PRAYER AT THE SENDING OUT OF THE EUCHARISTIC MINISTERS TO THE SICK AND HOUSEBOUND

Priest: Almighty and loving Father, as we have received your Son in this Holy Eucharist, we ask you to hear our prayer for our brothers and sisters:

All: Give your healing, Lord, to those who are sick and housebound.

May those who take the Body of Christ to them
also be a loving sign of our prayers and thoughts.

Keep us united with them in all their sufferings
so that we will grow together as one community
with the presence of Christ among us. Amen

Holy Michael, the Archangel defend us in the day of battle.
Be our safeguard against the wickedness and snares of the Devil.
May God rebuke him we humbly pray and do thou O Prince of the Heavenly Host by the power of God thrust down into hell, Satan and all the other wicked spirits who wander through the world seeking the ruin of souls. Amen.

Amen.

Prayer to Our Lady of Sorrows

Blessed Virgin Mary, Our lady of Compassion,
I turn to you with filial confidence.
You shared fully in the work of our lord Jesus Christ,
whose Death brought life to the world.
Help me now to understand the truth about the divine compassion.
Teach me to accept the sufferings that come into my life
as you accepted obediently your own deep sorrows.
Loving Mother of the Redeemer,
you consecrated yourself by submitting to the divine plan.
Obtain for me the grace to make my own submission
to the same wise providence,
now and at the hour of my death.
Amen.



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23rd Sunday of the Year/A 9th/10th September 2023

RESPONSE TO THE PSALM

The Lord is compassion and love, slow to anger and rich in mercy.

This week:

Sunday Mass @11am

Monday Funeral Mass @10am Tuesday Mass @10am Wed Mass @10am Thursday Mass @10am Friday Mass @10am

Saturday Vigil @ 5.30pm

Holy Rosary prayed each morning at 9.35am

All Masses are livestreamed providing there are no technical problems



Sunday Collections:

£

Thankyou for your support for our parish

Feasts this week

Sat 23rd St Pio (Padre Pio)

Wed 20th St Andrew Kim Taegon & Com Thurs 21st St Matthew

Tea/coffee available each Sunday after 11am Mass in the parish centre. ALL WELCOME

Please hand in any Mass Intentions into the Presbytery <u>NO Later</u> than a Wednesday 6pm. Please put through letterbox.

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Readings for next Sunday 25th Sunday of the Year/A

Isaiah 55:6-9

Philippians 1:20-24, 27

Matthew 20:1-16

WISHAW HOSPITAL

Anyone in hospital and needs the Sacrament of the Sick, The Chaplain can be contacted through the Hospital on 01698 361100 or Assistant Chaplain, Deacon Henry McKenna

300 Club 10/9/2023

£100 No 371 Thomas Sommerville £25 No 63 George Campbell

The month of September is dedicated to the Seven Sorrows of Mary.

Baptismal Preparation Course Part 2 Tuesday 19th September at 7pm in St Brigid's Centre, Newmains.

Parents and Godparents are expected to attend before a date is set for the baptism.

PLEASE REMEMBER IN YOUR PRAYERS:

The Sick: Stuart Carmichael; Angela McLaughlin; Matthew Kelly(Shotts);

Margaret Egan;

Recently Dead: Patricia Martin(Mother of Fr C Martin);

Months Mind: Mary, Joe & Betty Calderhead; Nancy Hinds; Joe Hunstone;

Ann Theresa Murphy; Brown, Gracie & McCarron Families;

Anniversary: Agnes McCann; McCann Family; Vincent Hoey; Michael McParland; Marie Brown; Mary Bradley; Doris Cullen;

Margaret Duffy RIP

Vigil & Reception Sunday 17th @6pm Funeral Mass Monday 18th @10am

Children's Liturgy

Thanks to those who came along to the meeting to re-establish Children's Liturgy in the parish and for volunteering.

We are now working at re-establishing the children's liturgy.

Mission Appeal

Welcome to Fr Clarke from Xaverian Fathers who joins us in the parish to make an appeal on behalf of his congregation.

A special welcome to the members of Primary 1 from St Brigid's School and their families who join us for Holy Mass on Saturday at 5.30pm The Rotary Club organization in Lanarkshire are collecting warm jackets for those struggling.

They have asked us to take a box for jacket donations.

This will happen during the month of October.