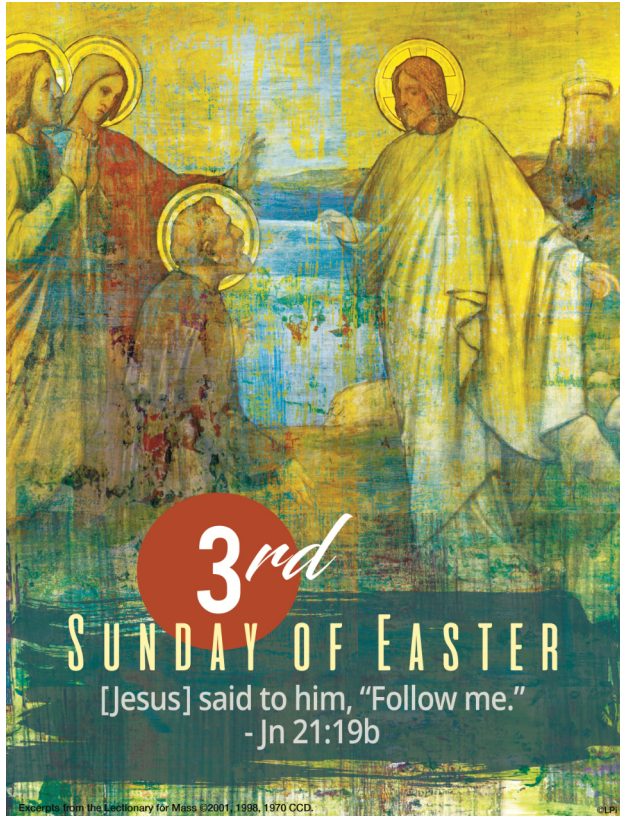




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SACRED HEART & ST GERARD
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Sunday 24th April 2022
2nd Sunday of Easter C



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Services this Week

Tuesday	6.00pm 7.00pm	<i>Confessions until 6.45pm</i> Mass in Sacred Heart Followed by Novena Prayers
Wednesday	10.00am	Mass in Sacred Heart
Thursday	9.30am	Mass in St Gerard's <i>Confessions after Mass</i>
Friday	9.30am	Mass in St Gerard's
Saturday	4.00pm 5.30pm	Vigil Mass in St Gerard's Vigil Mass in Sacred Heart
Sunday	10.00am 11.30am	Mass in St Gerard's Mass in Sacred Heart

Thank You for Your Generosity

The collection last Sunday was £1870. The parish also receives an average of £430 weekly in electronic donations.

Internet Banking and Online Donations

If you wish to donate to the parish via Internet Banking either weekly or through a regular donation our bank account details are: Diocese of Motherwell Sacred Heart & St Gerard's, Bank of Scotland Acc 15939268, Sort Code 80-22-60.

All online donations are included in Gift Aid claims if you have signed a Gift aid form or you can donate via www.rcdom.org.uk click on the donate button.

Gift Aid

Thank you to the 50 parishioners who signed up for gift aid last weekend, We have posted standing order forms to those who have requested them and delivered envelopes to those who have asked for them. If you need something please speak to Fr Stuart.

There are Gift Aid forms and standing order mandates on the notice boards at the church entrance.

First Holy Communion

Please pray for our young parishioners preparing to celebrate First Holy Communion in St Gerard's on Saturday 14th May at 11am and in Sacred Heart on Saturday 21st May at 11am.

SSVP Senior Citizen Dinner

The Dinner, previously arranged at Christmas but cancelled due to Covid has been rearranged for Friday 27th May in St Gerard's Hall. The doors will open at 6.30pm with the meal served prompt at 7.00pm. Entertainment and refreshments will be provided.

The names of all those who had intended attending at Christmas has been retained and as advised at the time the evening is fully subscribed.

Race Night

We have arranged a race night for Friday 13th May in Holy Family Church Hall at 7.00pm.

Tickets, horses and jockeys are on sale at this weekend at the doors of Sacred Heart & St Gerard's Churches before and after the Masses this weekend.



SCIAF WEE BOX

Please return your SCIAF wee box by next weekend so we can arrange the counting of the boxes and forward the money to SCIAF.

Upcoming 2nd Collections

Sick & Retired Priests	8 May
Communications	29 May
Day for Life	5 JUNE
Peter's Pence	26 th June

Novena to the Sacred Heart

We celebrate the Solemnity of the Sacred Heart this year on Friday 24th June. On the nine Tuesdays before the feast we will pray a novena to the Sacred Heart after the evening Mass.

Please join us in praying for our parish, peace in our world, your families and your own intentions. The prayers will also be available online and on social media.

Please remember in your prayers

Sick:

Baby Felix Durnion, Lorraine McCarthy, Leanne McGovern, Billy Mosedale, Thomas O'Donnell, Marcella Taylor, Fr Raymond Jaconelli, Avril Finnon, Matt MacDonald, Megan Carlin, Jamie Devine, Elizabeth Lunny, Tom Downie, Annie Taggart, Betty McAuley, Angela Ferguson, Marion Desmond, Chris Tinto, Avril McClory, Michael Hughes, Margaret McMahon, Jennifer McGinty, Margaret Hillis, Elizabeth (Betty) O'Raw, Martin O'Hanlon, Margaret Haggerty, May Ellis,

Recently Dead: Junior Girvan, Frank Quinn, Canon Michael Walsh,

Months Minds: Anne Boyd, Fred Forrester, Jane Curran, Joe & Lizzie Costello, Jeanie Costello, Joseph Costello, Joseph Costello jnr, Betty Mays, Helen McAuley, John McAuley (snr & jnr), Cathie McAuley, James McAuley, George McAuley, Ann McAuley, Lilian Whittingham,

Anniversaries: James Taggart, Annie Ward, Marian Walker,