

PARISH OF CHRIST THE KING

Second Sunday of The Year (C)
17th January 2016

Today's Readings:-

First Reading: Isaiah 62: 1-5

The bridegroom rejoices in his bride.

Second Reading: Corinthians 12: 4-11

One and the same Spirit, who distributes gifts to different people just as he chooses.

Gospel: John 2: 1-11

This was the first of the signs given by Jesus: it was given at Cana in Galilee.



Sunday Masses

Vigil Mass Saturday 6 p.m. Sunday 10 a.m. 12 noon 6.30 p.m.

Weekday Mass

Monday- Wednesday 10 a.m. Thursday 6 p.m. Friday—Saturday 10 a.m.

Sacrament of Reconciliation

Saturday 5.20 p.m.-5.50 p.m. and after Vigil Mass

Church open for prayer each day Monday—Friday until 6p.m.

Thursday Eucharistic Adoration from 10.30a.m. until 5.50 and after 6p.m. Mass until 7p.m.

This Week we celebrate:- **Thursday: Memorial of St. Agnes**

In your prayers, please remember those who are sick, those who have died recently and those whose anniversaries occur at this time:

Sick:- Marie Stafford, Catherine Loughrey, Bella Doherty, Harris Hicks, Margaret Bett, Rita Antonetta Murphy, Baby Jack Ritchie, Betty Kean,

RIP Joan Devine, Graham Stuart, Pauline Keegan, Cirsty Cameron, Annette McIntyre, Molly Donnachie, Campbell McAdam, Bella Curran, Sylvia Harkin, Graham Stuart, Baby Ollie Rooney

Month's Mind Michael & Veronica Briscoe, Carmel Lynn (daughter)

Anniversaries: Lynne McGovern, Frankie McGowan, Margaret MacKinnon, Danny McFadden, Joe Kevener, Robert Shaw, Rose & Hugh Benzie, Eugene Kane, William Ronan, Tom Friel, Hugh Lowrie, James McGinley Jnr., Maureen Harley, Carmel Lynn (mother), Jim Moore,

First Communions

We have been inviting parents over the last 6 weeks to choose a date for their child's first communion. If you have still to do this then you are invited to select a date in the sacristy after Mass. The dates still available are **Saturday 7th and Sunday 8th and Saturday 14th and Sunday 15th May.**

Sacrament of Reconciliation

The Parents of children in P3, currently preparing for their First Confession, are invited to a meeting in the Church Hall on Tuesday 26th January at 7p.m.

Sunday Collection

Standing Orders (Each week)

£1644

£586

Many Thanks.

Parish Youth Club

We are delighted to announce that the parish youth club has now started back at 8pm every Monday. The youth club is open to all primary 7 pupils and will be held on a Monday evenings between 8.00 and 9.00. Weekly cost is £1.

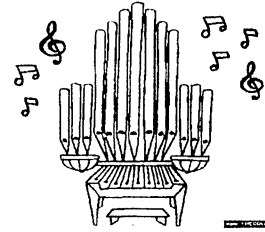
Please note that all children must be accompanied by their parent/ guardian for the purposes of enrolment.

"Parish Clusters"

As part of the ongoing process to help provide suitable pastoral provision for the future of the Archdiocese, there are meetings taking place throughout the diocese at the level of the named "clusters" of neighbouring parishes. As mentioned before, our own cluster involves **St Bartholomew's, St Margaret Mary's and ourselves.** The meeting will involve the Chair the vice chair and the secretary of the Parish Pastoral Council in each case and will take place before the end of February.

The Parish Organ will be

dismantled in the course of this week and taken to the workshops of the Organbuilders, John Lightbown and sons at North Shields. The pipes will be thoroughly cleaned, the electrics of the instrument renewed and updated and various improvement made to the console. There will also be an additional (trumpet) stop added to the instrument. The organ will then be brought back and reassembled in the gallery.



All of this, of course, takes time—and money. The organ will be away for several months and the total cost of the work will be **£54,516.** There have already been several kind donations to assist with the cost of the works and obviously we will all have the opportunity to contribute to what is a very necessary undertaking but also one which will be of lasting benefit to the parish for many years to come. The last (and only) cleaning of the organ took place back in 1974—some 42 years ago.

New:an Association—"Facing the challenges of Laudato Si: Energy, environment and the human future". A talk by Professor Colin McInnes, The Ogilvie Centre, St Aloysius' Church Rose Street, at 7.30p.m. on Thursday 28th January. All welcome. Non members admission £3—includes refreshments.

Ladies Lunch & Glass of Prosecco Holyrood Malawi 2016

Sunday 31st January 2016 Christ The King Church Hall
Tickets £10 from
Kathleen Gallagher 579 3111 or 07477812705

Western Catholic Calendar

Copies of the Western Catholic Calendar are now available in the Stall price £3.00. This book gives information about mass times etc. in all the churches in the Archdiocese together with information on all the churches in the dioceses of Motherwell and Paisley.

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