

St. Ninian & St. Cuthbert's Parish
23rd November 2025
Christ the King Year C

SUNDAY MASSES 4.30pm (vigil) 9.30am 11.00am & 5.00pm

WEEKDAYS Mass 9.30am Monday to Saturday.

CONFESSION Saturday 9.00-9.25am and 4.00-4.25pm,

Exposition of the Blessed Sacrament from 10.00am to 10.30am every Monday.
(Except on days of funerals)

MASS FOR DECEASED PARISHIONERS

Today, we will offer the 11.00am Mass for those parishioners whose funerals have taken place in our parish since last November.

SECOND COLLECTION in support of The Scottish Catholic Education Service (SCEs) this weekend.

Representatives from our schools will mark Catholic Education week next weekend.

Ecumenical Service at Gilmour and Whitehill Parish Church

Sunday 30th November 3.00pm - Marking St Andrew's Day, the Third Anniversary of the St Margaret Declaration and the 1700th anniversary of the Nicene Creed. All are welcome.

SISTERS OF ST ELIZABETH CONVENT, MINSK will be visiting the parish next weekend, 29th/30th November and will offer for sale a number of Ikons and religious items in support of their work with the elderly homeless.

MARTINMAS FAIR Thanks to your generosity, we have collected 50 filled socks for the Hamilton Churches Drop In Centre, as well as hats, scarves and gloves. The winner of guess the Saint's name was Anne McInally. With the money raised we are sending £400 to Mary's Meals, £200 on SCIAF real gifts, £100 to Aid to the Church in Need for the Nigerian Appeal and £100 to Fr Johny for his ongoing work in India. Thank you for your continued support.

Mary's Meals - Double The Love - From 10 November 2025, donations made to Mary's Meals will be doubled by a group of generous supporters, up to £1.1 million. Your little acts of love can go further thanks to 'Double The Love', bringing hope to desperately hungry children and their families. Please pray that we can reach even more children around the world with our life-changing school meals this Christmas. There are many ways to give, including our gift cards. Find out more at marysmeals.org.uk.

AID TO THE CHURCH IN NEED join us for **Carols for Peace**, a beautiful evening of music, stories, and prayer as we prepare our hearts for the coming of Christ. Thursday, 4th December, St John the Baptist, Uddingston, 7:30pm - 9:30pm. Free event. Reserve your free ticket at <https://www.trybooking.com/uk/FNIM>. For more information, please contact the ACN Scotland office at scotland@acnuk.org or call 01698 337 470.

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SICK

All sick and housebound of the parish

RIP

Alex Findlater, Catherine Patricia Lambie, Simon Harley,
Sadie Vance, Isabella McCorry, Marie Segrave

ANNIVERSARIES

Robert Hegie, Betty Cairns, Elizabeth McGovern,
Luigi Poggi, Daniel McAtamney

RCIA candidates for this year will make a further commitment to their journey of faith at the 11.00am Mass next weekend.
Please remember them in your prayers.

St Andrew's Day Dignity Not Detention Solidarity Gathering - Dungavel IRC, Strathaven, ML10 6RF - Sunday 30th November, 1pm

Join Justice & Peace Scotland to call for "Dignity Not Detention" and advocate for an end to the inhumane practice of unlimited immigration detention. The UK is the only country in Europe that does not have a statutory time limit on detention, meaning people can be held in prison-like conditions indefinitely with no idea when they will be released. We do so mindful of Pope Leo XIV's recent reaffirmation that we will be judged by how we treat the stranger.

CHRISTMAS JUMPER APPEAL We are looking for any pre-loved Christmas jumpers you would be willing to donate, for both adults and children. These would then be made available free to anyone who might like one at the coffee morning on Sunday 7th December. Please leave any donations in the alcove on the left at the back of the church.

CHRISTMAS CARDS AND GIFTS We have a nice selection of Christmas cards, calendars, diaries and gifts available from the stall. Please come and take a look.

PRIZE BINGO in the MIR Centre Monday 24th November. £1.00 entry. Tea/coffee, cakes, biscuits and pies. Eyes down 7.30pm. All welcome.

Monies from the sale of St. Cuthbert's have now been transferred into our Diocesan PIF Account. We will consult the Diocesan Fabric and Planning Committee with proposals for works in St. Ninian and St. Cuthbert's Parish.

Please maintain a respectful silence in the church, before and after Mass in consideration of those who wish to spend some time in private prayer.