

St Monica's Parish

Diocese of Motherwell

Charity No. SC011041

5th Sunday of Lent (Year C) 3 April 2022

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Church Services

Exposition of the Blessed Sacrament: Monday-Saturday: 9am-9.55am

SUNDAY MASSES: Vigil at 4pm
10am (livestream) 12 Noon & 5pm

WEEKDAY MASSES: Monday – Saturday 10am

DIVINE MERCY NOVENA: Monday 2pm

STATIONS OF THE CROSS: Monday at 6pm

CONFESSIONS: 30min before the Mass in the sacristy

BAPTISMS & MARRIAGES. Please speak to Fr Ghislain

Parish Hall: Contact Kelly McColl on 07464254377
or email stmonicashall@outlook.com

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First Reading: Is: 43: 16-21

Responsorial Psalm: **What marvels the Lord worked for us! Indeed we were glad**

Second Reading: Phil 3: 8-14

Gospel: Jn 8:1-11

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Reflection

‘A ‘sanctuary’ open to all, the Parish, called to reach out to everyone, without exception, should remember that the poor and excluded must always have a privileged place in the heart of the Church. As Pope Benedict XVI affirmed: “The Gospel is addressed in a special way to the poor”. In addition, as Pope Francis observed “the new evangelisation is an invitation to acknowledge the saving power at work in their lives and to put them at the centre of the Church’s pilgrim way. We are called to find Christ in them, to lend our voice to their causes, but also to be their friends, to listen to them, to speak for them and to embrace the mysterious wisdom which God wishes to share with us through them”.

COVID 19 Update

Following on from the First Minister’s announcement, please note that the legal requirement to wear face coverings in churches in Scotland will be removed from Monday 4th April. Individuals may continue to wear face coverings if they wish to do so, and this should be respected.

In the meantime, please continue to observe the following basic principles:

- Please respect the space of fellow parishioners where possible
- Hands should be sanitised on entering and exiting the Church
- Continue to ensure good ventilation

Please note that the legal requirement to wear face coverings will be removed for the church building as a whole. Therefore, the change will apply to all activities which take place within the church building and not just to acts of worship.



Offertory Collection: £1086.52

SCI AF Collection: £776.91

Many thanks for your great
generosity and support

Weekly Offering

If you wish to donate your weekly
offering to the parish online,
below are the parish bank details.

Account Name: RCDM St

Monica's

Sort Code: 83 17 13

Account Number: 00163062

There will a reflection on **Tuesday
5th April** in the church at **6.30pm**
for the young adult, between
from 15 and 40 years old. The
theme is Eucharist.

Stations of the Cross

There will be Stations of the
Cross every Monday at 6pm
during Lent.



Bring flowers of the rarest

During Lent season, the altar is
stripped of all adornment. If you
would like to contribute to
flowers for Easter, we would
appreciate any donation of
flowers/plants.

**500 CLUB
WINNERS
£££**

1st Prize No. 3 J Docherty

2nd Prize No. 149 J Jordan

3rd Prize No. 292 J Batersby

8am Mass during Lent

8am Mass will resume again this
week

First Communion & Confirmation

Children who are due to celebrate these sacraments are encouraged
to attend weekend masses (Saturday or Sunday). Please remember to
get your card signed by Father Ghislain

Please remember in your prayers

Recently Dead: Tommy O'Rourke, Isobel Brady

Sick: Niamh Cassidy, Ann & John McShane & Family, Linda Webb, Michael McAdams, Nicolas Hardy, Isobel Reilly, Gerald McDonald, Carol McGuinness, Pauline O'Rourke, Janey Mullen, Ben McGovern, Anne Marie Snodden, Catherine Donnelly, James Donnelly, Alice Lindsay, Patricia McGhee, Bernadette Homer, Betty McKenna, Kelly Noble, Michael McGarrity

Month's Mind: Elizabeth & Sadie Prunty, Joseph Thomson, Edward & Annie McQuillan, Agnes McQuillan, Annie & Frank McCue, Eddie McQuillan, Mary Robertson, Margaret Tiffney. Mary Crozier, George & Cathie Thomson, Christine Thomson, John Donohue, Walter Clarke, John Brady, Alf, Flo & Brian Longyear, Betty Haney, Meg & Annie Smith, Jimmy McLaughlin, Tilly & Marie Clarke, Mattie, Tommy & Thomas Collins, Kathleen & Peter Dolan, Jim Boyle, William, Margaret, Patrick, Agnes & Helen Docherty, Joseph, Elizabeth, James & Peter Silvestro, Alex & David Thain, Anna & Joseph Pearson, Jenny Wright, Margaret & Andrew McKinlay, Anna, Brian & Joseph Tierney, Agnes & William McAuley, Rab Bannen, Anne Marie Deigan, John Deigan, Margaret Deigan, James Deigan, Mr & Mrs William Deigan Snr & Jnr, Mr & Mrs Andy Prost, Mr & Mrs John Fagan, Mr & Mrs Tommy Deigan, Mr & Mrs Peter Deigan & Brian, Mr & Mrs Frank Frant & Marie, Mr Jack Gill, Hamilton, Annie, Jim, John & Steven Pettigrew, Isabel & Charles O'Hagan, John McGregor, Brian Lowe, George Ferguson, Ben & Agnes Ferrie

Anniversaries: James Prunty, Mary Thomson, May McLaughlin, John Trower, Danny Watson, Tom Kelly, Annie Duffin, Bill Paul & Lawrence Molloy

Please also remember the souls who have no one to pray for them

Services this week		
Monday	8am 10am 6pm	Holy Mass Stations of the Cross
Tuesday	8am 10am	Holy Mass
Wednesday	8am 10am	Holy Mass
Thursday	8am 10am	Holy Mass
Friday	10am	Holy Mass
Saturday	10am 4pm	Holy Mass Vigil Mass
Sunday Palm Sunday of the Passion of the Lord – C	10am 12 Noon & 5pm	Holy Mass