

Scottish Catholic Safeguarding Service National Conference

Saturday 1st Oct 2016 10:30am - 4:30pm

“Safe as Houses” – but how safe?

Working together to prevent abuse.

The Annual National Safeguarding Conference for all who work in Safeguarding in our parishes will be held in the Scottish Police College, Tulliallan Castle, Alloa, FK10 4BE.

The focus will be on working together to prevent abuse and harm. Please complete Booking Form and return to the Diocesan Safeguarding Office by 29th August.

POSTER ON NOTICE BOARD AT BACK OF CHURCH



mary's meals

a simple solution to world hunger

Mary's Meals provides life-changing meals to some of the world's poorest children every school day.

We are a no-frills charity with a simple idea that works: by providing one good meal in a place of learning, children are drawn into the classroom where they can receive an education that could one day free them from poverty.



Mary's Meals is named after Mary, mother of Jesus, who brought up her own child in poverty. We consist of, respect and reach out to people of all faiths and of none. Our vision is that every child receives one daily meal in their place of education. Working together, we believe that can be achieved in this world of plenty.

At the end of September we'll have our annual Mary's Meals weekend with speakers from the charity, collection of used clothes etc and sale of annual raffle tickets. So put your old clothes to good use keep them and bring to the church hall on our collection day at the end of September.

There are many ways to help... by donating your time, money, skills and prayers.

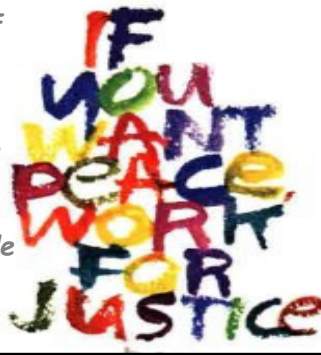
Mary's Meals today is feeding 1,101,206 of the world's poorest children every day they attend school.

More information at : www.marysmeals.org.uk/

Here I would like to indicate ... : the option or love of preference for the poor. This is an option or a special form of primacy in the exercise of Christian charity to which the whole tradition of the church bears witness. It affects the life of each Christian inasmuch as he or she seeks to imitate the life of Christ, but it applies equally to our social responsibilities and hence to our manner of living, and to the logical decisions to be made concerning the ownership and use of goods.

Sollicitudo Rei Socialis 42.1

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



Mobile phones must be switched off or put to Airplane mode in the church as they interfere with our speaker system.

St. Bernadette's - Parish Newsletter

28th August 2016 - 22nd 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)

Welcome

Are you visiting our Parish or have you 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.

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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 Mc'Niven, Mrs Kathleen Clarke & Family, (Veronica, Peter-James, Gerard, Bernard and Sean-Joseph), Margaret Tobin, Austen Todd, Sarah Jane Connelly, Brigit Grey, Susie Meehan, Brendan Murphy, Paul Kochanek, Margaret Byrne, Margaret Foye, Sheena Neil, Margaret Mc'Intyre, Dave Kerr, Mary Hughes, Gracie MacLeod(baby), Baby Dowds, Peter Doyle, Lynne Malkiewicz 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... Helen Kelly, Bernadette Forsyth, William Forsyth, Rena Welby and Fr. Jim Wallace



Next weekend 3rd/4th Sept - Bishop's Mensal Fund Special Collection

Parish Collections

21st August	Gift Aided	£283.10
	Non Gift Aided	£279.24

REGULAR MEETINGS

ST. VINCENT DE PAUL: Meet every 2 weeks in Church hall at 10.30am before Sunday mass.
(Next meetings 4th & 18th September)

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 DIARY

Saturday 27th August	9.30am - Mass and Confessions, St. Bernadette's 5.30 pm - Vigil Mass, St. Bernadette's	22nd Sunday in Ordinary Time
Aid Church to in Need Presentations & Sale of goods		
Sunday 28th August	11.30am - Mass, St. Bernadette's.	
Monday 29th August	9.30am - Mass St. Bernadette's.	
Tuesday 30th August	NO PARISH SERVICES 10.30am - Mass Nazareth House, Edinburgh	
Wednesday 31st August	9.30am - Mass, St. Bernadette's.	
Thursday 1st September	9.30am - School opening term Mass, St. Bernadette's church	
Friday 2nd September	11.00am - Priests meeting, Tullibody 7.00pm - Evening Mass, St. Bernadette's.	
Saturday 3rd September	9.30am - Mass and Confessions, St. Bernadette's 5.30 pm - Vigil Mass, St. Bernadette's	23rd Sunday In Ordinary Time
Sunday 4th September	11.30am - Mass, St. Bernadette's. Bishop's Mensal Fund special collection. Liturgy Committee meeting after mass.	

FORTHCOMING EVENTS

1 Sept	School Mass for new term.	4 Sept	Carfin Pilgrimage
5 Sept	PPC Meeting 7pm	15 Sept	Missio Diocesan Directors, Coatbridge
18 Sept	Ecclesiastical students fund	19 Sept	ANNUAL VOCATIONS MASS
29/30 Sept	Priests' Council. Kinross	2 Nov	Cathedral Jubilee mass for the dead
5 / 6 Dec	Priests' retreat Kinnoull.		

TODAY REPRESENTATIVES OF **AID TO THE CHURCH IN NEED** WILL BE IN OUR PARISH. THEY WILL TALK AND EXPLAIN ABOUT THE EXCELLENT WORK THEY DO. THERE IS NO SPECIAL COLLECTION, HOWEVER, THEY SHOULD HAVE RELIGIOUS ARTICLES WHICH THEY PRODUCE ON SALE AT THE BACK OF THE CHURCH. I AM SURE PEOPLE WILL WELCOME CLARE AND FIND HER SHARING BOTH MOVING AND WORRYING.



Liturgy Committee

Immediately after mass on 4th September there will be a special meeting for our Liturgy Committee in preparation for the Pastoral Council on Monday. Anyone involved in any way with the liturgy is encouraged to participate. However, it is open and everyone is more than welcome. Meeting should last about 30 minutes as most people have other Sunday commitments.

The special collection for the Mensal Fund will be next week as we have a presentation from Aid to Church in Need this weekend.

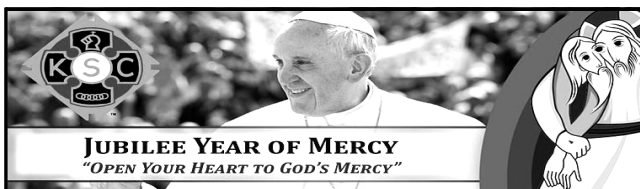
NEXT PPC MEETING IS ON MONDAY 5th SEPTEMBER AT 7.00pm IN CHURCH HALL



Tullibody South Campus

As people now probably know the Clackmannanshire Council voted unanimously for the construction of a Tullibody South Campus, incorporating a new build of Abercromby PS and a relocation and new build of St. Bernadette's PS within the grounds of Abercromby school; the Council will engage with the key stakeholders, including the Diocese of Dunkeld, and bring back a further report in January 2017 providing further information on the stakeholder engagement and set out final design proposals.

This news to some a surprise and to others expected will make some parishioners and parents happy and others unhappy. Despite the flaws and many reservations expressed this was all done according to Scottish Law. We as a parish now have to come together and make this work for the future education of our children. As we receive more information we will pass this on especially through the Parish Pastoral Council.



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



JUBILEE YEAR OF MERCY
Feed the Hungry...



Place items in box/ basket at the back of the Church. Our SVDP and KSC will distribute the goods to the needy in our area and if possible support "The Gate" Foodbank in Alloa.

National Pilgrimage to Carfin in honour of St. Margaret of Scotland.



Image of Saint Margaret in a window at St Margaret's Chapel, Edinburgh

Sunday 4th September 2016
Concelebrated Mass at 3pm
Archbishop Philip Tartaglia & Archbishop Leo Cushley
See notice at back of church.