

# Saint John the Evangelist Parish

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## LITURGICAL SERVICES

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

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

**ROSARY:** Daily in the Church at 9:40am; Friday between 3:00pm and 4:00pm in the Oratory.

**EXPOSITION OF THE BLESSED SACRAMENT:** From 10:30am to 10:00pm each weekday in the Oratory.

### 30th June- 13<sup>th</sup> Sunday of the Year

Last Week's Offertory Collection -£1792

#### **SMARTIES APPEAL**

Total raised so far £9000. When you have a spare 20p or £1 coin put it in the tube. New tubes are available from the Foyer.

#### **100 CLUB**

Forms are available in the porch for anyone who would like to join (grey coloured forms.) 1<sup>st</sup> Prize each month £140.

#### **100 CLUB DRAW MAY WINNERS**

1<sup>st</sup> Prize - £140 No. 102 Patrick Doyle

2<sup>nd</sup> Prize - £70 No. 171 Angela Cassidy

3<sup>rd</sup> Prize - £35 No. 98 Mrs M Coffield

4<sup>th</sup> Prize - £20 No. 135 Grace Young

5<sup>th</sup> Prize - £20 No. 73 Dana Wilson

Winnings can be collected from the Sacristy after Mass.

#### **CHOIR AT 12**

The choir at twelve o'clock Mass consists of seven members who try to attend a Wednesday rehearsal and Mass the following Sunday. I am appealing to you to consider joining us so that there would be enough members to continue to provide music and hymns at Mass. You would not need to be able to read music, nor do you need to have a concert voice! One or two of us will stay behind upstairs after Mass or contact me on 0141 580 9318

#### **WORLD YOUTH DAY – SCOTLAND'S RIO**

National Youth Event in the WYD style. 25-28 July 2013 @ Stirling University, for 14-25 year olds. More information: [curia@rcdop.org.uk](mailto:curia@rcdop.org.uk), 0141 847 6130, [www.rcdop.org.uk](http://www.rcdop.org.uk)

#### **PETER'S PENCE**

The Special Collection for Peter's Pence will take place next Sunday. In the first year of his Pontificate, Pope Benedict XVI stressed the proper meaning of this offering:

“Peter's Pence' is the most characteristic expression of the participation of all the faithful in the Bishop of Rome's charitable initiatives in favour of the universal Church. The gesture has not only a practical value, but also a strong symbolic one, as a sign of communion with the Pope and attention to the needs of one's brothers; and therefore your service possesses a refined ecclesial character”.

#### **ALTAR SERVERS**

In order to keep our records up to date, would all Altar servers please take a form from the sacristy so their parents may update contact details etc. Thank you for your cooperation.

**NEXT WEEK'S** special collection will be for the parish building fund.

#### **EAST RENFREWSHIRE FOOD BANK**

Please donate tins and dried food, i.e. non-perishable items. Please ensure that these are all within their use by date. A yellow bin is situated at the back of the church for donations of food.

Visit the parish website and click on



#### **DIOCESAN PILGRIMAGE TO CARFIN**

This will take place on Sunday 11 August. Mass will be at 3p.m. and the pilgrimage will end with the Rosary Procession at 6 p.m. The usual refreshments will be available during the event in the parish hall.

#### **PARISH TRIP TO LOURDES**

The last meeting is on Wednesday 10<sup>th</sup> July at 7pm in the Tearoom.

#### **PARISH FETE**

The annual parish fete will take place on Saturday 7<sup>th</sup> September. We are currently looking for a team to begin organising stalls and a timetable for collecting items. It should not be too onerous. Many people volunteer to man the stalls etc. Please speak to Fr Paul.

#### **PVG**

Many thanks to everyone who completed their forms and attended the meeting held on the last two Thursdays. The Diocese can only submit a quota every month, so it may take some time before you receive word from the authorities. If you do not receive anything after a few months, please speak to Mary Hallan or Fr Paul.

#### **CHILDREN'S LITURGY**

There will be no Children's liturgy until after the summer holidays.

#### **CONGRATULATIONS**

To Archbishop Tartaglia, our former Bishop, who received his Pallium from Pope Francis in St Peter's Basilica yesterday on the Feast of Sts Peter & Paul. The Pallium is a narrow band of wool with six crosses around it worn across the shoulders. It represents the authority an archbishop as metropolitan – with some control over other dioceses within his area. It is made of wool to remind them of being a shepherd of a flock.

#### **NEW HEAD TEACHER**

Congratulations to Anne Marie Gordon, the new Head teacher of St John's Primary School. Miss Gordon has been acting head teacher for several months. We wish her every blessing in this important role in the parish community