***Parish Bulletin***

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**6th Sunday of Lent Year B (Palm Sunday) – 24 March 2024**

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Sunday 24th Palm Sunday; Easter Triduum – 28th Holy Thursday; 29th Good Friday; 29th Easter Vigil



**RIP**: Ted (Timothy) Walsh (Reception of remains Sunday 24th at 5 pm, Funeral Monday 25th at 10.00 am), James Simmons (Reception of remains Tuesday at 6.30 pm, funeral on Wednesday at 10.00am), Danny McCann,

**MONTH’S MINDS & ANNIVERSARIES**: Pat McBride, John & Teresa Hyde, Betty McHardy, Gordon McHardy, Robert Barton, Betty Healy, Alex Jenkins, Lizzie Cassidy, Jessie Cook, Nellie McAuley, Margaret McCarron, James O’Kane, Margaret & Eddie McCarron.

**BIRTHDAY REMEMBRANCE**: Mary McCluskey

**SICK**: Maeve Hamil (Ireland), Cathie Butts, Mark Fitzpatrick, Anne McPhail, Scott Thompson, Annie Cannon, Paul Gallen, Patricia McShane, Bernadette McLaughlin, Chloe Docherty, Gerry McTear, May Walker, Susan Brady, Sadie Hoey, Dorothy Mullen, William Walsh, Josephine Jones, Carol Brown, Anna Divito, Colin Rice, Elizabeth Phillips, George McGowan, Ursula Lyness, Liz McQuillen, Konnar Kelly (Baby), John Donnelly, Pat Whelan, Thomas Gray, Margaret Devlin, Matt Bradley, Jean Docherty, Neill Marr (Harthill), Kathleen Brown, , Patrick Reynolds, Mary Miller, M Gallagher, Caroline MacPherson, Philomena Kerr McClymont, Kat Astraukas, Mary Jackson.

**RIP**: Martha Hynds

**MONTH’S MINDS & ANNIVERSARIES:**

Harry Hughes, Bessie Nash, Peter Linden, John Park, Bridget, John, Tom, Jacqueline and Nicky Groome, Betty Healy.

**BIRTHDAY REMEMBRANCE**: Jimmy Morris, Annie Morris.

**SICK**: Mary Jackson, Anna Suselo, Corey Monaghan, Marie Dempster, Paul O’Hara, Derek Somerville, Monica McInneny, Rosaleen Gold, Maria McVitie, Mary Bradley, George McGowan, Anna Divito, Margaret O’Neil, Josh Hillier, Betty Irvine, Margaret Devlin, Lynn McIntyre, Carl McNulty, Matt Bradley, Muriel Brown, Thomas Kane, Adam Reilly.

**ST. PATRICK’S**

**ST. THOMAS’**

**MASSES AND SERVICES IN ST PATRICK’S**

**Monday**

9.30 am Rosary

10.00 am Requiem Mass: Ted (Timothy) Walsh

**Tuesday**

6.30 pm Reception of remains – James Simmons

**Wednesday**

9.30 am Rosary,

10.00 am Requiem Mass for James Simmons

**Holy Thursday**

7.00pm Mass of the Lord’s Supper

9.00pm Night Prayer

**Good Friday**

10.00am Morning Prayer

3.00pm – Liturgy of the Passion

7.00pm - Liturgy of the Passion (Polish)

**Holy Saturday**

10.00 am Morning Prayer

Blessing the food for the first meal of Easter. (Polish)

5.00pm The Easter Vigil

**Easter Sunday**

7.30am Procession and Resurrection Mass (Polish)

9.30am Easter Mass with renewal of baptismal promises

12.30pm Easter Mass (Polish)

5.00 pm Reception of Remains: Ted Walsh

**MASSES AND SERVICES IN ST THOMAS’**

**Monday**

7.00 am – Daily Mass

**Tuesday**

7.00 am – Daily Mass

9.30 am Rosary

10.00 am Daily Mass

7.00 pm Penitential Service and Confessions

**Wednesday**

7.00 am – Daily Mass

**Good Friday**

10.00 am Morning Prayer

3.00pm Liturgy of the Passion

7.00 pm Stations of the Cross, Communion,

and veneration of the Cross

**Holy Saturday**

10.00am Morning Prayer

5.00pm The Easter Vigil

**Easter Sunday**

11.00 am Easter Sunday Mass with renewal of baptismal promises

**PLEASE NOTE**: The Penitential Service and Confessions will take place in St Thomas’ on **TUESDAY** of this week, 26 March,

(**not** Thursday as indicated previously).

**HOLY WEEK AND EASTER PRGRAMME 2024**

**ST. PATRICK’S, SHIELDMUIR**

**Holy Thursday, 28th March**

7.00pm Mass of the Lord’s Supper

9.00pm Night Prayer

**Good Friday, 29th March**

10.00am Morning Prayer

3.00pm – Liturgy of the Passion

7.00pm - Liturgy of the Passion (Polish)

**Holy Saturday, 30th March**

10.00am Morning Prayer

10.30am every half an hour until 12.30pm

Blessing the food for the first meal of Easter. (Polish)

5.00pm The Easter Vigil

**Easter Sunday, 31st March**

7.30am Procession and Resurrection Mass (Polish)

9.30am Easter Mass with renewal of baptismal promises

12.30pm Easter Mass (Polish)

**Easter Monday, 1st April**

10.00am Mass

11.00am Mass (Polish)

HOLY WEEK AND EASTER 2024

**ST THOMAS’, WISHAW**

**Holy Thursday, 28th March**

7.00pm Mass of the Lord’s Supperin St Patrick’s

9.00pm Night Prayer in St Patrick’s

**Good Friday, 29th March**

10.00am Morning Prayer

3.00pm Liturgy of the Passion

7.00pm Stations of the Cross, Communion, and veneration of the Cross

**Holy Saturday, 30th March**

10.00am Morning Prayer

5.00pm The Easter Vigil

**Easter Sunday, 31st March**

11.00am Easter Mass with renewal of baptismal promises

**EASTER CARDS** are available to pick up from the back of the church.

**SICK OF THE PARISH**: Fr Krzysztof will try to visit all the sick who are on his Sick List, on Monday, Tuesday, and Wednesday of this week. If you know of anyone who should be visited but is not on his List, please fill in the form which is available to pick up from the back of the church.

**R.C.I.A**. Please continue your prayerful support of our catechumens and candidates as they make their final preparation into our Catholic Church at the Easter Vigil.

**STATIONS OF THE CROSS IN OUR TOWN**: Stations of the Cross on the streets of our town will take place this Sunday Passion (Palm) at 3.00 pm. Stations will start this year at St Thomas’ Church and finish at St Patrick’s.

**WELCOME**: We welcome Fr Piotr Staryszak (a student of Dogmatic Theology in Rome) to the Parish. Fr Piotr will be helping Fr Krzysztof during the busy period of Holy Week and Easter time.

**CHRISM MASS**: will take place in the Cathedral on Thursday 28th (Holy Thursday) at 11.00 am.

**SCIAF BOXES**: Please return your SCIAF Box before Mass on Holy Thursday or before the Services of the Passion on Good Friday. Thank you for your Lenten almsgiving which are given to the poorest people in the world.

**FATHER, INTO YOUR HANDS**: an evening of choral music which contemplates the Death of Christ – presented by the Diocesan Choir on Tuesday, 26 March at 7.30 pm in the Cathedral, Motherwell. Admission free.

**EASTER BONNET COMPETITION** - The Easter Bonnet competition will take place in both churches at the morning Mass on Easter Sunday. All children are invited to take part in the event.

**DIVINE MERCY NOVENA**: This Novena will start on Good Friday after the morning prayers and will be celebrated after each morning prayer or Mass before Divine Mercy Sunday. On Divine Mercy Sunday, the Divine Mercy Chaplet will be said before all Masses.

**NEW GIFT AID DONORS**: If you are a taxpayer, your parish could receive back tax on your donations, at no extra cost to you. It's a great way to support your parish. All you have to do is complete a form and receive envelopes to put your donations in each week. There is no set amount; just donate whatever you can. If you are interested in joining the scheme, please speak to Marie McGuigan or email her at maidenkegs77@googlemail.com to sign up. The New Gift Aid envelopes are available to pick up from the back of the church.

**GOOD FRIDAY COLLECTION** will be taken up for the Holy Places. A little booklet from Friends of the Holy Land, with details of how the money is spent, is available at the back of the church. This year, we should support the people who suffer very much as a result of the war in Gaza.

**EASTER SUNDAY – SECOND COLLECTION**: A Second Collection will be taken up in both Parishes on Easter Sunday as a sign of our extra support for the Parish. Loose Easter Collection Envelopes are available to pick up from the back of the church. We thank you for your continued kindness to the Parish.

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**St Thomas’ Wishaw** **I** **St Patrick’s Wishaw**

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**PARISH INCOMES**

St Patrick’s Offertory £1,070.15; Bank Transfers £109.00

St Thomas’ Offertory £646.70; Bank Transfers £95.00

**THANK YOU FOR YOUR CONTINUED SUPPORT**

Visit our Parish Websites

[www.stpatricksshieldmuir.co.uk](http://www.stpatricksshieldmuir.co.uk)

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