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Saint Mungo's Bulletin

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Masses in St Mungo's Church

Saturday Vigil Mass: 6.00 pm
Sunday: 10.00 am, 12.00 noon, 7.00 pm
Weekdays: 10.00 am, 12.15, 6.00 pm

Holydays of Obligation

6.00 pm Vigil, 10.00 am, 12.15 , 7.00 pm
9.30 am in St Stephen's School
11.00 am in St Kevin's School

Eucharistic Adoration

Wednesday: 10.30 am to 12.00 noon, 6.30 to 7.30 pm
Saturday: 10.30 am to 12.00 noon, 7.00 to 8.00 pm

Sacrament of Reconciliation

Daily: 10.30 am to 12.00 noon, 5.30 to 6.00 pm
Saturday: 10.30 am to 12.00 noon,
4.30 to 6.00 pm, 7.00 to 8.00 pm

Today is the Fifth Sunday of the Year - Year C

The Second Collection today is for the Catholic Education Commission

'Taught to love'

Education is one of the most important aspects of our life and one which we sometimes forget about when it comes to our faith. This week, we are asked to remember the work of the Catholic Education Commission. But we should also remember that education in our faith life should begin at home. Of course the school and the parish play their part in the faith life of any child. But perhaps today we should reflect on how we share the faith with our children? Do we find time to pray with our children? Do we take the time to bring them to Mass on Sunday? Do we show them how to live a life like Jesus, caring for those in need, and bringing comfort to those who are in need of God's mercy and love?

Haiti Update – as you may remember, last week we told you that we had raised £6034 from your generous donations. This week we have to make a correction – you have now raised a staggering **£7129.00**. Which is now on its way to Fr Rick. Words cannot describe how grateful we are for your generosity. The only way we can thank you is by assuring you of our prayers. Please remember to continue your prayers for those who are working to alleviate the suffering of the people of Haiti. Also, if you wish to keep up to date with reports of Fr Rick, please log onto www.thepassionists.org.

Young Adult Group will help us with the music for the 7.00 Mass next Sunday(14th). For those young adults who gave in their e-mails, would it be possible to once again give your e-mail to Sr Maureen and the group will contact you regarding their next meeting.

Tombola – as many of you know Linda runs a tombola stall on the first Sunday of every month to help reduce the Restoration Fund debt. If you have any items that could be used for the stall, they will be most gratefully received by Linda and her helpers.

Ladies Night – the next Ladies Night will take place this Thursday from 7.30pm – 11.30pm. Why not come along and have some fun?

St Patrick's Night Line Dance will take place in St Paul's Hall, McAslin Street on Wednesday 17th March from 7.30pm – 11.30pm. Tickets cost £5 each and are available now. BYOB, Buffet, Bingo, Raffle. The proceeds of the 'Nite' will go to help the reduction of the Church Debt. Don't forget to get your ticket soon, to save disappointment.

Lent – during Lent, we will have number of extra things happening in the parish. Stations of the Cross and Faith development. Please watch out for the announcements.

Today, Sunday 7th February, we will have the enrolment of those preparing for the Sacrament of Reconciliation. This is a very special time for us as a parish as we help our younger parishioners to remember the love of Jesus and how we can share that love with each other. Please pray for the children of our community at this time.

This Week in Saint Mungo's

<i>Monday</i>	7.30 p.m.	Prayer Meeting at the Passionist Sisters, Flat 17/2, 3 Pinkston Drive
	8.00 p.m.	Narcotics Anonymous Meeting in the Bottom Hall
<i>Tuesday</i>	7.30p.m.	St Anne's Guild Dancing in Middle Hall
<i>Saturday</i>	1.30 p.m.	Al-anon Meeting in the Bottom Hall
	7.30 p.m.	A.A. Meeting in the Bottom Hall

Silence Please! Have you noticed how we sometimes forget where we are? How we sometimes forget that there are other people present in the Church? There is also another thing we sometimes forget, and that is to try to have a spirit of silence when we are in the Church. So often these days, people have phones which ring in the Church, or they are sending texts. Often they have discussions in the Church using rather loud voices. These things can cause upset to many people who perhaps have come to the Church in the hope of having some quiet time in the presence of the Lord Jesus. Perhaps, we can all try to be a little bit more aware of where we are, respecting others and striving to restore a spirit of quietness in our Church. Thank you for your help.

Readers Meeting – the next meeting will take place in the Retreat on Monday 8th February at 7.30pm.

Eucharistic Ministers – there will be a short meeting followed by a little social gathering on Tuesday 9th February beginning at 7.30pm in the Retreat.

Saint Charles Healing Mass: At the 12.15 Mass every Saturday, there are Novena Prayers in honour of Saint Charles of Mount Argus, followed by Blessing with the Relic of Saint Charles. The 12.15 Mass on Saturday is offered for those who are enrolled in the Passionist Mass Guild.

The Toddler Group is open on Mondays and Wednesdays in the Top Hall from 9.30am – 11.30am.

Mass Bus: The Bus which brings parishioners from Sighthill to 12.00 noon Sunday Mass leaves from Saint Stephen's Primary School every Sunday at 11.40 a.m. The bus also stops in Fountainwell Road.

Bookshop News Copies of the newly printed St Charles of Mount Argus Prayer Book are available at a cost of £3.50. The Western Catholic Calendar 2010 is also available at a cost of £2.90.

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Saint Mungo's Bookshop

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