



St Margaret
of Scotland
CATHOLIC CHURCH

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Parish Newsletter

No: 36/2018 For Sunday 21st October

***Twenty-Ninth Sunday
in Ordinary Time***

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SUNDAY MASS: 9.30 am and 11.00am. Also Saturday at 6.00 pm.

WEEKDAY MASS: Tuesday at 9.00 am, other Weekdays at 10.00 am.

No Mass on Thursday

HOLY DAYS OF OBLIGATION: 10 am and 8 pm.

CONFESSIONS: Saturday: 10.30—11 am & 5.15—5.45 pm and at call.

VARIATIONS: Please see the Weekly Diary for any changes to the above times.

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Father Patrick will be available for parishioner consultations after Mass on Mondays, Wednesdays and Fridays until 1.00pm, and then from 4.00 pm until 8.00 pm. It is not necessary to make an appointment to see him at these times. The parish office is open from 9.00 am until 1.00 pm and from 2.00 pm until 5.00 pm each Monday, Wednesday and Thursday.

OCTOBER DEVOTIONS

In October every Saturday Vigil mass and Sunday 9.30 am service will be preceded by the Rosary at 5.30 pm and 9 am respectively.

NOVEMBER

During this month we will be remembering our loved ones who have passed away, including past parishioners, members of our family and friends. Please put the names of your deceased relatives, friends and anyone for whom you wish to pray on the list at the back of the church and Holy Mass will be offered for them during November. You can also use the brown envelopes placed alongside the list and drop them in the Presbytery letter box.

The Parish Pastoral Committee

WHOLE HEARTEDLY THANKS

All those who supported the very successful fundraising

QUIZ NIGHT 2018

The amount raised was £1,410
(subject to expenses to be deducted)

Our Special Thanks To:

Nuala and Dennis Garvey for organising the fantastic prizes

The generous donors of the raffle prizes namely : The Co-op Banstead Rd, The Oaks Golf & Conference Centre, Seven Hairdressers, Stennings Bakery, Lemon Tree, Vinoteca Italiana and Willetts Butchers

An extra big thanks to Quiz Master Dennis Garvey for all his efforts in preparing the material and running the quiz

The scorers and runners from the Youth Group who assisted during the course of the evening

Those who brought the salads, shepherd's pies and desserts and donated items for the raffle prize hamper

And mostly, all those who helped to organise, set up and do the clearing and washing up

It was a great evening that will be remembered for the friendly and social atmosphere that St Margarets is always so proud of

Well Done All!

WORLD MISSION SUNDAY falls on Sunday 21 October 2018. On this day the whole Church unites in an act of universal solidarity in prayer for its missionary activity and in collecting funds to support the Church where it is too young or too poor to be self-sufficient; 40% of Church membership falls into this category. As the Pope's official organisation for overseas mission, the theme this year is Ethiopia:together we can build a future.

KNIGHTS OF ST COLUMBA are running an appeal for new members and one of our parishioners, Bob Mann will be speaking at all masses in an effort to boost numbers. Please also see the posters on the noticeboards.

BIBLE STUDY GROUP resumes on Wednesday 31st October at 8 pm

MATHS TUTOR REQUIRED for GCSE Pupil. Please email St Margaret's if you are able to help and we will pass on your contact details to the family concerned

Diary for the Week STARTING 21st OCTOBER 2018 TWENTY-NINETH SUNDAY

IN ORDINARY TIME

SUNDAY	6.00 pm	Saturday (Vigil) Mass (WORLD MISSION SUNDAY)
	9.30 am	Family Mass
	11.00 am	Holy Mass
MONDAY	9.00 am	SAINT JOHN PAUL II, POPE Morning Prayer & Adoration
	10.00 am	Holy Mass
TUESDAY	9.00 am	Holy Mass
WEDNESDAY	9.00 am	Morning Prayer & Adoration
	10.00 am	Holy Mass followed by Coffee Club
	4.15 pm	Intercessionary Weekly Prayer meeting (please contact Parish Office for details)
THURSDAY		NO Mass today
	10.00 am	St Margaret's Mums & Toddlers
	7.30 pm	Folk Group Rehearsal
FRIDAY	9.00 am	Morning Prayer & Adoration
	10.00 am	Holy Mass
SATURDAY	10.00 am	Holy Mass
	6.00 pm	First Mass of Sunday

ANNUAL MISSIONARY APPEAL ON SATURDAY 27th/SUNDAY 28th OCTOBER 2018.

SECOND COLLECTION AT ALL MASSES (This does not qualify for Parish Gift Aid, so please do not use your Gift Aid envelopes)

ANNUAL MISSIONARY APPEAL

Sister Adelina Taoing of the Holy Spirit missionaries will be making an appeal on behalf of the sisters at all Sunday masses to support their work in spreading the word of God through the Gospel.

A DAY WITH MARY is a day of instruction, devotion and intercession, based on the message given at Fatima in 1917. If you wish to participate, there is a choice of two dates and venues; on 20th October at Westminster Cathedral and 27 October at Our Lady and St Peter, Wimbledon Common. Please see noticeboard for more details.

MAKATON WORKSHOP FOR CATECHISTS CCF is offering a unique opportunity to be introduced to Makaton which can support communication with a wide range of children, young people and adults that have special needs (on Saturday 3 November 2018 from 9am—5pm, Tooting Bec) Please email the presbytery if you would like to attend this course; the fee will be paid by the Parish.

YOUR PRAYERS ARE ASKED FOR: Graham Wright (Roz Wright's husband), Connie Harrington, (Lynn Pougher's mother), Angel Bridi, John Ryan (Richard Thomson's brother-in-law), Steven Conroy, Anne Pelham & Paul Field (Father Kevin's sister-in-law & Nephew), Mike Nolan, Laura Bannon (Mia's Mother), Stephen Martin, Joe Ryan, Juliana Amaral, Matthew Nelson (Ken's son), Peter Bushell (Marian Thurley's nephew), Jackie Sweeney & Ray Sweeney (Ita Haines' sister-in-law's sister-in-law & son-in-law), Liz Beddoe (Lynn Pougher's sister-in-law), Nora Chapman and Angela Kelly.

ANNIVERSARIES: Pauline Vassallo, Iain Blaikie, Ita Haines, William O'Donnell, Doug Weir (Eileen Striven's cousin), Cecily Jackson, Mary Shea, Connor Fahy, Ilse Zammit, Peter Davalle, Charles Staller, John Sherlock (Paul's brother), Jan Barwis (Lynn Pougher's friend), Ida Mountain, Christine Russell, Dennis Keating, John Warner (Dick Doyle's brother-in-law), Rita Doyle and Jim Cunningham.

LAST SUNDAY: Last Sunday's attendance was 263 and the Offertory came to £560.95 shared between £226.85 in loose money and £334.10 in Gift Aid envelopes. Also included was a CAFOD family fast envelope with an offering of £20. Many thanks.

SAINT MARGARET'S ALMANAC

21st October	MISSION SUNDAY
27th/28th October	ANNUAL MISSIONARY APPEAL
1st November	THE MAN WHO BUILT PEACE (FILM AT RUSKIN RD)
16th November	ST MARGARET OF SCOTLAND FEAST DAY
12th December	SENIOR CITIZENS LUNCHEON

SCHOOLS JOURNALISM COMPETITION 2019

Are you a budding journalist? The Missionary Society of St Columba are looking for students (aged 15-18 inclusive) to write an article for the above competition on the topic 'The Challenge of Climate Change'. The winning article will be published in the **Far East** magazine, while the winning video report will be broadcast online on Columban websites in Ireland and Britain and shared across social media. Submission deadline is 8th February 2019. For more information on entry and guidelines, see www.columbancompetition.com or email hello@columbancompetition.com

THE POPE'S PRAYER INTENTION FOR OCTOBER: That consecrated religious men and women may bestir themselves and be present among the poor, the marginalized and those who have no voice.