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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 Fifth Sunday of Easter - Year B

The Second Collection today is for the Restoration Fund

'Make your home in me, as I make mine in you.'

These special words of Jesus in the gospel today are very important for all of us, but perhaps especially for the children of our community who today will receive Jesus in the Sacrament of the Eucharist for the first time.

This special day will help them on a new stage of their journey of faith to become more like Jesus in everything they say and do. However, they are still very young and so, they will need our help and encouragement as well as our example of what it means to be able to receive Jesus in Holy Communion. All of us have this responsibility, not just their parents. We must all try to live our lives like Jesus, revealing his love for his friends, and remember that we are not alone in this, Jesus is with us always.

As Jesus says in the gospel, 'I am the vine, you are the branches'.

So, today, let us all promise God that we will do our best to help our young people experience the love of Jesus in their hearts today and everyday.

First Communions take place today and next Sunday at the 12 noon Mass.

Golden Jubilee – the Community here at St. Mungo's are delighted to announce the Golden Jubilee of Ordination of Fr. Anthony C.P. A Mass of thanksgiving will take place in St. Mungo's on Friday 15th May 2009 at 7.30p.m. Everyone is invited to join us in this celebration, and to the Buffet which will take place in the hall afterwards. We ask the Lord to bless Fr. Anthony C.P. in a very special way in this his Golden Jubilee year.

The Week at Saint Mungo's:

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| <i>Monday</i> | 7.30 p.m. | Prayer Meeting at the Passionist Sisters, Flat 17/2, 3 Pinkston Drive |
| | 8.00 p.m. | Narcotics Anonymous Meeting in the Bottom Hall |
| <i>Tuesday</i> | 7.30 p.m. | St. Anne's Guild (Middle Hall) |
| <i>Saturday</i> | 1.30 p.m. | Al-anon Meeting in the Bottom Hall |
| | 7.30 p.m. | A.A. Meeting in the Bottom Hall |

The Young Adult Group will meet this Sunday 10th May from 5.30 – 6.30p.m. to prepare for the Youth Mass.

Young Adult Group will meet in the Retreat next Sunday 17th May from 5.30 – 6.30p.m. for Prayer and Reflection.

Readers in our Church please note that your next meeting tomorrow, Monday 11th May at 7.30p.m. in the Retreat.

Eucharistic Ministers will meet in the Retreat this Tuesday 12th May at 7.30p.m.

Wee Box, Big Change - this is the motto of SCIAF for the little boxes that many of you took home during Lent. If it is possible, would you please now return the boxes in order for us to forward them to SCIAF. Remember, every little gift helps to make the lives of those who are in need more secure, and gives people the opportunity to help themselves to be more self-sufficient.

Parish Council – there will be a meeting for the council on Monday 18th May at 7.30p.m. in the Retreat. Items for the agenda should be handed to the Secretary or Fr James Andrew by Thursday 14th May.

The **Cardinal Winning Pro-Life Initiative** is hosting two internationally renowned speakers. **Vicki Thorn** and **Raymond de Souza**. Both are excellent speakers and all are welcome to attend the talks. See Posters in Church Porch.

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.

The Mother and Toddler Group continues on Mondays and Wednesdays from 9.30 – 11.30a.m. This takes place in the Hall. If you are interested contact Sr. Maureen or even just come along. All welcome.

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

Vacancy: for a **Part Time Cook** required to work weekends. Eight Hours in all. Relevant catering experience essential. You will be required to present a C.V., references and any qualifications you have achieved. For more information contact: Sr. Maureen C.P.

St. Mungo's Old Folks Centre for Wellbeing Dear Parishioner, I am sure you will be familiar with the centre which was opened by Fr John Mary C.P. in 1963. Over the years it has been very well supported by the parish. At this time, we are currently renewing our membership for 2009/10. The annual cost of membership is **£2** and we invite all members of the parish who are over 60 years to take up membership either in an active, or a supportive way – 'it's bargain!'

All you have to do is pop in to the centre Monday – Friday, 9.30a.m. – 3.30p.m. and speak with Anne-Marie. The next **Ladies Night** will take place on Thursday 14th May in the Middle Hall from 7.30p.m. – 11.30p.m.

200 Club Draw Results 1st prize £40 - E. Duffy. 2nd prize £20 - M. Phinn.
3rd prize £10 - Y. McDonald. 4th prize £5 - L. Hill.

Many thanks to all the members of the 200 Club for their ongoing support.

Thank You to everyone who continue to hand in the little Milk Bottles and to the person who counts the contents. It is fantastic the way you continue this good work.

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1st Collection (inc. Gads) £707.09 2nd Collection (Ecclesiastical Students Fund) £541.34

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