

St Mary's Kells Parish Bulletin

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Sunday 23rd July 2017 – 16th Sunday in Ordinary Time
 Weekdays – Week 16 in Ordinary Time

| Date | Service Time | Mass Intentions |
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| Saturday 22 July | 5.30pm – Mass with separate Children's Liturgy – St B | People of the Parish |
| Sunday 23 July | 10.00am – Mass – St M | |
| Monday 24 July | 9.15am – Liturgy of the Word & Communion – St B | <div style="border: 1px solid black; padding: 5px;"> Ian Brown Carol Brown Shelagh Lowry (Fr Kevin's Mam) Molly & Cyril Bates </div> |
| Tuesday 25 July | | |
| Wednesday 26 July | 10.00am – Mass – St B | |
| Thursday 27 July | 10.00am – Mass – St M | |
| Friday 28 July | 10.00am – Mass – St B | |
| Saturday 29 July | 5.30pm – Mass with separate Children's Liturgy – St B | People of the Parish |
| Sunday 30 July | 10.00am – Mass – St M | |

This Week's Rotas

Eucharistic Ministers:

Sunday 10am – Maureen Raby/Liz Goulding/Dennis Gainford

Reader:

Sunday 10am – Sheila Richardson/Anna Woolaghan



Little Lambs:

Sunday 10am –

Church Cleaners:

Carol Spence/Peggy McClurry/Josephine Burns



Altar Supervisors:

Sunday 10am – Kay Savage

Please let a member of the Parish Council know if you would like to help in any way with our church community.



Fr Ed will hear Confessions as and when requested

PLEASE REMEMBER IN YOUR PRAYERS ALL THOSE WHO'S ANNIVERSARIES OCCUR AROUND THIS TIME:

Ian Brown, Mary Turnbull, Lily Riley,
 John Carnochan, Margaret Nicholson,
 Mary Ann Devlin, Katie Curnow,
 Gerard Parkinson

MAY THEY REST IN PEACE, AMEN



Your prayers please for the following who are sick:

Tracey McLaughlin, Margaret Atkinson, Patrick Fitzsimmons, Sharon Burns, Esther Drake, Kathleen Cake, Eileen Squires, Glenda Leech, Martin Grugan, Allen Irving, Malcolm Irving, Joseph Irving, Betty Burns

Father of goodness and love; hear our prayers for the sick members of our community and for all who are in need, Amen.





Sacred Heart Lamp

Will be lit week beginning 23rd July for

Our Lady's Lamp

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Bring a Tin Sunday

Today we are holding the above event to help Foodbank in their scheme "Holiday Lunch Packs 4 Kids" which aims to feed children, during the school holidays, who would normally receive a school meal. There are 430 children from 240 families who may need extra help during the 6 week school holiday break. They would be grateful for any donations but mainly items which could be used to prepare a meal for children. Please bring your item(s) and place them on the table in the porch. If you have forgotten to "bring a tin" then just bring it next week. Thank you.



Survive-Miva

There will be an appeal on behalf of the above at Mass today. This is a Catholic lay association providing funding for essential transport for health outreach work in isolated rural areas, and for the Church's pastoral care in places of difficult access. Please give generously.

Money Grid

Next week we will be having a money grid to raise funds for our Church. The squares are £1 each and the prizes are £15, £10 & £5. We will carry it over until the following week if we don't sell enough squares in the first week. You will be disappointed to know that this is the last fund raising event before the summer break.



Christmas Carols Choir Fundraiser



Brendan Grufferty is looking for volunteers to form a committee to organise the above. He needs children to sing (all ages from 6-18) possibly involving the schools. He needs a good singer who could teach the children their songs and others who could organise the event. This could be a candlelit evening with mulled wine and homemade mince pies and perhaps a raffle, with funds raised for the Church. So, if you could help in any way, or you know of any children who would like to join the choir just have a word with him, he would love to hear from you. Thank you.



A prayer for all children as they begin their summer break from school

God, our Father, we pray that you will protect our children. Keep them safe from harm and help them to grow healthy in mind and body. Amen

Little Lambs Children's Liturgy Group

The Little Lambs are now finished for their summer holidays and will return on Sunday 10th September. They have provided some colouring items to keep your children amused if they would like to use them. You will find them on the table in the porch.



Foodbank

The special needs this week are: UHT milk (not skimmed), jam (not homemade), tinned fruit, 1 litre fruit juice UHT, long grain rice & soup

St Mary's CMS Club

- Monday 7.30-9.15 –Bingo
- Tuesday 7.30 – Old Thyme Dancing
- Wednesday 7.30-9.15 –Bingo
- Thursday 6.30 – Line Dancing
- Friday 7.30-9.15 – Bingo

To hire the hall contact Billy Starkey on 61448



A man comes home from work and is surprised to find toys spread all over the living room floor. He looks into the kitchen and sees that the sink is piled high with dirty dishes, and there's a big pile of unwashed laundry sitting in the corner. The man looks for his wife and finds her swinging in a hammock in the garden. "What's going on?" he asks. "Why is the house in such a mess?" His wife replies, "Well, you know when you come home and ask me what I've been doing all day?" "Yes," replies the husband. His wife replies, "Well, today I didn't do it."

Thank you for your offerings last weekend that were as follows: Offertory: £285.02

No second collection last week

Second collection this week for Survive-Miva

No second collection next week

Number attending last week: 86



PS What has 4 letters, sometimes 9 letters but never has 5 letters