

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).

Dinner Dance

7th November

Tickets £40

Music by Carbon Copy

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 Intention for
September :
"For the care of Water"

Wrap-up Lanarkshire
Each year the Rotary Club appeal for
winter coats for the Homeless etc.
We are asked to donate warm coats
that are in good condition. These will
be collected during the month of
October only.

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.

"The Gift"

*A life in the Spirit course
(6 Sessions)*

Do you want to know more about
the Holy Spirit's role in your life~
If 'yes' then come along?

Session 3
(The Gift of the Spirit)
Wednesday 23rd September

@7pm

In the Oratory

*"It was fantastic to feel the power of the
Holy Spirit in our lives and to meet lots of
people who were open about their faith."
~ Anna*



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25th Ordinary Sunday/ Year A

19th/20th September 2026

This week:

Sunday Mass @11.30am

Monday Mass @ 10am

Tuesday Mass @ 10am

Wednesday Mass @ 10am

Thursday Mass @ 10am

Friday Mass @ 10am

Saturday Vigil Mass @5.30pm

*Holy Rosary prayed each morning
at 9.35am*



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Entrance antiphon:

I am the salvation of the people, says the Lord. Should they cry to me in any distress, I will hear them, and I will be their Lord for ever.

Gospel acclamation:

Alleluia, alleluia, alleluia.
Open our hearts, O Lord, that we may pay attention to the words of your Son
Alleluia, alleluia, alleluia.

RESPONSE TO THE PSALM

The Lord is close to all who call Him.

Readings for Next Sunday

25th Sunday of the Year/A

Isaiah 55:6-9

Philippians 1:20c-24, 27a

Matthew 20:1-16

Communion antiphon:

You have laid down your precepts to be carefully kept; may my ways be firm in keeping your statutes

Feasts this week

Sun 20th St Andrew Kim Taegon & Comp.

Mon 21st St Matthew

Wed 23rd St Pio of Pietrelcina (Padre Pio)

Fri 25th St Cadoc

Sat 26th St Cosmas & St Damian

Ladies' Group

Who meet on Thursday evenings are looking for new members.

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The Group are having someone from St John's Scotland to provide information about using a defibrillator. Thursday 1st October @6.45pm in the Parish Centre.

Our next Folk Mass will be on Sunday 4th October @ 11.30am.

Rehearsals will on Monday evenings at 7pm.

All Welcome.

**Curry Karaoke Night**

Due to a lack of interest, the Curry Karaoke has been cancelled as a result the parish has had to pay £150.00 cancellation fee.

***PLEASE REMEMBER IN YOUR PRAYERS:***

**The Sick:** Theresa Mooney, John Dobbin, Anne(Nimmo)McClure; Jean (McLaughlin)McCapra; Faith Lindsay; Wendy Leonard; Kitty Finlay; John Freeland; Joseph Robb; Raymond Cameron; Agnes Patterson;

**Recently Deceased:**

**Months Mind:**

**Anniversary:** John Leslie; Janet MacDonald; Sheena McCulloch;

**African Community Mass**

Cathedral Church, Motherwell

Sunday 20th September

@1pm

Principle Celebrant: Bishop John Tata

All Welcome

Our Lady of Guadalupe

Pope Leo has declared a special year to honour Our Lady of Guadalupe 12th October 2026-12th October 2027.

We recently had a copy of the Holy Image and we will have it visit the parish.

**Second collection at all Masses next weekend for Ecclesiastical Students.**

**SCIAF**

Are looking for Young Adults (18+) to sign up and help 'shape' our response to international issues; poverty and injustices that are highlighted on our screens. They are hoping to members from every diocese in Scotland.

Any questions email Michael Hamilton mhamilton@sciaf.org.uk or sign up at [www.sciaf.org.uk/youngcaritas](http://www.sciaf.org.uk/youngcaritas)

**Bible Study Group**

St Mary's Lanark are establishing a Bible Study Group beginning on Monday 21st September for 8 weeks (The Great Adventure Bible Study). In St Mary's @ 6.45pm with refreshments.

All Welcome