

MASS TEXT

Sunday Cycle B :: Weekday Cycle 1
DO: Vol. 2, Week 4 with season

CALL TO SILENCE:

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

FIRST READING: Acts 2:1-11

PSALM 103:

Send forth your Spirit, O Lord,
and renew the face of the earth.

SECOND READING: Gal. 5:16-25

GOSPEL ACCLAMATION:

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

GOSPEL: John 15: 26-27; 16:12-15

*Preface of the
Mystery of Pentecost
Eucharistic Prayer II*

**Sunday 31st May is
TRINITY SUNDAY (B)**

1st Reading:
Deuteronomy 4:32-34. 39-40.

Psalms: Ps. 32

2nd Reading: Romans 8: 14-17

Gospel: Matthew 28: 16-20

CLERGY AND PARISH CHANGES IN THE DIOCESE OF GALLOWAY

Bishop Nolan has announced the following changes in the Diocese:

Fr Eddie McGhee to retire from parish ministry due to ill health but will continue in his duties as Prison Chaplain to Kilmarnock Prison; Fr Martin Chambers will become Parish Priest of Mount Carmel Parish, Kilmarnock whilst retaining his current parish of St Matthew's. Fr Stephen Latham to become parish priest of St Michael's, Kilmarnock whilst retaining his current parish of St Joseph's, Kilmarnock. Fr Ben Lodge CP to become Parish Priest of St Sophia's, Galston and St Paul's, Hurlford.

Fr Graeme Bell is granted a leave of absence.

Deacon Bob Simpson and Deacon Peter Marks appointed Parish Deacons of Our Lady & St Ninian's, Newton Stewart and St Martin and St Ninian's Whithorn to administer the parishes on a day to day basis with Fr William McFadden appointed Parish Priest there to cover Sunday Masses and emergencies whilst retaining his current duties. The Mass times for this pastoral area of our deanery from the week-end of 13/14 June will be: 5pm Vigil Mass in Whithorn; 5pm Vigil Mass in Dalbeattie; 9.30am Mass in Kirkcudbright; 11.30am Mass in Newton Stewart. Sunday Masses will cease to be celebrated in Wigtown and Gatehouse of Fleet.

Please pray for the people and clergy of these parish communities as they continue to witness to the Lord in these challenging circumstances.

SOLEMNITY OF PENTECOST (B) 24th May 2015

St Teresa's Parish Community

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Our Parish Deacon is: Rev. 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
<i>Sunday Mass also takes place as follows:</i> 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	<i>Mon, Tues, Thurs & Sat at 10am Wed at 6.30pm & Frid at 10am in St Andrew's</i>
Exposition of the Blessed Sacrament:	Saturday after 10am service till 11am.
Sacrament of Reconciliation:	Saturday after 10am service till 11am.
The Rosary:	Recited at 9.45am on Tuesdays
The Ladies Guild: Meetings take place on Tuesdays in the Hall at 7.30pm.	
The Parish Hall: To book the hall please contact Mrs Peggy Marshall on 261373	
WEEKLY COLLECTION: £717.52 Thank you.	
Baptisms can be booked by contacting Fr Jim directly	
Weddings normally require six months notice-please contact Fr Jim.	
INTENTIONS THIS COMING WEEK:	
Sunday: Billy Robertson (7th Ann); Monday: Eddie Lavery RIP; Tuesday: Arran Tosh RIP; Thursday: Annie McGee (RecDec); Saturday: Mary McLane (RecDec).	
For the young people in their exam period. For the suffering people of Nepal. We pray too for those undergoing surgery or treatment of any kind.	

Please pray for the repose of the souls of

Mrs Mary McLane RIP

Mrs Annie McGee RIP

Who have sadly passed away.

Mary's Reception and Requiem Mass will take place on Friday 5th June at 12noon followed by final commendation at Roucan Loch.

Annie's arrangements to be announced.

Our sincere condolences and prayers are sent to their families and friends at this sad time.

May they rest in peace.



CONGRATULATIONS. we send our very best wishes to Scott and Kerry Welsh, their family and friends who join us for 11.30am Mass today for the Baptism of their baby daughter Aoife Orlaith. Our good wishes also go to Lisa and Lee Anderson, their family and friends who celebrate their wee boy, Callum Michael's Baptism this afternoon at 2pm. We wish both families every blessing on such a special day for them all.

SPECIAL COLLECTION. The annual Communications Fund collection last week raised £293.63. Thank you very much.

ROME PILGRIMAGE 2016. As you might have been aware we were planning on a Rome pilgrimage next year but since Pope Francis has declared next year as a Holy Year (Of Mercy) Bishop Nolan has announced a diocesan pilgrimage to the eternal city and so we will no longer conduct our own as well. The details are: Depart from Glasgow airport on Jet2 flight on Thursday 2nd June till Thursday 9th June 2016 led by Bishop Nolan. Estimated price is £830 which includes 7 nights half-board accommodation based in the 3* Hotel Olympic with visits to all the major Basilicas and a day trip to Assisi. Booking Forms are now available at the back of church and should be returned to Alba Tours with your deposit. Fr Jim will gladly arrange for your airport transport using the parish minibus.



CONFIRMATION AND FIRST COMMUNION DAY. The children celebrate these Sacraments on Sunday 7th June at 11.30am mass.



Stirling 2015

Scottish Catholic Youth Festival

CALLING ALL YOUNG PEOPLE AGED 14-25. A Catholic Youth Festival is being organised for young people aged 14-25 at Stirling University from Thursday 30th July to Sunday 2nd August 2015 by the Catholic Youth Service, Scotland

(CYSS) team. The cost will be £250 but the parish will sponsor this by £100 bringing the cost to only £150 this includes all transport, food, accommodation and activities. To reserve a place please call the diocesan youth officer, Fr Stephen McGrattan on (01290) 421031 or email him at info@rccumnock.org.uk or go online for more info at www.gallowayyouth.org.uk or have a chat with Fr Jim who has some booking forms.

EXAM TIME FOR YOUNG PEOPLE. We hope our young folk are coping with their exam period. Keep up the good work-we're praying for you all.

SCIAF'S NEPAL EARTHQUAKE EMERGENCY APPEAL. If you can help please subscribe online at www.sciaf.org.uk or send a donation to: SCIAF, 19 Park Circus, Glasgow. G3 6BE. Gift Aid envelopes are now available from SCIAF at the back of church if you wish to hand them in we are happy to collect and send them on or you may send it to them directly at the address above. Thank you.

DVD OF BISHOP NOLAN'S ORDINATION. This DVD is now available in the church porch today. Please use the envelope provided with it to make payment (£10 cash).



GROW IN FAITH. The next evening for discussing our Christian faith will take place in St Teresa's Hall on Thursday 28th May from 7pm till 9pm. All welcome.

DAY OUTING. The Wednesday Club are having a wee outing to New Lanark Heritage Village on Wednesday 3rd June. The coach leaves from St Teresa's Church at 10am and departs New Lanark at 3pm. There is space on the coach for others to join them-please sign-up on the list in the porch. The coach is free but entrance to the museum/exhibition is approx. £8. All welcome.

