



## The Parishes of St Andrew's, Dumfries, and St Columba's, Annan

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### Parish Bulletin

#### 5th/6th August 2017 Transfiguration of the Lord

(Year A)

##### Today's Liturgy

Preface of the Feast  
Eucharistic Prayer III

##### Readings

Daniel 7:9-10. 13-14  
2 Peter 1:16-19  
Matthew 17:1-9

##### Spoken Psalm Response

The Lord is King, most high above all the earth

##### Readings for Next Sunday

19th Sunday in Ordinary time  
1 Kings 19:9. 11-13  
Romans 9:1-5  
Matthew 14:22-23

##### Spoken Psalm Response

Let me see, O Lord, your mercy  
And give us your saving help

##### Pope Francis' intention in August for Artists.

That artists of our time,  
through their ingenuity,  
may help everyone  
discover the beauty of  
creation.



#### Times of Mass and Services 7th—13th August 2017

##### Tuesday

Mass in St Columba's at 10 am

##### Wednesday

Mass in St Andrew's at 10 am

##### Thursday

Mass in St Columba's at 10 am

##### Friday

Mass in St Andrew's at 10 am

##### Saturday

Mass in St Andrew's at 10 am

##### Monday, Tuesday and Thursday

Mass in St Teresa's at 10 am

##### SUNDAY MASSES

Saturday Vigil Mass in St Andrew's at 6 pm

Mass in St Andrew's at 10 am

Mass in St Columba's at 12 noon

##### Sacrament of Reconciliation

After morning Mass on Thursday and Saturday  
and on request at any other suitable time

##### Exposition of the Blessed Sacrament

After Mass on Thursday and Saturday morning

##### Holydays of Obligation

Mass at 9.30 am and 7 pm in St Andrew's

Mass at 11.30 am in St Columba's

##### First Friday of the month

Eucharistic Service at 10 am  
in St Columba's followed by tea/coffee

##### First Saturday of the month

Devotions to Our Lady of Fatima  
at 5 pm in St Andrew's

*Please remember in your prayers those who are sick  
and all those whose needs are not known to us, especially...*

Amalia Tamburrini  
Gavin Russell  
May Pratt

Elsbeth McIvor  
Michael Clark  
Norah MacDonald

Joan Jeavons  
Sandra Dobie  
Eileen Rome

Rosa Maria Santos  
Andrew Monteith  
Anne Johnstone

*and everyone on the family prayer ministry prayer requests.  
If you wish yourself or a loved one to be prayed for please let Fr Gerald know*

## What's happening?

### *National Youth Pilgrimage to Iona*

Young people aged 14-25 from Scotland are invited to travel on pilgrimage to Iona on Sunday 10th September to visit the Abbey where St Columba and his monks lived in the 6th century. The Galloway group will travel by coach to Oban on Saturday 9th September where they will stay overnight in a youth hostel, travelling on to Iona and returning home on the Sunday. Cost £30. To register and for more information please email Fr Stephen McGrattan at [info@stephenmcgrattan.org.uk](mailto:info@stephenmcgrattan.org.uk).

### *Celebrate Scotland*

This is a weekend of faith sharing and celebration designed to appeal to families of all sizes – old and young. As well as talks and workshops for the adults, there are streams for various age groups up to 21 year olds with excellent faith-building activities run by experienced catechists, teachers and youth ministers. This year's theme is "*Seek first his Kingdom*", running in St Ninian's High School, Giffnock, East Renfrewshire from Saturday 2<sup>nd</sup> till Sunday 3<sup>rd</sup> September. For more details and to book see [www.celebrateconference.org](http://www.celebrateconference.org) or phone Ged Farrell on 07793 370910.

### *A Spiritual Spa Day for Women*

A day for women to experience the renewing love of God. Soak up God's blessings, inspirational teaching, fellowship with other women, cream tea, quiet adoration, stroll in our gardens and prayer ministry. Allow Jesus to pamper you! Saturday 9th September 2017, Cor et Lumen Christi, Wigton, CA7 9HU - donation only event.  
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## Saint Andrew's

### *Friends of the Holy Land*

The coffee morning after Mass on 20th August will be a fund raiser for the Friends of the Holy Land. We hope to have bacon rolls as well as meringues and strawberry tarts ... There will be a home baking stall and a Lucky Dip - £1 each and a prize every time! Donations of baking and gifts for the Lucky Dip will be gratefully received - please phone Carol on 264356.

### *200 Club Draw, July 2017*

1	Frank Farrell	£10
2	George Murray	£25
3	Philomena Woods	£50

### *Weekly Collection*

Last week's collection came to £975.72. Parishioners gave £105.52 to the St Vincent de Paul. The Jars of Hope fund stands at £514. Thank you.

Please take a copy of the bulletin home to remind you of the times of services and events during the coming week, and please take a copy to anyone you know who is sick or housebound.

### *The Assumption of the Blessed Virgin Mary*

Tuesday 14th August and is a Holyday of Obligation. Mass at 9.30 am and 7 pm in St Andrew's and at 11.30 am in St Columba's.

### *National Pilgrimage to Carfin*

in honour of Our Lady of Fatima on Sunday 3rd September. Mass will be celebrated at the Grotto at 3 pm. Please see the noticeboard for more details.

### *Annual Pilgrimage to Whithorn*

Sunday 27th August

Mass will be celebrated in the Cave at 4 pm and in the church of St Martin and St Ninian in the village at 4.45pm. If demand is there, a coach will leave from St Columba's at 11.30 and from St Andrew's at 12 noon. Please put your name on the list on the notice board as soon as possible to reserve your seat.

### *150th Anniversary of Our Lady and St Patrick's,*

Bishop Nolan has kindly agreed to celebrate Mass at the original church in Auchinleck on Sunday 20th August at 2.30 pm to mark the 150th anniversary. There will be refreshments in the church hall afterwards and a warm welcome is extended to all.

### *Father Joe*

Fr Joe is home and feeling tired but much better and he thanks everyone for their prayers and good wishes.

### *Mary's Meals Rags to Riches Campaign*

the Rags to Riches clothing and textile collection van will come to **both churches** on the weekend of 9/10th September.

## Saint Columba's

### *Weekly Collection*

Last week's collection came to £295.78 and the SCIAF door collection raised £47.77. The Jars of Hope fund stands at £268.

### *Lady Mary Herries (Mumford)*

A memorial Mass for Lady Mary Herries of Terregles who died earlier this year will be held on Wednesday 9<sup>th</sup> August at 2:30pm. Lady Mary and her late husband were well loved parishioners at St Andrew's and were in every sense of the word true 'pillars of the community.'

All parishioners will be made very welcome.

*The service is likely to be busy so if you are coming by car you may wish to consider parking in Brooms Road car park.*

