

THE SOLEMNITY OF ALL SAINTS (Saturday 5.30 pm)

ENTRANCE PROCESSION

Cantor: Lord, have mercy
Cantor: Christ, have mercy
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All: Lord, have mercy
All: Christ, have mercy
All: Lord, have mercy

Mary and Joseph
 Michael and all angels
 Anna, Joachim, Elizabeth
 Elijah, Moses, John the Baptist
 Isaac, Sarah, Abraham
 Jacob, Joseph, Samuel
 Ruth, David and Solomon
 Isaiah, Jeremiah

All: Pray for us
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All you holy men and women pray for us

Peter, Paul, Andrew
 James, John and all apostles
 Mary Magdalene, Veronica
 Barnabas, Matthias
 Stephen, Philip and Cornelius
 Ninian and Cuthbert
 Timothy and Titus
 Linus, Cletus and Clement

Pray for us
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All you holy men and women pray for us

Lawrence and Chrysogonus
 Innocent and Boniface
 Hippolytus and Origin
 Athanasius and Basil
 Felicity, Perpetua
 Cosmas and Damian
 John Chrysostom and Justin
 Lucy, Agatha and Agnes

Pray for us
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All you holy men and women pray for us

Jerome and Eusebius
 Scholastica and Benedict
 Ambrose, Monica, Augustine
 Martin and Gregory
 Clare, Francis and Dominic
 Francis Xavier, Ignatius
 Elizabeth and Catherine
 Louis and Wenceslaus

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All you holy men and women pray for us

Lord, be merciful
 From all evil
 From ev'ry sin
 From everlasting death
 By your incarnation
 By your death and resurrection
 By your gift of the Spirit
 Have mercy on us sinners

Save your people
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Christ, hear us; Lord Jesus, hear our prayer

Lord, give new life
 To these chosen
 By the grace of Baptism
 O Jesus, Son of the living God
 Send your Spirit
 In its fulness
 On your sons and daughters
 Who believe and profess you

Hear our prayer
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GLORIA

Glory to God in the highest, and peace to his people on earth.
 Lord God, heavenly King, almighty God and Father,
 we worship you, we give you thanks, we praise you for your glory.

Gloria, gloria, in excelsis Deo; gloria, gloria in excelsis Deo.

Lord Jesus Christ, only Son of the Father, Lord God, Lamb of God,
 you take away the sin of the world: have mercy on us;
 you are seated at the right hand of the Father: receive our prayer.

For you alone are the Holy One, you alone are the Lord,
 you alone are the Most High, Jesus Christ,
 with the Holy Spirit, in the glory of God the Father.

FIRST READING

Apocalypse 7:2-4, 9-14

I saw a huge number, impossible to count, of people from every nation, race, tribe and language.

RESPONSORIAL PSALM

Such are the ones who seek your face, O Lord.

The Lord's is the earth and its fullness,
 the world and all its peoples.
 It is he who set it on the seas; on the waters he made it firm.

Who shall climb the mountain of the Lord?
 Who shall stand in his holy place?
 Those with clean hands and pure heart,
 who desire not worthless things.

They shall receive blessings from the Lord
 and reward from the God who saves them.
 Such are the ones who seek him, seek the face of the God of Jacob.

SECOND READING

1 John 3:1-3

We shall see God as he really is.

GOSPEL

Matthew 5:1-12

Rejoice and be glad, for your reward will be great in heaven.

PREPARATION OF GIFTS HYMN

All that I am 122

HOLY, HOLY

Holy, holy, holy Lord, God of power and might,
 heaven and earth are full of your glory.
 Hosanna, hosanna in the highest.
 Blessed is he who comes in the name of the Lord.
 Hosanna in the highest, hosanna in the highest.

MEMORIAL ACCLAMATION

Christ has died, Christ is risen,
 Christ will come again, Christ will come again.

LAMB OF GOD

Lamb of God, you take away the sins of the world;
 have mercy on us, have mercy on us.
 Lamb of God, you take away the sins of the world;
 have mercy on us, have mercy on us.
 Lamb of God, you take away the sins of the world;
 grant us peace, grant us peace.

RECESSIONAL HYMN

For all the saints 260 (verses 1-4, 8)

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THE WEEKLY NEWSLETTER

The Catholic faith community serving North Carrick



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 Our Lady & St Cuthbert's, Maybole, a parish of the R C Diocese of Galloway. Charity number SC010576.

<p>Sunday Masses Sat Vigil 5.30 pm; Sunday 9.30 am Teas in the hall after Sunday Mass</p> <p>Weekday Masses Mon 7 pm, Wed 10 am, Fri 9 am</p> <p>Celebration of Word and Communion Tue, Thu 9.00 am</p>	<p>Mass intentions this week: Sat: John McFadyen (RIP) Sun: Lizzie Scobie (Ann) Mon: The faithful departed Wed: John Wallace (RIP) Fri: The faithful departed Next Sat: John Cochrane (Ann) Next Sun: Robert Hay (Ann)</p>	<p>Sacrament of Baptism Forms available at the back of the church</p> <p>Sacrament of Confession After Vigil Mass and when requested</p> <p>Sacrament of Marriage At least six months notice is required</p>
<p>Useful numbers: Sacred Hearts, Girvan: 01465 713331 St Paul's, Ayr: 01292 260197 St Margaret's, Ayr: 01292 263488</p>	<p>Church and hall bookings (Tom McCahill): 01655 882884 St Cuthbert's Primary, Maybole: 01655 882349 Queen Margaret Academy, Ayr: 01292 268379</p>	
<p>PARISH PRAYER</p> <p>Lord our God, we the people of Our Lady and Saint Cuthbert's Parish offer ourselves to you to be your people in this place, to be your Church in this community, to be agents of peace and forgiveness and love. Help us to face what the future holds, and to make new beginnings in your name. Amen.</p>	<p>PRAYER FOR VOCATIONS</p> <p>Lord, make me a better person: more considerate toward others, more honest with myself, more faithful to you.</p> <p>Help me to find my true vocation in life and grant that through it I may find happiness myself and bring happiness to others.</p> <p>Grant, Lord, that those whom you call to enter priesthood or religious life may have the generosity to answer your call, so that those who need your help may always find it.</p>	

THE SOLEMNITY OF ALL SAINTS

SUNDAY 1ST NOVEMBER 2009

The Feast of All Saints is one of great joy for us, for some day we will be numbered among them. Does this seem too arrogant a thing to claim? It's just exactly what Jesus promised to those who believe in him. In his teaching, Jesus claims to be the way, the truth and the life – the only way to know God as Father, the absolute *truth* for there is no other god, and *life* that lasts forever, beginning right here and now. He has opened the gates of heaven and the saints we commemorate today have simply gone before us.

Sometimes we fail to take the words of Jesus seriously enough. Death, that event so seldom faced until it is staring us in the face, is the door, however difficult to go through, to a new eternal life. This holds true for every single genuine follower of Jesus. The only obstacle in the way is ourselves and the choices we make. As we rejoice with the saints today, let us look forward with confidence to joining them.

Podcast on today's Gospel reading at www.gallowaypodcasts.org.uk

Items for inclusion in this newsletter should be given in writing
 to David Kiltie (882644 or david.kiltie@virgin.net)

Last week's collection: **£556.30.**
 Thank you.

PRAYERS AND CONDOLENCES: The sympathy and prayers of the parish go to the Wallace family on the death of John Wallace, husband of the late Jean Wallace. Requiem Mass will be offered for John on Wednesday 4th November at 10.00 am. *Requiescat in pace.*

A CEILIDH FOR SAINT MARGARET'S DAY: Saint Margaret is Scotland's second patron saint (after Saint Andrew). Margaret is the patron of our local Catholic secondary school.

St Margaret's day will be celebrated in school on Friday 13th November when the entire school will gather for Mass with the local parish priests. Later that day the pupils will have excursions and activities to celebrate the feast, and in the evening there will be a ceilidh celebration for parents, pupils and friends of the school. The ceilidh begins at 7.00 pm on Friday 13th November. Children of 11 years of age and over are most welcome.

Tickets will be on sale from the school following the October break at a cost of £5.50 for adults and £3.50 for children and senior citizens. Come along and enjoy dancing and entertainment. A bar is available and some snacks will be served. There will also be a raffle with very high quality prizes supplied by our business partners. Monies raised will go to the school fund.

A special invitation is extended to the parents of primary seven children from the associated primary schools. Please support this important event in the life of our Catholic secondary school community.

ST ANDREW'S NIGHT DANCE: The parishioners of St Ann's, Mossblown extend an invitation for parishioners in Maybole to join them at their annual St Andrew's Night dinner dance in the Village Hall, Annbank on Friday 27th November at 6.00 pm. A limited number of tickets are available from Fr Stephen at £15 each.

FLAT FOR RENT: 1 bedroom, ground floor flat in Wellington Street, Maybole. Fully furnished and redecorated. Shared garden maintained by a gardener. Central heating and double glazed. Lounge/kitchen and bathroom with shower. Apply to 07790 931437.

THE STROKE CLUB in Maybole needs volunteers to assist the group. This involves 2 hours per week on Thursday mornings from 11.00 am – 1.00 pm. The group meets in the Baptist Church Hall. If you think you could help or would like more information please speak to Doreen Donald (883276) or apply directly to the group. Thank you.

BINGO: The parish fundraising bingo will take place on Wednesday at 7.30 pm in the parish hall. If you can donate a prize please bring it to church and speak to Wilma Valdrighi or Theresa Malone.

ST CUTHBERT'S PRIMARY SCHOOL'S PARENT COUNCIL is seeking donations for a Christmas hamper to be raffled to raise funds for the children's Christmas parties and celebration of the birth of Our Lord.

Parishioners are being asked to give donations of Christmas goodies (crackers, chocolates, nuts etc) to help make a fabulous Christmas hamper and the raffle will be drawn during the children's Nativity performance at the church on December 9 at 7.00 pm.

Donations can be handed in to both the school and church and will be accepted from now until Thursday, November 26.

Please help support the school and children and help make Advent and Christmas 2009 a season to remember. Many thanks in anticipation of lots of lovely goodies.

PARISH COUNCIL MEETINGS: There will be a Junior Parish Council meeting at 5.00 pm in the parish house this evening, 1st November. Later, at 6.00 pm, there will be a meeting of the Parish Council, again in the parish house.

MEETING FOR YOUNG READERS AND BIDDING PRAYER WRITERS: There will be a meeting of the existing parish young readers (of secondary age) and those who write the bidding prayers. Also invited are young people who would like to become readers and would like to be involved in writing the bidding prayers. The meeting will be in the parish house on Monday 2nd November at 7.30 pm.

CHARITY SHOP: Remember we're in the charity shop this week. Why not drop in for a bargain?

IN PREPARATION FOR REMEMBRANCE SUNDAY

Remembrance Sunday is the day traditionally set aside to remember all those who have given their lives for the peace and freedom we enjoy today. On this day people across the nation pause to reflect on the sacrifices made by our brave servicemen and women.

There will be an ecumenical Remembrance Service next Sunday, 8th November, at 10.00 am in the Town Hall, followed by a procession to the War Memorial for a minute's silence at 11.00 am, in prayer and in honour of those who have given their lives in service to our country. All are invited. **Mass on the morning of 8th November will take place at 9 am in Our Lady and St Cuthbert's to enable people to take part in the town remembrance commemorations. Please spread the word.**

NOVEMBER IS THE MONTH OF THE HOLY SOULS

During the month of November, Masses will be offered on in the parish for departed priests and people of Our Lady and St Cuthbert's and your departed friends and family. Please take a November List from the back of the church and add the names of those you would like the parish to pray for during November, and place it in the basket beside the altar. If you are able you can offer a Mass stipend with your November list.

For your diary: Monday 9th November, Mass for the deceased of the parish, 7.00 pm. Please make an effort to come and join in prayer for and with your departed loved ones. The names of those written on your lists will be read aloud at this Mass and there will be an opportunity to light a candle as a symbol of your prayer for and unity with them.

ENROLMENT OF CHILDREN MAKING THEIR SACRAMENTS



Last Saturday evening the children who will be preparing to receive the Sacraments of Reconciliation, Confirmation and Eucharist made a promise to work hard to understand their commitment to Jesus. Their parents and families promised to support them and the entire community promised to pray for them.

Josh Malone, Toni McLaughlin, Finlay Wright, Abbie Valdrighi and Zara Cole are pictured with candles at the end of Mass.

PARISH FIREWORKS DISPLAY



To help build up an even stronger sense of parish community, there will be a parish fireworks display and social evening on Friday 6th November. Access is through the Allans Hill entrance, not the gate at the bottom of the hill.

Please be within the grounds for 7.15 pm, and if you are bringing friends be sure they know when to arrive. The gates will close at 7.15 pm and the display will begin at 7.30 pm.

Parking in the grounds, round beside the hall entrance, will be for the disabled and infirm only. Others, please park outside in the street. You may even wish to come on foot.

There will be no charge for the evening but there will be an opportunity to make a donation to parish funds.

For health and safety reasons, **please do not bring sparklers.** Glowsticks will be available to buy for the children. Small children must be accompanied by an adult. Please bring torches to help you see.

After the fireworks display, all are invited to gather in the hall for warm home-made soup and sandwiches, and a quiz. **We urgently need volunteers to make sandwiches — please let Jean Harvey (883271) know what you will bring.** Bring your own bottle please.

EUCCHARISTIC ADORATION



At Mass bread and wine are changed to the Body and Blood of Christ, which we receive in the Eucharist. Adoration is devotional prayer where people spend time quietly before the consecrated host in the monstrance. It is a time to gaze on Jesus present under the form of bread, and to experience his closeness. The Blessed Sacrament is exposed for Adoration next on Saturday, 7th November in Our Lady and St Cuthbert's, from 11.00 am until 12.30 pm (please note the new times). The list for watching is at the back of the church. Please make sure someone is present at all times. All are welcome to drop in to church and spend a few moments in prayer.

YOUTH MASS IN NOVEMBER

November's youth Mass will be on Saturday 14th November at 5.30 pm. Before Mass there will be a trip to Pizza Hut in Ayr. The minibus will leave at 2.30 pm from the church and will return in time for Mass. The cost is £5 per head to be brought on the day. If you would like to go, and are aged primary 7 or over, please add your name to the list at the back of the church. You will also need to complete a parental consent form (since the last one is now out of date). They are available from the form racks at the back of the church and online at www.olasc.org.uk/Downloads/2009/Parental%20Consent%20Form.pdf.



THANKS: Grateful thanks to Saint Clare for favours received. May the Sacred Heart of Jesus be praised, adored and glorified and loved today and every day throughout the world, Amen. DK.

MINISTERS FOR SUNDAY CELEBRATIONS OF THE EUCHARIST THIS WEEK AND NEXT WEEK

	READER	PRAYER BEFORE MASS & BIDDING PRAYERS	EUCCHARISTIC MINISTERS	PASSKEEPERS	ALTAR SERVERS	MUSIC	SUPERVISOR FOR YOUNG LIT	BELL RINGER	COUNTERS
Sat 31 October <i>All Saints</i>	Eileen Hamilton	Ellen Hawkes	Doreen Donald John Malone	Robin Donald John Sabbatini	Owen, Connor, Phoebe, Ronan	Nicola Lawrence		David Malone (Jnr)	Doreen Donald Robin Donald
Sun 1 November <i>All Saints Children's Mass</i>	Emily Kiltie	Deaglán & Dara Hunter Blair	Margaret Kiltie David Strang	Cindy McEwan Tony Kerrigan	Rachel, David, Rebecca, Aidan, Dominic	Youth Choir		Laura Kiltie	
Sat 7 November <i>32nd in OT Remembrance</i>	Matthew Reilly	Alex Meek	Maureen Hay Margaret Reilly	David Malone (Snr) Jim Hawkes	Amy, Emily, Ciera, Patrick	Nicola Lawrence		Robin Donald	Nancy Flanagan Chris Connolly Betty McCaffery
Sun 8 November <i>32nd in OT Remembrance</i>	Tom Dowman	Jim McDermott	Elizabeth Meek Cindy McEwan	Chic McDermott Dennis McCaffery	Niall, Zak, Brody, Blair, Darra	Maria Newlands	Jim Campbell	Laura Kiltie	