



ROMAN CATHOLIC PARISH OF
SACRED HEART & ST GERARD
BELLSHILL ~ EST. 2018

5th Sunday Easter B

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Services this Week

Tuesday	6.00pm	<i>Confessions until 6.45pm</i>
	7.00pm	Mass in Sacred Heart
Wednesday	No Public Mass <i>Confirmations for St Gerard's Primary</i>	
Thursday	9.30am	Mass in St Gerard's <i>Confessions after Mass</i>
Friday	9.30am	Mass in St Gerard's
Saturday	4.00pm	Vigil Mass from St Gerard's
	5.30pm	Vigil Mass from Sacred Heart
Sunday	10.00am	Mass in St Gerard's
	11.30am	Mass from Sacred Heart

The Scriptures

First Reading
Acts 9:26-31

Psalm 22
You, Lord, are my praise in
the great assembly.

Second Reading
1 John 3:18-24

Alleluia, alleluia!
Make your home in me, as I
make mine in you. Whoever
remains in me bears fruit in
plenty.
Alleluia!

Gospel
John 15:1-8

Mass Booking

Masses on Saturday 8th May and Sunday
9th May can be booked on
Wednesday 5th May at 7.00pm

How to Book

Telephone 07510 490797 or online
at www.shsg.eventbrite.co.uk

As we are now allowed the socially
distanced capacity of the buildings for
Masses please spread the word that Mass
can be booked and there are spaces for
over 500 people at weekend weekend.

Thank You

The Sunday collection last weekend was
£1255. Thank you for your generosity to
the SCIAF collection and through the
Wee box collection which raised £3482.

Throughout May the second collection is
the Diocesan Collection for Sick & Retired
Priests.

Baptisms

Baptisms can now be celebrated on a
Sunday at 1.00pm in either Church. At the
moment due to the restrictions on
numbers and the number that can gather
for celebrations afterwards each family
can invite up to 20 guests. Please speak
to Fr Stuart to make arrangements.

Please remember in your prayers

Sick:

Baby Felix Durnion, Matt McDonald, Kathleen Grant, Jackie Chinskie, Jane Downie, Betty McDermott, Betty McAuley, Anne Taggart, Martin Burns, Megan Carlin, Kirsty White, Gerard Foley, Tony Maschinsky, Elizabeth Ann Curtis, Maureen Griffin, May Dick, Lauren Nicol, Joseph Townsley, Peter Mitchell, Thomas O'Donnell, John Hamilton, Michael Rennie, Rosemary Walsh, Jayne Murphy, Jim McIlroy, Lorraine McCarthy, Mary McCardle, John McKendry (Coatbridge), Jane Curran, Nan McAtamney, Margaret McMahan, Frank Devlin, K Brown, L Wilson, M Lavery, Leanne McGovern, Billy Mosedale, Arthur Keeney, Elizabeth Healy, James McVey

Recently Dead: William Corry, Iain Girvan, John White,

Months Minds: Mary Brennan, Betty Mays, Helen McAuley, John McAuley (snr & jnr), Cathy McAuley, James McAuley, George McAuley, Ann McAuley, Lilian Whittingham

Anniversaries: Rose & Pat Foley, Edward Brennan, Jim Mullen snr, Jim Mullen jnr,

Some booking thoughts...

I hope I haven't confused you too much with the questions during the online booking process. I will make a few tweaks to the online process to try and make it simpler this week. Any suggestions please let me know and any difficulties please ask!

SPUC Scotland

Unable to fundraise through their usual parish collections SPUC are hoping that individuals will be willing to sponsor a virtual flower and these can be purchased online at www.whiteflower.org.uk

Sacraments

Please pray for the young people of our parish who over the coming weeks will celebrate First Holy Communion and the Sacrament of Confirmation.

Please pray that they will know the grace of the Lord and the power of the Holy Spirit to allow them to grow in love for God.

Thank you to our many stewards and cleaners who will be kept particularly busy this month with the celebrations. Are you able to volunteer to help as a steward at Mass or clean afterwards, then please let us know.

During the month of May we seek the intercession of Mary, our Mother.

The Angelus

The Angel of the Lord declared to Mary: And she conceived of the Holy Spirit.
Hail Mary...

Behold the handmaid of the Lord: Be it done unto me according to Thy word.
Hail Mary...

And the Word was made Flesh: And dwelt among us.
Hail Mary...

Pray for us, O Holy Mother of God,
that we may be made worthy of the promises of Christ.

Let us pray:
Pour forth, we beseech thee, O Lord, thy grace into our hearts;
that we, to whom the incarnation of Christ, thy Son,
was made known by the message of an angel,
may by his passion and cross be brought to the glory of his resurrection,
through the same Christ Our Lord. Amen.