

**Divine Mercy Sunday
(Year A)**

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MASS TIMES

Vigil Mass St Thomas's 5 pm
 St Bernadette's 6.15 pm

Sunday Mass
 St Thomas's 9 & 10.30 am
 St Bernadette's 12 noon

Monday–Friday St Bernadette's 9 am
 St Thomas's 10 am

Saturday Marian Devotions
 St Bernadette's 9.30 am
 St Thomas's 10.30 am

Confessions
 St Thomas's 4.30–4.50 pm Saturday

THIS WEEK'S NOTICES

Fr McGinley, Sr Francesca and Sr Rose & Fr Dunn wish you and your families the Peace and Joy of Easter. May God Bless you and keep you and be with you always.

Lenten Alms

In the final two weeks of Lent St Thomas's Lenten Alms for the Sick and Retired Priests of the Archdiocese came to £909 in St Thomas's and £554 from St Bernadette's. The Collection from the SCIAF boxes is £518 (to date). Many thanks for these donations; we revert now to one collection per week.

RCIA

RCIA inquirers have completed 1st year of Preparation. Thanks to Sr Francesca for leading Joanne, Louise, Charlene on their faith journey. We continue to pray for you and your families as you desire to belong to the Church.

Easter Catechesis

An excitement programme of Deanery Catechesis led by the Religious Sisters of the Deanery A leaflet was included last week in your bulletin. Seven sessions from 7–9 pm. Next

session this Thursday St Paul's Shetleston 27 April. Theme: Reconciliation/Healing. All welcome.

Wheelchair & Pram Access to the Church

Please use the path around to the back of the Church on the flat where there are doors which are always opened before Mass.

SSVP

New figures reveal the incredible work of Society of St Vincent de Paul across Scotland 12,000 hospital visits, 53,000 home visits 6,000 families helped. It is through your generosity each week when you give to the SSVP boxes that they are able to perform this service. Thanks to both Parish conferences for all their work. If you



Appointment Times

10.30 am-12.30 pm each morning and from 5-7.00 pm in the evening, Monday to Thursday. Should a formal appointment be required please phone the Parish.

Baptisms

Anyone requiring Baptism please contact Fr McGinley, or Sr Francesca.

The Sacrament of Anointing

If you or a member of your family are going into hospital please arrange to receive this sacrament beforehand.

Marriage

See Fr McGinley if you intend to marry in the Church. The Archdiocese requires 6 months notice.



feel you want to join the SSVP please approach Fr McGinley.

Parish Stalls at St Thomas's & St Bernadette's

Come and browse! Please make use of the stall and purchase its goods. Including cards for various occasions. Anniversary Mass Cards, Happiness in your new home, Easter, Easter Mass Bouquet cards. There's also a wide range of CTS pamphlets and Devotional items.

Reception of Holy Communion

As our children are taught with due reverence to receive the sacrament it is good to remind ourselves. The church offers two ways of Reception of the Blessed Sacrament: upon the tongue or upon your hands one placed on top of the other to create a throne. The church proscribes any other way. From the Sacred Chalice we are asked to consume a sip of the Precious blood.

In both receptions the *Amen* should be proclaimed.

SSVP Concert

Concert in Woodside Hall on Friday 12 May at 7.30 pm. Tickets £12. See poster in porch. Tickets from any member.

#priesthood 2018

Thinking about the priesthood? Priests for Scotland are holding a day for enquiries on Saturday 6 May at

ST BERNADETTE'S NOTICES

Extraordinary Ministers

There will be a meeting this Wednesday (26 April) for all the extraordinary ministers of the Eucharist of St Bernadette's parish at 7pm.

Holy Communion

Children from St Bernadette's preparing for Holy Communion are to attend catechesis in St Bernadette's each Sunday morning before the Mass at 12 noon on the 23 April 30 April and on 7 May.

A letter has been sent to the families and your cooperation is expected. Thank you.

Glasgow University Chaplaincy. For more information or to book a place speak to your Diocesan Vocations Director: Fr Ross Campbell tel 0141 339 4315 or email Ross.Campbell.2@glasgow.ac.uk.

Women's Guild

Monday afternoons 1.30-3.30pm

Mass Offering Envelope

Whenever the Eucharist is celebrated, it embraces the entire human family, both living and dead. It is not limited to one person or one intention. The benefits of each Eucharist are infinite and include the whole world.

An individual may ask a priest to offer a Mass for several reasons: for example, in thanksgiving; for the intentions of another person (such as on a birthday), or, as is most common, for the repose of the soul of someone who has died.

If you do wish to have a Mass offered, new Mass Offering envelopes are now available at the back of the Church.

ST CATHERINE OF SIENA

Feastday: Saturday 29 April

'You are rewarded not according to your work or your time, but according to the measure of your love.'

Dialogue 165

St Catherine (1347-1380) took vows as a Dominican tertiary (a member of the order but able to live outside of a convent). She was involved in the politics of her time, and instrumental in restoring the Papacy to Rome and making peace deals during a time of conflict between the Italian city states. Her writings are gathered in

THE SACRAMENTS OF THE CHURCH

Sacrament of Holy Communion

St Thomas's: Sat. 6 May 10.30 am.

St Bernadette's: Sat. 13 May 10.30 am.

the *The Dialogue*. She was proclaimed a Doctor of the Church in 1970 and is one of the two patron saints of Italy.

THE WEEK AHEAD

Masses times in both parishes are as normal throughout the week.

MON. 24 APRIL

Reception of the remains of
Patrick Dickey 6.30 pm (St T)

Mass for Vocations 7.45 pm
(Little Sisters of the Poor)

TUES. 25 St Mark

Requiem Mass for Patrick Dickey
(celebrated by Fr Paul Mooney,
Patrick's Nephew) 10 am (St T)

PARISH DONATIONS

St Thomas's St Bernadette's

2 & 3 April

Other £404

GAD £361

Other £258

GAD £158

9 & 10 April

Other £508

GAD £307

Other £262

GAD £214

16 & 17 April

Other £593

GAD £364

Other £196

GAD £131

Reception of the remains of
Mary Dick 6.30 pm (St T)

WED. 26

Requiem Mass for
Mary Dick 10 am (St T)

St Bernadette's Extraordinary Minis-
ters Meeting 7 pm (St B)

FRI. 28 Dedication of St Andrew's Cathedral, Glasgow

Mass with the school (class 2b lead-
ing) for the Feast of St Catherine of
Siena 10 am (St T)

INTENTIONS

Those sick at home or hospital

Eileen Adaya, Terry Bradley, Isa
Campbell & all the sick and house-
bound of both Parishes.

Those who have died recently

Jean Dickson, Frances Teece
McHaffie, Gerard Higgins, Ellen
Biggins, May Dick, Patrick Dickey &
James Todd.

Anniversaries

Bert Bistow, James O'Brien, Jane
O'Brien, Margaret Boyle, Mary
Graham, James Watson, John
McNamee, Mary McNamee, Ann &
John Grant, Ann McKendry (1st),
Stephen McGroarty, John Goldie &
Mary Heaney
