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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.

17th June 2018 11th Sunday of the Year B

SPECIAL COLLECTION

This week's second collection is for the Parish Legacy Fund. **Next week's is for Peter's Pence.**

MINISTERS OF THE EUCHARIST

Those Ministers of the Eucharist who have not yet put their contact details on the list in the Sacristy, should do so as soon as possible.

PHOTOS FOR THE CENTENARY CELEBRATIONS

Photographs etc, which were kindly loaned to the Parish at the time of the Centenary celebrations, are now available to collect from the Sacristy.

SICK & HOUSEBOUND PARISHIONERS

Fr Joe and Fr Thomas are recompiling the list of sick and housebound parishioners. Would you please give either of them the names and contact details of anyone you know to be sick or housebound within the parish.

WORD FROM FR JOE

Just to let you know I will be away on holiday for the next few weeks!! I assure you it was already all booked before the moves took place and that my first three weeks in the parish haven't been so bad I now need a break!! Quite the opposite in fact!!
I will see you all when I get back and in the meantime Fr Thomas will be looking after all your spiritual needs.

YOUNG ADULT RETREAT 29TH JUNE -1ST JULY

The retreat will be held at St. Mary's, Kinnoull, Perth and facilitated by the Redemptorist Youth Ministry. The retreat costs £150.00. Discounts available for students and the unwaged. For more information please e-mail vocations@rcdop.org.uk

YOUTH TO LOURDES 2018 FUNDRAISING -

The final fundraiser for youth work in the parish for this session will be the teas and coffees in the hall this weekend. Please support us if you can and thank you all so much!

PARISH EMAIL ADDRESS

Please note that the parish email address is changing to stjohn@rcdop.org.uk . The old email address will remain up and running for the near future.

DATE FOR THE DIARY

Annual Diocesan pilgrimage to Carfin will take place on **Sunday 5th August 2018**.

LOURDES WITH THE JUMBULANCE

There will be a bus to Lourdes, known as 'The Jumbulance', leaving from St.Mirins Cathedral on the **13th September -22nd September**. A few spaces are still available.There will be a medical team and a priest travelling on the bus along with experienced helpers. Please contact Cormack on **07568401416** or Cormacksmith123@icloud.com

DIOCESAN COUNSELLING SERVICE FOR CATHOLICS MARRIED IN THE CATHOLIC CHURCH

Our diocese has arranged the services and pastoral ministry of our own Catholic Marriage Counsellor. If you are concerned about your relationship and feel you are both unable to reach a conclusion alone, it is likely that you will benefit from marriage counselling. The counsellor is there to maintain a neutral, non-judgmental position as the various problematic issues are discussed. Marriage counselling can help you gain perspective on your relationship. Expect help with the following: Communicate in a more constructive way; Learn why arguments escalate; Reflect on the past and how it presents in your current relationships; Learn the art of compromise. Negotiate and resolve conflicts in a healthier way. For information or advice please email in confidence counselling@rcdop.org.uk

SOCIETY OF ST. VINCENT DE PAUL RECRUITMENT CAMPAIGN

The SSVP are holding a Recruitment Campaign and inviting parishioners to join the Society. The SSVP, as part of an ongoing Recruitment Campaign, have published information leaflets and posters which will be available in those parishes where the SSVP currently operate. For more details on how parishioners can to get involved, please speak to a local SSVP member or your parish Priest.

LOURDES HOSPITALITÉ

The pre pilgrimage meeting will take place today, **17th June** at **2pm** in St Ninian's Hall, Gourock. All pilgrims coming to Lourdes on the Diocesan pilgrimage are invited to attend. If you wish to book a place on the bus to the airport and are unable to attend please contact Anne Louise on 01475 638132

CATHOLICISM FAITH FORMATION PROGRAMME

The Catholicism Faith Formation Program brings the beauty, goodness and truth of the Church to life so that you can better understand and share your faith. Bishop Robert Barron is an acclaimed author, theologian and podcasting priest. An innovative teacher of the Catholic Faith who uses the tools of the new media to further the New Evangelization, Bishop Barron is also the founder of Word on Fire Catholic Ministries. This program began on 26th April 2018 and will be held each Thursday until 28th June 2018, at 7pm in St. Bernadette's, Park Drive Erskine, PA8 7AE. All Welcome. Stbernadette@rcdop.org.uk or stjohnbosco@rcdop.org.uk

DIOCESAN COURAGE APOSTOLATE FOR CATHOLICS WITH SAME SEX ATTRACTION

Paisley Diocese has set up a *Courage* Chapter of pastoral ministry for those in our diocesan community with same sex attraction, who are looking to live faithfully their Catholic faith. Courage is an international apostolate with over 100 Chapters worldwide and endorsed by the Holy See. It aims to help members find peace through fellowship, prayer, the Sacraments, and an appreciation of Church's teachings in chastity. It extends the Church's invitation to a life of peace, and grace to grow in Christian maturity. For information or advice please email in confidence our diocesan priest chaplain at Courage@rcdop.org.uk

THE NEW GDPR (GENERAL DATA PROTECTION REGULATION)

This became law across Europe on Friday May 25th. The Diocese of Paisley would like to reassure you that it takes your data very seriously, and will protect it in compliance with all aspects of the new regulation. We have established that there is legitimate interest as the legal basis for processing personal data, but will contact you directly if there is any need to gain your consent for any other specific purpose . There will be copies of our Privacy Notice at the back of your church or visit the parish website.

THE ANGELUS PRAYER GROUP

This group has been established in Honour of The Feast of Mary, Mother of the Church. This is a new feast day, which will be celebrated annually the day after Pentecost. Pope Francis approved the celebration because he thought it might "encourage the growth of the maternal sense of the church in the pastors, religious and faithful, as well as a growth of genuine Marian piety". The Angelus group is open to the public, we pray each day at 12 noon - it can be accessed via Facebook https://www.facebook.com/groups/215813205685547/. All are welcome to join.

RETREAT ACCOMMODATION SERVICES IN SCOTLAND

A contemplative community of the Adorers of the Sacred Heart of Jesus of Montmartre OSB are situated in Largs, Ayrshire and are currently working on promoting their retreat accommodation services in Scotland. They have a **guest house/ retreat centre** for groups/individuals who would like to spend some quiet time in prayer before the Blessed Sacrament exposed in Largs, and/or go out for a walk along the seafront. They also have a **cottage** (which is self-catering) that they rent out per week usually to parish groups or families on holiday. 5 Mackerston Place, Largs, Ayrshire KA 30 8BY. Tel: 01475-687320, Email: **benedictinemonasterylargs@yahoo.com**

PILGRIMAGE IN HONOUR OF OUR LADY AND ST ANDREW - Commemorating the 700th Anniversary of the Consecration of St Andrews Cathedral, **Thursday 5th July 2018.**

9.30 am Veneration of the statue of Our Lady of Aberdeen & relic of St Andrew at St James Church

10.15 am Assemble at St James Church, The Scores, St Andrews, KY16 9AR

10.45 am Rosary Procession leaving from St James Church to St Andrews Cathedral

11.30 am Open-Air Mass in Cathedral grounds. Main Celebrant & Homilist Bishop Stephen Robson

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BULLETIN NOTICES

The weekly bulletin will be printed on Friday mornings. Please ensure any notices you wish included are handed in by Thursday evening at the latest.