

PARISH DAY TRIP TO IONA



The date for the Iona trip will be Tuesday 16th August, leaving at approximately 7am and returning around 10pm in the evening. Cost is £25 per person.

There are 39 places on a first come first serve basis. Last Sundays list was to gauge numbers only You must re-enlist on new sheet a back of church if interested. ✳

There are no lowering platforms/ or elevators for disabled people on the bus or ferry, but if anyone can't manage the few steps onto the bus I'm sure there would be plenty of people willing to assist. There are designated seats on the bus for disabled people. It's been suggested we take packed lunches with us, and we may get take away fish & chips on our return to Oban. More details will follow.

The Church is the community of believers, the community of hope lived and communicated, the community of love; and she needs to listen unceasingly to what she must believe, to her reasons for hoping, to the new commandment of love. She is the people of God immersed in the world. - (Evangelii Nuntiandi 15.3)

<http://www.justiceandpeacescotland.org.uk/>



ALTAR SERVERS..... Need to be congratulated.

The older ones for teaching the new younger servers. The new servers for offering to learn and volunteering their time. Some come for mass Saturday morning, the Vigil mass and Sunday mass as well.

Thanks also to their parents too who are supporting them. During the holidays they are welcome to serve at the week-day masses if they wish.



BRAZIL COINS & CHILDREN'S CLOTHES STILL NEEDED

If you wish to support please take/ask for a jar... When filled just leave it at the back of the church and it will be collected... **and pick up another jar!**

CHILDREN'S CLOTHES: Twice a year (at end of July and November) there is an opportunity to send out second hand clothes for 2 to 11 year olds. The clothes sent out are normally handed on to the next generation and the next.

Compared with previous years very little is coming in clothes and jars.

PLEASE HELP IN ANY WAY YOU CAN - EVERY LITTLE HELPS!

On holiday? You've found us.....

Welcome, come and join us in prayer and thanksgiving.
We as a Christian community welcome people on holiday.

Please feel at home and free to ask about anything.....
Services, mass times, events and even where are the toilets?

Contact details are on the front page of this newsletter.

St. Bernadette's - Parish Newsletter

10th July 2016 - 15th Sunday of the year



Diocese of Dunkeld Scottish Charity No. SC001810
Parish Website <http://www.catholic-church.org/stbernadettes/>

MASS TIMES

Vigil Mass Saturday: 5.30pm

Sunday Morning Mass: 11.30am

Monday, Wed, Thurs & Sat at 9.30am

Friday evenings at 7.00pm

(Tuesday - No Services)

**Baingle Brae,
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Welcome

Are you visiting our Parish or have just moved into the area?

Please feel very welcome.....

Introduce yourself to the Parish Priest or welcomers at the back of the church.

There are no strangers here just new friends you haven't yet met.



JUBILEE OF MERCY
MERCIFUL LIKE THE FATHER

PONTIFICAL COUNCIL FOR THE PROMOTION OF THE NEW EVANGELIZATION



Please remember in your prayers those who are sick... Dan Tierney, Anne McNiven, Veronica Clarke, Peter James Clarke, Gerard Clarke, Kathleen Clarke, Margaret Tobin, Austen Todd, Sarah Jane Connelly, Paul Kochanek, Brendan Murphy, Margaret Byrne, Brigit Grey, Margaret Foye, Margaret Mc'Intyre, Susie Meehan, Mary Hughes, Dave Kerr, Gracie MacLeod(baby), Baby Dowds, and all those in the various nursing homes.



Remember those who have recently died....

Joan Wright and Helen Mangan.

and those whose anniversaries of their death occur at this time...

Winnie Conlan,, Sandy Suave and Peter Lamb.



+ Today is Sea Sunday - Special collection. +

Parish Collections

3rd July	Gift Aided	£270.00
	Non Gift Aided	£257.14

REGULAR MEETINGS

ST. VINCENT DE PAUL: Meet every 2 wks in Church hall before Sunday mass at 10.30am.
(No July meetings. Next meeting 7th August.)

KNIGHTS OF ST. COLUMBA:
Meet on the 1st Wednesday of each month at 7.30pm in St. Mungo's Church Hall Alloa.

THIS WEEKS PARISH DAIRY

Saturday 9th July	9.30am - Mass and Confessions, St. Bernadette's - Fr. Mike 5.30 pm - Vigil Mass, St. Bernadette's - Fr. Martin 6.00pm - Vigil Mass, Alloa - Fr. Mike 7.00pm - Vigil Mass, St. James, Kinross - Fr. Martin	Where Fr. Mike is celebrating mass there will be a retired seaman preaching.
15th Sunday in Ordinary Time	Sea Sunday - Special Collection 9.30am - Mass, Alloa - Fr. Mike 9.30am - Mass, St. James, Kinross - Fr. Martin 11.30am - Mass, St. Bernadette's - Fr. Mike 11.30am - Mass, Highvalleyfield - Fr. Martin 6.15pm - Mass, St. John Vianney's, Alva - Fr. Mike	
Sunday 10th July	9.30am - Mass, St. Bernadette's	
Mon 11th July	NO PARISH SERVICES - 10.30am - Mass Nazareth House, Edinburgh	
Tues 12th July	9.30am - Mass, St. Bernadette's	
Wed 13th July	9.30am - Mass, St. Bernadette's	
Thurs 14th July	7.00pm - Evening Mass, St. Bernadette's.	
Fri 15th July	9.30am - Mass and Confessions, St. Bernadette's - Fr. Mike 5.30 pm - Vigil Mass, St. Bernadette's - Fr. Martin 6.00pm - Vigil Mass, Alloa - Fr. Mike 7.00pm - Vigil Mass, St. James, Kinross - Fr. Martin	
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16th Sunday In Ordinary Time		
Sunday 17th July		

FORTHCOMING EVENTS

18 July 10am,	Funeral St. Mungo's. (Helen Mangan) (M/Office - St. Bernadette's, 9.30)	30 July	Wedding
11 Aug	Clacks full Council meeting	27/28 Aug	Aid Church to in Need
1 Sept	Mass new school term.	29/30 Sept	Priests' Council, Airth Castle
2 Nov	Cathedral Jubilee mass for the dead	5 / 6 Dec	Priests' retreat Kinnoull.

There is a Pastoral letter from Bishop Hugh, Aberdeen and Bishop Stephen regarding Brexit. However, it arrived too late for newsletters and we have a guest this weekend so will be read out at next week's masses. Exceptionally there is a Polish version available at the back of the church or ask Fr. Mike if you need one.

Please note the firm has finished painting the large church windows. They were in a terrible state. The corridor windows were painted by parishioners. Many thanks to those who helped.

FIRST COMMUNIONS 2017:
Some parents already asking.
We can confirm
First Holy Communion
will be on 11th June 2017.

Please note while Fr. Brian is away in Lourdes for a week (8th to 15th July) Fr. Mike is acting PP for St. John Vianney's, Alva. In addition during the month of July Canon John is on some well earned holidays therefore Fr. Mike and Fr. Martin will be sharing looking after all 4 parishes. (St Bernadette's, St. James's, St. Mungo's and St Serf's)

Today is Sea Sunday, when the Church prays for all those who live and work at sea.



Apostleship of the Sea

Supporting Seafarers Worldwide

Without them we would not have most of the items we buy in the shops. Today's second collection is for Apostleship of the Sea (AoS), the Church's official maritime welfare agency. It supports seafarers both practically and spiritually. This annual collection is absolutely vital to enable it to continue its work, so please give generously and remember seafarers in your prayers.

Thank you.

More information on the work of AoS:
www.apostleshipofthesea.org.uk

*O Eternal Lord God,
Creator of earth and sky and sea
Be pleased to receive into your protection
All who go down to the sea in ships,
And occupy their business in great waters
Preserve them in body and soul;
Prosper their labours with good success;
in all times of danger be their defence and
bring them to the haven where they would be;
through Christ our Lord,
Amen*

Our closest major port Grangemouth is served by
Deacon Joe O'Donnell who can be contacted at
josephodonnell@apostleshipofthesea.org.uk



AoS Development Officer for Scotland, Euan McArthur gave a talk to pupils from St Bernadette's Primary School,



Crew send heartfelt email of thanks to Deacon Joe O'Donnell

 **Society of St. Vincent de Paul Scotland**

JUBILEE YEAR OF MERCY
Feed the Hungry...



JUBILEE YEAR OF MERCY
"OPEN YOUR HEART TO GOD'S MERCY"

Place items in box/ basket at the back of the Church. Our S.V.D.P. and K.S.C. will distribute the goods to the needy in our area and if possible support "The Gate" Foodbank in Alloa.

