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# *Saint Mungo's Bulletin*

## *Townhead and Sighthill*

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### **Masses in St Mungo's Church**

Saturday Vigil Mass: 6.00 pm

Sunday: 10.00 am, 12.00 noon, 7.00 pm

Weekdays: 10.00 am, 12.15, 6.00 pm

### **Holydays of Obligation**

6.00 pm Vigil, 10.00 am, 12.15, 7.00 pm

9.30 am in St Stephen's School

11.00 am in St Kevin's School

### **Eucharistic Adoration**

Wednesdays: 10.30 am to 12.00 noon, 6.30 to 7.30 pm

Saturdays: 10.30 am to 12.00 noon, 7.00 to 8.00 pm

### **Sacrament of Reconciliation**

Daily: 10.30 am to 12.00 noon, 5.30 to 6.00 pm

Saturday: 10.30 am to 12.00 noon,

4.30 to 6.00 pm, 7.00 to 8.00 pm

**Today is the Twenty-first Sunday of the Year**  
**The Second Collection today is for the Restoration Fund**

*The Forty Hours Adoration begins today in Saint Brendan's (Yoker) and Saint Gabriel's (Merrylee)*

### **Saint Mungo's Academy Former Pupils Mass**

Tomorrow (Monday) at 7.00 p.m., Bishop Philip Tartaglia will be principal celebrant at a Mass in Saint Mungo's to mark the 150<sup>th</sup> anniversary of the founding of Saint Mungo's Academy. This Mass, organised by the Former Pupils Association, coincides with the date of the opening of the Academy in 1858. Cardinal Keith O'Brien will preside at the Mass and will dedicate a new Icon of Saint Marcellin Champagnat, Founder of the Marist Brothers. The Mass will be followed by a buffet in the Middle Hall, where there will also be a small exhibition of photographs and artefacts from the Marist Brothers and the Academy. All are welcome.

**Our Lady of Sorrows Novena:** The Solemn Novena in honour of Our Lady of Sorrows begins on Sunday, 7 September and continues until Monday, 15 September. The Novena Service, which includes Mass, is at 12.15 and 7.30 p.m. on weekdays, 12.15 and 6.00 p.m. on Saturday, and 12.00 noon and 7.00 p.m. on Sundays.

**During the novena, there will be no 6.00 p.m. Mass, except on Saturday.**

**Community Changes:** Last weekend, we received news of some changes in the Passionist Community at Saint Mungo's which will take place around the eighth of December. Father Paul Francis will be moving to the parish of Saint Gabriel of Our Lady of Sorrows, Prestonpans, as parish priest. Father Marius will be moving to Saint Gabriel's Retreat, The Graan, Enniskillen. From December, the Rector of Saint Mungo's will be Father Dermot Gallagher C.P. and the new parish priest will be Father James Andrew Berrie C.P.

**Parish Council:** The next meeting of the Parish Pastoral Council will be on Thursday, 4 September at 7.30 p.m. in Saint Mungo's Retreat. **Please note the change of date.**

**Caledonian University:** New students at Glasgow Caledonian University are asked to contact Father Paul Francis or Sister Maureen for information about the University's Catholic Chaplaincy.

**The Week at Saint Mungo's:**

<i>Sunday</i>	After 12.00 Mass: Tea and biscuits in the Bottom Hall
<i>Monday</i>	7.30 p.m. Prayer Meeting at the Passionist Sisters, Flat 17/2, 3 Pinkston Drive
<i>Tuesday</i>	7.30 p.m. St. Anne's Guild (Middle Hall)
<i>Wednesday</i>	8.00 p.m. Charismatic Prayer Meeting in the Big Parlour
<i>Saturday</i>	1.30 p.m. Alanon Meeting in the Bottom Hall
	7.30 p.m. A.A. Meeting in the Bottom Hall

**Young Adults and Students:** The next monthly Youth Mass will be celebrated on Sunday, 14 September at 7.00 p.m. in the Church. In preparation for the Youth Mass, the Young Adult Group will meet for prayer and reflection on Wednesday of next week, 3 September, at 8.00 p.m. in Saint Mungo's Retreat.

**Rosary after Mass:** The rosary is prayed daily (Monday to Saturday) after the 10.00 and 12.15 Masses.

**Children's Liturgy of the Word** (during the 12.00 Mass) will begin again next Sunday.

**R.C.I.A. – Journey of Faith:** The new R.C.I.A. session will begin later this year. The R.C.I.A. group exists to help adults who wish to prepare to be baptised or confirmed or who are interested in becoming Catholics. The group normally meets from the autumn until Pentecost. Meetings are held weekly and last about an hour and a half. The meeting includes a time of prayer, scripture reading, a chance to talk and share our faith together, and instruction on some aspect of the Catholic faith. If you would like more information about the group, please speak to Father Paul Francis.

**Readers and Eucharistic Ministers:** There will be a joint meeting for Readers and Extraordinary Ministers of Holy Communion on Monday, 22 September at 7.30 p.m. in Saint Mungo's Retreat. There are no earlier meetings because of the Our Lady of Sorrows Novena. If you would like to help the parish community as a reader or Eucharistic minister, please contact Father Anthony.

**Marian Action for the Homeless:** The Marian Action group, which works with homeless people in the City of Glasgow, will begin meeting again in September. Meetings are on Thursday evenings at 6.00 in the Big Parlour, Saint Mungo's Retreat.

**Communauté Francophone (Mass for French-speaking Catholics):** Mass in French is offered in Saint Mungo's on the first Sunday of every month at 3.00 p.m. All are welcome.

**Saint Charles Healing Mass:** At the 12.15 Mass every Saturday, there are Novena Prayers in honour of Saint Charles of Mount Argus, followed by Blessing with the Relic of Saint Charles. The 12.15 Mass on Saturdays is offered for those who are enrolled in the Passionist Mass Guild.

**Bereavement Group:** The group meets fortnightly for prayer, sharing and support. The next meeting will be on Tuesday, 2 September from 7.30 to 9.00 p.m. in Saint Mungo's Retreat. New members are welcome.

**Parish Registration:** If you are new to the parish or if you have changed your address or phone number, please fill out a registration form. The registration form also is a way of volunteering for parish ministries and activities, so if you want to be more involved in the parish, you can let us know through the registration form.

**African Children September Appeal:** The following items are now needed by Scottish International Relief for children in Africa: **Crayons or Coloured Pencils, Jotter or Notepad, Pencil, Pen.** Items donated – as above – will be forwarded to African countries such as Liberia, Uganda, Democratic Republic of Congo. Scottish International Relief (SIR) can also use donations of all types of clothing, towels, bedding and bric-a-brac. These goods will then either be sent directly overseas, or may be sold to raise funds to help in various countries. Please hand in to Saint Peter's, Hyndland Street, Partick before or after morning Mass. For large items, call SIR (Scottish International Relief) 0800 698 1212.

**The Mass Bus:** The Bus which brings parishioners from Sighthill to 12.00 noon Sunday Mass leaves Saint Stephen's Primary School every Sunday at 11.40 a.m. The bus also stops in Fountainwell Road.

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#### **Saint Mungo's Bookshop @ Saint Mungo's Church**

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