PARISH OF CHRIST THE KING

Third Sunday Lent (A) 19th March 2017

First Reading Exodus 17:3-7

Give us water to drink. .

Second Reading Romans 5:1-2.5-8

God calls and enlightens us.

Gospel John 4:5-42

A spring welling up to eternal life.



This Sunday we have the great privilege of hearing the story of the woman at the well, the definitive text on Christian evangelization. Take the time this week for a prayerful reading of this story and notice that as this woman seeks, she's already been found!

If only we would surrender to our God who is already always pursuing us! Then, we might realize how the Everlasting Lord is the only one who can quench the otherwise unquenchable thirst of our hearts. Make the effort this Lent to clear a path and set down your old buckets so that the water of Christ's divine life can flow through you.

Sunday Masses

Vigil Saturday

6.00 p.m.

Sunday 10 a.m.

12 noon

6.30p.m.

Weekday Masses

Monday—Saturday 10a.m. each day. Funeral Mass for George Hurrell Monday

Monday—Thursday 6p.m.

Friday

8.15a.m. (in St Fillan's Primary)

Sacrament of Reconciliation

Saturday 5.30p.m.— 6p.m. and after Vigil Mass Church open for prayer each day Monday—Friday until 6p.m. **Thursday Eucharistic Adoration** from 10a.m. until 7p.m. This week we celebrate:-

Saturday:

Solemnity of the Annunciation of the Lord

Children's Liturgy of the Word

During the 10a.m. Mass today and throughout Lent.

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, Rita Antonetta Murphy, Thomas Kent, Patrick Gillen, Teresa Kane, Scott Kyle, Graham Molloy, Bill Fulton, Annemarie Boyle, John McKelvie, Teresa Melly, Katie Milliken, Anna Smith, John O'Donnel, John Dickson, John Lynch, Richard Lowrie, John McLaughlin, Andrew Dyjk, Margaret Lee,

RIP: George Hurrell, Kitty MacGonagle, William Trainer, Susannah Boyle, Margaret Toolin, Jackie Condon.

Month's Mind: Annie & Arthur Monaghan, McCourt Family, Mark Dolan, Hary Henderson, Elizabeth Henderson, Harry Henderson (jnr)

Anniversaries: John McClafferty, Lena Mannion, Artie Monaghan, Sadie Douglas, Peter Connor Jnr, Mrs Margaret Hill, Rosetta Murray, Vincent McGlone, Moira McLaughlin,

Welcome to Christ the King, Father Matthias!

This weekend we welcome Fr.Matthias Sule to our Parish, , Father Matthias is from the Diocese of Minna in in the eastern portion of Niger State, Nigeria.. Fr.Matthias will be with us for several months and will play a full part in the life of the Parish during this time.

Believe it or not, Father Matthias has already served in more parishes in the Archdiocese of Glasgow than has Fr. Peter! This is because he has helped out over the summertime for the past few years, during holiday time.

First Confession-

Over the next fortnight, our children in P.3 will celebrate the Sacrament of Reconciliation ion for the first time.

The dates and times have been circulated to the children and their parents. If you have not already chosen a date, then don't worry. Just speak with Fr. Peter and select a date for your child.

Sunday Collection Retired Priests

Standing Orders (Each week)

Second collection today is for Sick & Retired Priests, envelopes can be used.

Next Sunday, the second collection is for SCIAF Parish envelopes cannot be used.

GIFT AID ENVELOPES 2017/18

The envelopes for 2017/18 starting on Sunday 9th April 2017 are now available at the back of the church. Please collect your envelopes as soon as possible.

We are always looking for new members, and if you are a taxpayer, please complete the Gift Aid paperwork you can find at the back of the church or speak to Fr. Peter.

Archdiocesan Pilgrimage to the Holy Land

3rd to 11th October Cost £995. Under the spiritual leadership of Fr. Joe Mills. Led by Alex Mosson. Further details on the poster in the Porch.

Adult Faith Formation —Matthew Passion.4 sessions of reading and reflection on the passion narrative of Matthew in preparation for Holy Week and Easter.

Mondays 13, 20, 27 March and 3rd April in the Hall (upper) 7p.m. No charge (small donations accepted) tea/coffee at interval

Presenters Deacon John Cairns and Fiona Campbell (catechist)

Choir for Easter

If you would like to be part of the Choir for Holy Week and Easter, then come along to the choir loft on Thursday evening and you will be made very welcome. Men's voices especially needed.

Starts at 7.30p.m.

Baptism

£1321

£1104

£521

We were delighted to welcome **Timothy Nicholas Peter Cummings** into the family of God last weekend through the Sacrament of Baptism. Our congratulations go out to his parents and godparents and to all members of his family.

Romero Centre

The Secret of Romero

Passion for God and Compassion for the Poor

Martha Zechmeister CJ

Professor of Systemtic Theology, El Salvador Tuesday 21st March 7p.m. In St. Aloysius College 45 Hill Street Glasgow G3 6RJ

Newman Association

Liturgy, Translation and the Future? A talk by Rt Rev Bishop Maurice Taylor, The Ogilvie Centre, St Aloysius Church, Rose Street, Glasgow G3 6RE at 7.30p.m. on Thursday 30th March 2017. All welcome. Non members admission £3 includes refreshments.

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Prayers.. Evening Prayer and Vespers

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