

November Lists & Month of the Holy Souls
 Every day this month we offer Holy Mass for the repose of the souls of all those we are remembering on our November Lists (displayed on the Sacred Heart Altar). **All November Lists should now be returned to the box in the porch or the parish house.**

Our annual cemetery service at Old Monkland takes place this Sunday 9th November at 2.00pm. We will pray together for all our beloved dead buried there, and ask God's blessing upon their graves.
The service at Coltswood cemetery takes place on Sunday 23rd November at 2.00pm.

Parish Christmas Fair
 Our Christmas Fair takes place on **Sunday 30th November at 11.30am.** The cost is £3 per adult which includes tea/coffee and a mince pie/biscuit (all children can come for free). There will be a selection of goodies on sale including home baking, tombola, raffles, Fr Paul's Legendary Christmas Cake and much more.
As always, we are so grateful for any donations to our tombola and home baking stalls - please speak to Marie if you need more information. Thank you so much to those who have already generously donated prizes for the tombola.

First Holy Communion Workshop
 Next **Saturday 15th November** we have our first catechesis workshop for our Primary 4 children making their First Holy Communion in June. The workshop takes place in the Hall from **3.00-4.00pm. All children making their First Communion should attend.**

Confirmation Workshop
 On **Saturday 29th November** we will have our Advent Wreath making workshop with our Primary 7 Confirmation children and their parents from **3.00-4.00pm in the Hall.** Nearer the time, I would be very grateful for donations of greenery from your gardens for the wreaths.

St Joseph's Men's Group
 Congratulations to all of the men who completed the 33-day Consecration to St Joseph! Our next Men's Group meeting will be on **Monday 10th Nov at 7.00pm** in the Hall, after the 6.30pm Mass.

There will be a **Quiz Night in the Hall on Friday 21st November, tickets are on sale this weekend for £3 pp.** All men in the parish are welcome, as well as friends and family from outside the parish.

Next Monthly Baptism Course
 All parents wishing to have their child baptised are required to attend one of our monthly baptism courses. The next course will be on **Wednesday 3rd December at 6.30pm in the Hall meeting room. Sign up via the QR code or go to <https://stjamescoatbridge.co.uk/baptism-course/>**




Hall Bookings
 For Hall enquiries and bookings, please contact Val Reid on 07938 873113.

Sunday Breakfast
 All are most welcome to go over to the Hall after our 10.30am Sunday Mass for a breakfast roll and tea/coffee. Children eat for free.

Children's Liturgy
 Our Children's Liturgy is on again this week at our 10.30am Sunday Mass for Primary 1 to Primary 4 children.



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Sunday 9th November - Feast of the Dedication of The Lateran Basilica

Holy Mass Schedule		Groups
Monday 10th November	Holy Mass at 6.30pm <i>Memorial of Pope St Leo the Great</i>	Monday Club at 1.00pm Men's Group at 7.00pm
Tuesday 11th November	Requiem Mass for Joe Toner RIP 9.45am	
Wednesday 12th November	Holy Mass at 9.45am <i>Memorial of St Josaphat</i> <i>Adoration of the Blessed Sacrament 8.30-9.40am</i>	
Thursday 13th November	Holy Mass at 7.00pm <i>Confessions & Adoration of the Blessed Sacrament 6.00-6.45pm, concluding with Solemn Benediction</i>	
Friday 14th November	Holy Mass at 9.45am <i>Confessions 9.10-9.40am, Holy Rosary 9.20am.</i>	

Sunday 16th November - Thirty-third Sunday in Ordinary Time

Vigil Mass Sat 15th November at 4.15pm Confessions 3.30-4.00pm.
Sunday Mass at 9.00am & 10.30am (with children's liturgy)

Prayers for the sick and housebound
 Jim Kelly, Anne Thérèse Judge, Betty Cannon, Nora McCann, Rose McGhee, John Foley, Brian Judge, Tony Gallagher, Michael Nilsson, Barbara Lucock, Cathie Dunnachie, Thomas Martin, Peter Fleming, Eileen Wilkie, Caroline Boland, Jean Graham, Heather Flanigan, Geraldine Boyce, Janey Tominey, John & Mary McDade, William Gilmour, Andrew Cane, Felix Dillon, Rosaleen Grogan, Timothy Nilsson, Jean Reilly, Olivia Ratcliffe, Ralf Laird, Margaret Elliott, and Patricia Grace.

Prayers for the Faithful Departed

Recently Deceased: Joe Toner (Requiem Mass Tues 11th Nov at 9.45am, Reception of Remains before Mass).
Month's Mind: John Quinn, Frankie Corrigan, Caroline Miller, and Kathleen Donnelly.

May their souls, and the souls of all the faithful departed, through the mercy of God rest in peace.