# 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,

and all the other wicked spirits who wander through the world seeking the ruin of souls. Amen.

Pope Francis' prayer intentions for March:

"For the New Martyrs"

Pope Francis invites prayer "for those around the world who risk their lives for the Gospel, to inspire the Church with their courage and missionary zeal."



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## 3rd Sunday of Lent

2nd/3rd March 2024 "The Year of Prayer"

### RESPONSE TO THE PSALM

You Lord have the message of eternal life

#### This week:

Sunday Mass @11am

Monday Mass @10am Tues 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:

£ 0.00

Thankyou for your support for our parish

Feasts this week

Thurs 7th St Perpetua & St Felicity

Tea/Coffee on Sundays after Mass in St Brigid's Centre.

Everyone is welcome

SCIAF Sunday ~~4th Sunday of Lent

Collection will be taken up at both Masses that weekend.

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

Scottish Charities Office Number SCO11041

# Readings for next Sunday 4th Sunday of Lent

2 Chronicles 36:14-16, 19-23

Ephesians 2:4-10

John 3:14-21

#### 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
07792 913166

### 300 Club 25 /2/2024

£100 No 301 Patricia McCardle £25 No 319 Gerry Burns Congratulations to all winners

The family of Kathleen Geraghty would like to thank everyone for their kind thoughts and prayers on her recent passing.

Holy Mass will be offered for everyone's intentions.

Stations of the Cross on Tuesdays and Fridays during Lent at 9.35am except on the occasion of a funeral.

## PLEASE REMEMBER IN YOUR PRAYERS:

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

Veronica Murphy; Tommy Murphy(mini bus);

Recently Dead: Silvio Jaconelli;

**Months Mind:** Richard Anthony Burns; Tom Hannah; Clayton, Pat, Gerard, Ellen Calderhead; James Murphy-Hunstone; Angelina, Gordon & Colin Campbell, Charlie Millar; Tommy Haughey;

**Anniversary**: Rena Walker; Ann Hutchison; Margaret Duffy; Pat & Nan Thomas; Eddie Dynes; Darren Dynes;

### St Patrick's Celebration

To be held in the Parish Centre on Saturday 16th March. Tickets £5 available from Willie & Eddie McCann/ Chris Drage

Entertainment; Food & Irish Dancing

#### **Gift Aid Scheme**

If you are a taxpayer then the parish is able to claim 28 pence for every pound you give in the collection. It is money for nothing basically. This costs you nothing extra.

You can join by filling out one of the Gift Aid Declaration Forms

Please return the forms to the Church Castlerigg Manor (Diocese of Lancaster Retreat Centre) are looking for a Programme Leader to join their youth ministry team. The work linvolves working on retreats in the heart of the Lake District, and occasionally working on outreach visits around the area. The post is residential and comes with a salary package in the range of £26-28k, made up of paid salary, accommodation, food etc. Would suit somebody with youth ministry experience perhaps recently graduated. Interested –

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