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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 Feast of the Baptism of the Lord - Year C

The Second Collection today is for the Restoration Fund

'we are God's family'

As we end the season of Christmas, we celebrate the feast of the Baptism of the Lord which reminds us of our own baptism. In this Sacrament, we celebrate our entry into the family of God and the gift of God's Spirit which is given to us. Like Jesus, we too have been given this gift not simply for ourselves, but to help us to share the love of God with others and to have the strength in our lives to resist the temptation of sin. But do we use the gift of the Spirit each day? Do we seek the help of the Spirit when we have to make choices? Do we ask God to guide us each day so that we can show his love to others? If we are honest, we may answer sometimes to the questions, or if we are really good, often. But like Jesus, we are called to invite God's Spirit to be with us everyday, filling our hearts with his many gifts such as patience, wisdom, courage, so that we may make the right decisions in life, and always reveal God's love for his people.

The Young Adult Group will help us celebrate the 7.00pm Mass this Sunday(10th) and invite those who put their names on the list to join them in the Retreat after Mass for Pizza and a chance to meet up and share ideas.

200 Club Draw will take place in the Hall today after the 12noon Mass. Please make sure that you have your subscriptions paid before the draw.

The Feast of St Mungo takes place this Wednesday. The Archbishop will celebrate Mass here in St Mungo's at 7.30pm. All are welcome to attend.

Forty Hours Adoration begins here in St Mungo's next Sunday(10th) at the 12noon Mass, and will continue on Monday and Tuesday(11/12th). There will be a Holy Hour at 4.00pm on Sunday and adoration continues until the 7.00pm Mass. On Monday and Tuesday, the adoration will continue after the 10.00am Mass and conclude each evening at 7.30pm with a Holy Hour.

If you would like to have a candle burned for your own or your families intentions, or make an offering towards the cost of the flowers, please contact the ladies at the back of the Church.

Anniversary Mass for Fr Hubert Hurley C.P. will take place this Saturday at the 10.00 Mass.

Cold Weather – during this time of snow and coldness, please care for each other especially for our elderly friends and neighbours. **Don't** leave it to others, check up on them yourself.

This Week in 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> | 7.30p.m. | St Anne's Guild Dancing in 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 |

Silence Please! Have you noticed how we sometimes forget where we are? How we sometimes forget that there are other people present in the Church? There is also another thing we sometimes forget, and that is to try to have a spirit of silence when we are in the Church. So often these days, people have phones which ring in the Church, or they are sending texts. Often they have discussions in the Church using rather loud voices. These things can cause upset to many people who perhaps have come to the Church in the hope of having some quiet time in the presence of the Lord Jesus. Perhaps, we can all try to be a little bit more aware of where we are, respecting others and striving to restore a spirit of quietness in our Church. Thank you for your help.

St Stephen's Primary School – enrolment of children who will be 5 on or before 28th February 2011 will take place this week between 1.30 – 2.30pm in the school. Please see the notice in the Church Porch regarding the documents you need to bring with you.

St Mungo's Primary School – enrolment for children who reach the age of 5 between the 1st March 2010 and 28th February 2011 will take place this week from Monday – Thursday in the school. The times for enrolment are from 10.30am – 12.15pm or 1.15pm – 2.45pm. Please see the notice in the Church Porch regarding the documents you need to bring with you.

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 is open on Mondays and Wednesdays in the Top Hall from 9.30am – 11.30am.

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.

Bookshop News Copies of the newly reprinted St Vincent Prayer Book are available at a cost of £4.00. The Western Catholic Calendar 2010 is also available at a cost of £2.90.

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Saint Mungo's Bookshop

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