

Holy Michael, the Archangel  
defend us in the day of battle.  
Be our safeguard  
against the wickedness and snares of the Devil.  
May God rebuke him we humbly pray  
and do thou O Prince of the Heavenly Host  
by the power of God thrust down into hell,  
Satan and all the other wicked spirits  
who wander through the world  
seeking the ruin of souls. Amen.

*(Prayer composed by Pope Leo XIII 1886 to be said at the end of Mass.  
The prayer fell into disuse but Pope Francis asked us to return it to use a few years ago.)*

### Hall Events 2026

23rd May Race Night

19th Sept Curry Karaoke

7th November Gala Ball

WISHAW HOSPITAL  
Anyone in hospital and needs the  
Sacrament of the Sick,

Please call The Chaplain who can be  
contacted through the Hospital on 01698  
361100 or Assistant Chaplain,  
Deacon Henry McKenna  
07792 913166

### Pope Leo's Intentions April

For Priests in Crisis.

Let us pray for Priests going through  
moments of crisis in their vocation, that  
they may find the accompaniment they  
need and that communities may support  
them with understanding and prayer.

### SCIA Wee Boxes

Please return the wee box  
you have no later than Sunday  
19th April 2026.

“Dear Altar Servers,  
Thank you for your commitment and  
generous service to you parish.

~~~~Pope Leo XIV



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## Second Sunday of Easter Divine Mercy Sunday

11th/12th April 2026

### This week:

Sunday Mass @11.30am

Monday Mass @ 10am

Tuesday Mass @ 10am

\*Wed Mass @ 10am Newmains\*

Thursday Mass @10am

Friday Mass @ 10am

Saturday Vigil Mass @5.30pm

Holy Rosary prayed each morning  
at 9.35am



**Entrance antiphon:**  
Like newborn infants you must long for the pure spiritual milk, that in him you may grow to salvation, alleluia

**Gospel acclamation:**  
Alleluia, alleluia, alleluia.  
You have believed, Thomas because you have seen me, says the Lord.  
Blessed are those who have not seen and yet have believed.  
Alleluia, alleluia, alleluia.

**RESPONSE TO THE PSALM**  
Give praise to the Lord, for he is good, for his mercy endures for ever.

Readings for Next Sunday  
3rd Sunday of Easter  
Acts 2:14, 22-33  
1 Peter 1:17-21  
Luke 24:13-35

**Communion antiphon:**  
Bring your hand and feel the place of the nails, and do not be unbelieving but believing, alleluia.

No Mass in St Athanasius on Wednesday 15th April but there is the opportunity for Mass in St Brigid's Newmains at 10am.

Divine Mercy 3 O'Clock Prayer  
You expired, O Jesus, but the source of life gushed forth for souls and an ocean of mercy opened up for the whole world.  
O Fount of Life, unfathomable Divine Mercy, envelop the whole world and empty Yourself out upon us.  
O Blood and Water, which gushed forth from the Heart of Jesus as a fount of mercy for us, I trust in You.  
Amen.

A word of thanks to all who worked to prepare the Church for Easter; those who worked on the Liturgy for the Sacred Triduum; Readers; children's Liturgy; Servers; Extra-ordinary Ministers of the Eucharist, Cleaners and floral arrangers

**PLEASE REMEMBER IN YOUR PRAYERS:**  
The Sick: Theresa Mooney, Nan McLaughlin, John Dobbin, Anne(Nimmo) McClure; Jean(McLaughlin)McCapra; Faith Lindsay; Wendy Leonard; Kitty Finlay; Bridie Freeland; John Freeland; Rosina Boyle;  
Recently Deceased: Annemarie McIntyre(Bellshill); Nan McLaughlin; Tony Hart (Blantyre)  
Months Mind:  
Anniversary: Mary McCrossan;

Please remember that names for the Sick List can only be added with a letter of permission from the person concerned or their next of kin. This is due to Data Protection.  
Any items for the bulletin no later than a Thursday morning, please.

**Ladies' Group**  
A speaker from the Foodbank will join them on Thursday 16th April in the hall at 7pm.  
ALL ARE WELCOME

Baptismal Preparation  
Apologies, there was a mix-up with the dates for this month in the bulletin for Easter weekend.  
Session 1 Wednesday 22nd April  
Session 2 Wednesday 29th April  
Both at 7pm and this month will be in St Athanasius, Carluke.  
Parents and Godparents are asked to attend both sessions before a date is arranged for a baptism.

Ignatian Spirituality Centre, Glasgow  
"Prayer Guide Training"  
The above course is being offered in the Centre in Glasgow on 23rd & 30th April, then 7th, 14th & 21st May.  
It is designed to equip participants with the skills required to lead small groups in prayer over various settings.  
Contact [www.iscglasgow.co.uk](http://www.iscglasgow.co.uk) for more details.