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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**

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

Saturday: 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 Sixteenth Sunday of Ordinary Time - Year B**

**The Second Collection today is for the Restoration Fund**

**'come away to a lonely place'**

Today, the apostles return to Jesus after they have completed the work he gave them of preaching the word of God. They are so full of joy at what they have achieved, and began to tell him of all the things they had been able to do. Jesus listened to them and then invited them to come and rest. Even in this he was teaching them how to approach their ministry. He was reminding them that they needed to give time to God every day to truly understand what God was asking of them.

This of course raises the question for us. Do we give time to God everyday? Do we pray for God's Spirit to work in and through our lives? Do we allow the Spirit to lead us in the ways of God?

These are things we need to do to grow stronger in our faith and understanding of God's mission for us here on earth.

Also in the Gospel today, we hear how the people guessed where Jesus and the Apostles went and hurried to the place. However, Jesus did not allow the apostles to continue at that time to minister to the people. No, he made sure that they took rest, while he himself cared for the people.

I wonder, do we ever really let others take over the work we have been asked to do so that we can recharge our energy levels to once again go out and proclaim God's message? Perhaps this week we can do just that?

**Holiday Monday** – tomorrow, Monday is the Glasgow fair Monday. Here in St Mungo's, there will be **NO CONFESSIONS and only the 10.00a.m and 12.15p.m. MASSES** that day. Normal duty and Masses will resume on Tuesday.

**Children's Liturgy** will have a little break during the school holidays. Many thanks to those who helped with this and the God Squad.

**Seven Last Words** – Copies of this years Seven Last Words are now available on CD Disk. The cost is £5, and any profits will be split between the Young Adult Group and the restoration Fund. If you would like a copy, please contact Fr James.

### **This Week in Saint Mungo's**

<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>	7.30p.m.	St Anne's Guild Dancing in Middle Hall (Cancelled for the next 2 weeks)
<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

**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 Saturday is offered for those who are enrolled in the Passionist Mass Guild.

**The Toddler Group** will be closed until the 4<sup>th</sup> August. Have a nice holiday.

**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.

**Year of the Priest** – Please continue to pray for our Priests, and for an increase in vocations to the Priesthood and Religious Life. Perhaps if you know someone who is a Priest or Religious in this country or abroad, you could let them know that you are praying for them.

**What to do** during the holidays if you are not going away. You could visit your relatives or friends. You could go for a walk in a park, and there are many parks in our beautiful city. You could visit a museum such as the Burrell Collection where you can see the many wonderful things that are on display.

You could also take time to tidy the garden, or to collect the litter that is lying around your neighbourhood. Or you might even think about tidying your room. Remember, there are many more things that you could do if you just take time to look around.

**Weekly Adoration** takes place here in the Church on Wednesdays and Saturdays. Why not think about spending some time in prayer before Jesus in the Blessed Sacrament. This is a great opportunity for us to get away from the hustle and bustle of our normal days and spend some quiet time with Jesus.

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

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