



**END OF PASCHALTIDE.** Today's Mass brings the season of Easter to a magnificent conclusion. We now return to Ordinary Time-the Tenth Week of the Year. The Paschal Candle will return to its' place by the font and Green is the colour of this season apart for the next two Sundays when the vesture is white to celebrate two Solemnity's of the Lord: The Most Holy Trinity next Sunday and The Body & Blood of Christ. This year the Solemnity of Saints Peter & Paul falls on Sunday 29th June. It will not be until July 6th that we return to green with the liturgy for the Fourteenth Sunday of the Year (A) and St Matthew's Gospel. This period is called Ordinary Time in the sense that the Sundays are referred to by their ordinal numbers.

**SACRAMENTAL CELEBRATION.** St Teresa's parish community welcome all our visitor's this week-end as we gather to celebrate the Sacraments of Confirmation and First Holy Communion with Iga, Patrycja, Lauren, Matthew and Dominic. We send our very best wishes to the children, their Sponsors, family and friends. Welcome one and all.

**THE WEDNESDAY CLUB.** Despite the poor weather the members had a lovely wee trip to Peebles last week. The club next meet in the Parish Hall on Wednesday 2nd July. Lunch is served from 12.30pm with activities till 3pm. No charge-all seniors more than welcome to attend.

**200 CLUB.** Congratulations to Angela Adams (019) and Elaine King (084) who took the winnings this month.

**COMMUNICATIONS SUNDAY.** Thank you for your contribution to the annual appeal and special collection for the work of the Communications Commission of the Bishops' Conference of Scotland last week-end which raised £330.56.

**WHITHORN YOUTH CAMP:** Two Whithorn Camps are organised this summer, for over 16s on 21st-22nd July and for 10-16 year olds on 30th-31st August. As well as the outdoor camping experience we will explore the history and spirituality of St Ninian. More details can be found at Galloway Catholic Youth on Facebook, [www.gallowayyouth.org.uk](http://www.gallowayyouth.org.uk), or speak to Father McGrattan, our diocesan youth officer on 01290 421031 or email him at the following email address: [info@rccumnock.org.uk](mailto:info@rccumnock.org.uk).



**ABABA PROJECT MARATHON SUCCESS.** Congratulations once again to Derek and Paula Cochrane who ran the Liverpool Marathon and Half-Marathon in aid of the Ababa Project. It is not too late to sponsor them for this fantastic effort-see them after Mass today or give your donation to any team member or Fr Jim. The monthly update and collection for the project will be taken up next week-end (Sunday 15th June).

**NEW DAWN CONFERENCE.** This Catholic pilgrimage conference takes place in Madras College, Kilrymont Road, St Andrew's from 7th-11th July. For further information see the poster on display or contact 0131 4476 153 or visit their website: [www.newdawninscotland.com](http://www.newdawninscotland.com)

**VOCATION DISCERNMENT.** If any single man (aged 17+) is considering a life in the Priesthood a Retreat has been organised by the diocesan Vocation Director's to take place in Coatbridge from 20-21 June to assist you in discerning the way ahead. It is free of charge to all who attend. To reserve a place and for full details please contact our diocesan Vocation Director, Fr Willie Boyd on email: [wh.boyd@btinternet.com](mailto:wh.boyd@btinternet.com) or telephone: 01294 279130. Or contact Fr Andrew McKenzie from the Priests for Scotland office (email: [office@pfs.org.uk](mailto:office@pfs.org.uk) or tel. 0141 763 1476). They will be pleased to hear from you. Why not have a chat with Fr Jim if you are thinking along these lines.



**PPC MEETING.** The meeting planned for Thursday 19th June has been re-scheduled to take place on Thursday 26th June (7pm till 9pm). Please note this change of date. Thank you.

**GUID NYCHBURRIS SONGS OF PRAISE.** This event takes place on Sunday 15th June at 7.30pm in Dumfries High School. A collection is usually taken in support of a charity and to help cover costs. All welcome.



**LIFE'S FLAVOUR.** This new book by Bishop Maurice Taylor is available in the Shop priced at £10. Those who have bought one already are recommending it as a good and interesting read!

**THE FRIDAY AA GROUP.** This confidential support group meets in the Baptistry room in the church on Fridays at 7.30pm.

# MASS TEXT

Sunday Cycle A :: Weekday Cycle 2  
Divine Office: Vol. 3 Week 2  
Today is also known as 'Whitsun'

**FIRST READING:** Acts 2:1-11

## PSALM 71:

O Lord be my help,  
be the rock where I hide,  
be my tower of strength each day.  
O Lord be my hope,  
be the one whom I trust,  
be the Saviour who guides my ways.

**SECOND READING:**

I Cor. 12:3-7. 12-13

**GOSPEL ACCLAMATION:**

Alleluia! Alleluia!  
Come, Holy Spirit, fill the hearts of  
your faithful, and kindle in them the  
fire of your love.  
Alleluia! Alleluia!

**GOSPEL:** John 20: 19-23

**Sunday 15th June is the  
SOLEMNITY of the  
HOLY TRINITY**

**1st Reading:** Exodus 34: 4-6. 8-9

**Canticle:** Daniel 3: 52-56

**2nd Reading:** II Cor. 13:11-13

**Gospel:**  
John 3: 16-18

## ST ANDREW'S DEANERY EMBRACING CHANGE CONFERENCE



Following last year's successful Year of Faith Conference, St Andrew's deanery will hold another day conference on the subject of living with Embracing Change open to all parishioners of the deanery. It will take place on Saturday 5th July from 11am till 3pm in St Andrew's & St Cuthbert's Parish Hall, Kirkcudbright.

We hope at least 9 or 10 parishioners from each parish in the deanery will attend along with the priests and deacons.

Please put the date in your diary and perhaps arrange with each other to travel together.

There is no cost involved, participants are asked to take along a packed lunch. Tea/coffee will be available.

**Please keep the conference  
in your prayers.**

## SOLEMNITY OF PENTECOST (A) 8th June 2014

### St Teresa's Parish Community

Our Parish Priest is: Fr Jim Hayes  
St Teresa's Presbytery, Glasgow Street,  
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Our Parish Deacon is: Mr William Hiddleston

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:*

Saturday vigil: 6pm St Luke's, Moffat and 6pm in St Andrew's, Dumfries;  
Sundays: 9.30am in Holy Trinity, Lockerbie; 10am St Andrew's, Dumfries;  
12 noon St Columba's, Annan.

### SERVICES THIS WEEK

Mon, Tues & Sat at 10am. Thurs at 9am.  
*Wednesday and Friday at 10am in St Andrew's*

Exposition of the Blessed Sacrament: Saturdays 10.30am-10.55am

Sacrament of Reconciliation: Saturdays 10.30am-10.55am

The Rosary: After 10am service on Tuesdays

**The Ladies Guild:** Meet on Tuesdays at 7.30pm in the Hall.

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

**WEEKLY COLLECTION: £716.52** Thank you for your weekly support.

Baptisms can be booked by contacting Fr Jim directly

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

### MASS INTENTIONS THIS COMING WEEK:

Sunday: Theresa Thomson (RecDec);  
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Thursday at 9am: Fr Eugene Nee (Golden Jubilee of Ordination);  
Saturday: Theresa Thomson (RecDec).

We remember all those who are sick at home, in hospital or in care.  
We pray for all those recently bereaved families and friends.