

St Joseph & St Patrick's Wemyss Bay 3rd Sunday of the Year 26th Jan 2025

Weekend Masses Vigil 5pm Sunday 10am 5pm Confession Saturday 4.30pm

Weekdays Monday, Tuesday, Thursday, Friday 10am
Exposition 9.30-9.50am

Sunday 10am and Weekday Masses online. Parish YouTube channel at <https://bit.ly/stjstp>

Please remember in your prayers:

Sick: Veronica Sherry, Margaret Enright, Jim and Janette Sorrell, Maureen Doran, Derek Fraser,

Recently died: Evelyn McNair, Emma Blair

Anniversaries: Isa Smith

SCIAF Coffee Morning

Saturday, 22nd February, 11am – 1pm

If you can help, please add your name and contact details to the sheets at the back of the church.

Jubilee Year Plenary Indulgence Diocese of Paisley

St. Mirin's Cathedral and the Jubilee Indulgence: Pope Francis reminds us that "God's forgiveness knows no bounds". To obtain the indulgence at St. Mirin's Cathedral during this year, as pilgrims of hope we undertake a pilgrimage to our Cathedral, especially for the celebration of Holy Mass, : are purified by the Sacrament of Penance (in the days around the visit); are refreshed by the worthy reception of Holy Communion; and we also pray for the intentions of the Supreme Pontiff. As groups, or as individuals, we can also receive the indulgence by devoutly visiting the Cathedral for a period of time for Eucharistic adoration and meditation, concluding with the Our Father, Profession of Faith, and invocations to the Blessed Virgin Mary (for example, Hail Mary; Hail, Holy Queen; Memorare). The indulgence may be obtained each day and may be applied in suffrage for the souls in purgatory.

POPE FRANCIS' PRAYER INTENTIONS

January 2025

For the right to an education

Let us pray for migrants, refugees, and those affected by war, that their right to an education, which is necessary to build a better world, might always be respected.

Monthly Divine Mercy Devotions: There will be a Divine Mercy Mass and Adoration on

Wednesday 29 January at 7 p.m. at St Mary's Church, 163 George Street, Paisley, PA1 2UN which will be celebrated by Fr John Morrison.

Teas and Coffee in the hall after Sunday 10am Mass

Liturgical Word of the Week

This week we continue to look at various aspects of Prayer and its principal activities. Adoration is an act offered to God such as a psalm of praise or a sacrifice which acknowledges his supreme perfection and our dependence on Him. A prayer of Adoration is a prayer that praises God for who He is and what He has done.

Zoom Event – 24th February 7pm-8pm - An evening with Canon Michael Hutson: Reflections of my visit with SCIAF to Colombia: Canon Michael Hutson of the Diocese of Argyll and The Isles self-funded a Visiting a number of SCIAF Partners to gather content for the WEE BOX Appeal, Canon Michael will share of his experiences, the people he met, what he took away from this memorable visit and why we should be supporting our Scottish Catholic Internal Aid Fund.

Join us on zoom using the following details below: **Monday 24th of February 2025**
7pm-8pm SCIAF is inviting you to a scheduled Zoom meeting. Join Zoom Meeting
<https://us02web.zoom.us/j/88968244691> Meeting ID: 889 6824 4691

St Ninian's Primary School

St Ninians primary school have been accepted to **Tesco Greenock Stronger Starts fund**. The school would greatly appreciate if anyone shopping there could pop a blue token into the St Ninians box and support their application. **Blue tokens are available as you pay but you now need to ask for them at the tills.**

Safeguarding Induction Training – 2025: Safeguarding Induction training has been organised into one course only. If you are a new volunteer, or one who completed Part 1 training more than one year ago, you are invited to sign up for one of the following training sessions:

Tuesday 25th February at 7pm in the Diocesan Centre, Paisley
Saturday 29th March at 10.30am in St. Mary's Parish Hall, Gr

Fr Berry's Philosophical Corner

The insomnia patient was such a fervent vegetarian that he counted carrots jumping over a fence.

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Please do contact them if you have any concerns.

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Dear St Joseph, Guardian of The Holy Family, watch over our Parish St Patrick, pray for us.



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Jubilee of the World of Communications