

Programme for St Edward's:-

Sunday 3rd September
10.15am Mass

Monday 4th September
9.30am Mass

Tuesday 5th September
9.30am Mass
6.00pm Evening Prayer/Holy Hour
7.00pm Mass

Wednesday 6th September
9.10am Rosary
9.30am Novena Mass

Thursday 6th September
9.30am Mass
7.00pm Holy Hour
with opportunity for Confession

Friday 8th September
9.30am Mass

Saturday 9th September
9.10am Rosary
9.30am Mass followed by Novena in
honour of Our Lady of the Miraculous Medal
Confessions follow
5.30pm Vigil Mass

Sunday 10th September
10.15am Mass

Father Bruce McPhail who was ordained priest last week will celebrate Holy Mass this Monday morning at 9.30am at St. Edward's; Father McPhail will give individual blessings after the Mass.

Many sincere thanks for the wonderful response of £1 080 to the Foreign Mission Appeal last weekend.

We pray for the repose of the soul of Avril Corr whose Requiem Mass will be celebrated this Thursday morning at 9.30am Mass.

All welcome to attend the **Let the children live** talk and sideshow by Mr. George McAleenan on Tuesday 12th September at 7.30pm in Church Hall.

The recent SSVp collection for Malawi saw £555 being collected for our partner parish of St. Joseph's in Mendulo, Malawi. This is an absolutely tremendous amount. Many sincere thank you to all at St Edward's for such wonderful generous support

Thought for the week -

Nobody is ordinary if you know where to look.

Maeve Binchy

Responsorial Psalm -

For you my soul is thirsting,
O Lord my God

400Club winners, congratulations

1. Michael Daly 84 2. Margaret Brady 222
3. Frances McGuigan 385 4. Henry Dellet 87

There are 2 numbers available for anyone who wants to join the 400Club or who would like to add to the ones they already have.

Next Sunday there will be a special Mass at 10.15am to welcome all the boys and girls who began Primary 1 last month.

Please pray for

Sick List -

Jack McGovern, Father Gabriel Maguire C.Ss.R., Peter Weir, Philomena Harvey, Chic Finnigan, Sue Booth, Jacqueline Hannan, Margaret Hogg, Laura Wylie, Tracy Horn, Evan Smith, Brenda Hill, Kathy McDonald, Pauline Storie, Gerard Morris, Gavin Lanigan, Sheila Clark, John Irvine, Catherine Boner, Hughie and Marion Lucas, Helen Brammer

Please contact Father Desmond to alert him of names to be added or removed to the Sick List.

Recently deceased,

Ian Wilson, Margaret Davies, Rita McAteer, Avril Corr

Anniversaries,

Patricia Hunstone, Hugh Mackrell, Anna Keegan, Kenneth Fearon, Kieran McDade

Months Mind, Hannah McGovern, Belle McMullan

As a parish who supports **Mary's Meals** we are about to launch our annual backpack appeal. The backpack helps the child to gain an education which enables them to get out of the poverty trap. Each week for the month of September we are asking all parishioners especially the children to bring an item for a backpack. The clothing items do not need to be new we just ask that they be clean and in reasonably good condition. Ages range from 4yrs - 16yrs and shoes sizes small 10 to big 10.

Week 1 T/brush, T/paste, soap, facecloth, towel.

Week 2 School shirt/blouse, trouser skirt/dress, shorts, T/shirt, gym shoes, trainers, sandals, flip flops.

Week 3 Pen, pencil, sharpener, eraser, pencil case, rule, crayons, coloured pencils.

Week 4 Backpack, tennis ball spoon.

Please see posters in the porch about

•ALMA (Association of Lourdes Motherwell Aid) - Lourdes Youth Pilgrimage 19th - 30th July 2018 Contact m.delaney481@gmail.com

•World Youth Day Panama January 2019 Diocese of Motherwell: 'mission trip' proposal Contact m.delaney481@gmail.com or mishal.francis@rcdom.org.uk

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Please collect a summary of Bishop Toal's letter regarding parish finances