20 No 108 Thos. Gardiner Winnings can be collected from the Sacristy after Mass. Please note any prizes not collected will be paid back into funds.

### CELEBRATE

A Catholic family conference for all ages, from grandparents to children. Successfully run in 12 regions in England for the last 9 years, Celebrate is coming to Scotland for the first time. Organised by Catholic Charismatic Renewal for the whole church. Lively worship, good teaching and good company in a vibrant faith-filled atmosphere; includes mime and drama and Sunday family mass. Celebrate appeals to families. There are streams to accommodate all ages of children and youth to help them grow in their faith in a relevant and joy filled way.

This year's theme is "*Seek first his Kingdom*", running in St Ninian's High School, Giffnock, East Renfrewshire from Saturday 2<sup>nd</sup> till Sunday 3<sup>rd</sup> September. For more details and to book see website [www.celebrateconference.org](http://www.celebrateconference.org) or phone Michael Jordan on 07747 388660. Early bird discount if booked before 31<sup>st</sup> July.

### SPUC

A SPUC Scotland Petition is available in the Foyer to oppose the campaign to extend abortion to birth for any reason. Please sign the petition to help mobilise opposition to this threat to future generations of children.

### DVD OF THE CONSECRATION OF THE CHURCH

The DVDs of this lovely celebration are now available for collection for those who have reordered them. Please collect them the piety stall.

**FEEL FREE TO TAKE THIS BULLETIN HOME WITH YOU**