

MASS TEXT

Sunday Cycle C :: Weekday Cycle 2
Divine Office: Vol. 2, wk 4 with season

CALL TO SILENCE:

Praise we now the Lord our God,
in silence we adore you.

OT READING: Joshua 5:9-12

Psalms: 33:2-7

Taste and see that the Lord is good.

NT READING: II Corinthians 5:17-21

GOSPEL ACCLAMATION:

Praise to you O Christ, King of eternal glory!
Praise to you O Christ, King of eternal glory!

I will leave this place
and go to my father and say:
'Father, I have sinned against heaven
and against you.'

Praise to you O Christ, King of eternal glory!
Praise to you O Christ, King of eternal glory!

GOSPEL: Luke 15: 1-3, 11-32

Lenten Prayer to conclude Intercessions:

I love you Jesus, my love above all things. I
repent with my whole heart for having offend-
ed you. Never permit me to separate myself
from you again. Grant that I may love you
always, then do with me as you will. Amen.

PREFACE: II of Lent
EUCCHARISTIC PRAYER: IV

Sunday 13th March 2016
5th Sunday of Lent (C)

OT Reading: Isaiah 43:16-21

Psalms: 125

NT Reading: Philippians 3:8-14

Gospel: John 8: 1-11

ABABA PROJECT CHARITY SHOP WEEK.

The team run the shop this coming week (07-12 March). The shop is in the former Bak-ers Oven premises on the High Street. They still need help to staff the shop both behind the scenes and on the shop front. Sign-up on the schedule in the Church porch today, pick up a flyer or call if you can help. Tel. Derek on 07449326800 or Beatrice on 07803242372. We wish the team and all their volunteers great success this week in what is a new venture for us.



FOURTH SUNDAY IN LENT (C)

6th March 2016

St Teresa's Parish Community

Our Parish Priest is: Fr Jim Hayes
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A parish of the RC Diocese of Galloway. Charity Number: SC 010576.
The sick and housebound would appreciate a copy of the bulletin -
if you can please pop one through their door. Thank you.



SUNDAY MASSES:

11.30am here at St Teresa's

Sunday Mass also takes place as follows:

Vigil: 6pm in St Luke's, Moffat (DG10 9DS) also 6pm in St Andrew's, Dumfries (DG1 2JL);
Sundays: 9.30am in Holy Trinity, Lockerbie (DG11 2DA); 10am St Andrew's, Dumfries;
12 noon St Columba's, Annan (DG12 6JG)

SERVICES THIS WEEK

Mon, Tues, Sat-10am, Thurs 10am and 7pm.
Wednesday and Friday at 10am in St Andrew's

Exposition of the Blessed Sacrament:

Monday evenings 7pm till 8pm.
Saturdays following 10am service till 11am

Sacrament of Reconciliation:

Saturdays during Exposition

The Rosary:

Recited 15 mins. before mass on Tuesdays

The Ladies Guild: Meetings take place in the Hall on Tuesdays at 7.30pm.

The Parish Hall: To book the hall please contact Mrs Peggy Marshall on 261373

WEEKLY COLLECTION: £859.04. Thank you for your support.
The SVDP thank you for £171 donated in January.

Baptisms can be booked by contacting Fr Jim directly

Weddings normally require six months notice-please contact Fr Jim.

INTENTIONS THIS COMING WEEK:

Sunday: Mary Cochrane (1st Ann);
Monday: Gerry Allison RIP (90th Birthday remembrance);
Tuesday: John Lilly (Ann); Thursday 10am & 7pm: Sp.Int; Saturday: Sp.Int.
For the sick, the unemployed, the homeless, refugees and for peace.

SCIAF SPECIAL COLLECTION. The annual special collection for SCIAF takes place today (6th March)-Gift Aid envelopes are available from today. A pastoral letter from the Bishop President will be read at Mass today. The further good news is that the UK Government will match £1 for £1 again this year which last year helped raise the £1.8 million we donated to a magnificent £3.4 million! Let's at least aim to do the same again this year. This collection replaces the usual monthly Ababa Project collection but those who have TEACH envelopes are asked to put them in the SCIAF collection bag as it passes you. Thank you.

LENTEN QUIET TIME. During the Monday evenings of Lent Deacon Willie will lead a quiet hour in the Church from 7pm till 8pm before the Blessed Sacrament. Please come along and spend a few minutes or the whole hour-whichever you can manage.

LENTEN EVENING MASS. There is an additional Mass during Lent at 7pm on Thursdays.

LENTEN FAITH GROUP. Please join us each week of Lent for a time of discussion, learning and prayer on Thursday evenings from 7.30pm till 9pm in the Baptistry Room in the church. The text for these discussions is the book, "Catholic Faith Handbook" which can be picked up in the Sacristy.

STATIONS OF THE CROSS. On the Fridays during Lent the Stations of the Cross will take place in the church at 7pm.

PARISH CHOIR. To prepare for Holy Week and Easter the choir will meet in the Church on Wednesday evenings during Lent from 7pm till 8.15pm. Members, old and new are very welcome.

THE SATURDAY CLUB. The children preparing for the Sacraments of Reconciliation, Confirmation and Holy Communion all meet again with their catechists in the Baptistry Room here in the Church this coming Saturday (12th) from 11.15am till 1.15pm.

RECONCILIATION SERVICE/FIRST CONFESIONS. Our Lenten Reconciliation Service takes place in the Church on Monday 14th March at 7pm. During this service the children preparing for the Sacraments will celebrate with us-some of them for the very first time. All welcome.

LENTEN LUNCHESES. The Lenten Lunches to support Christian Aid continue in St John's Church Hall, Lovers' Walk here in the town on the Fridays of Lent, £3.50 for adults, £2 for children (for soup, roll, tea and coffee) from 12 noon till 1.30pm. Our own St Teresa's group hosts it on 18th March. Donations of Home Baking will be most welcome. Call our co-ordinator, Carole McCann on 07 949 890 615 for more info or to offer help.

THE LADIES GUILD. The ladies invite you to join them in the hall this Tuesday evening (8th) when their guest speaker will be Millar Caldwell on the theme of "Music as therapy and creativity". Join them at 7.30pm. (Date for your diary: Jumble Sale on Saturday 19th March at 2pm).

AA SUPPORT GROUP. This pop-in group meets on Fridays at 7.30pm in the Baptistry Room of the Church.