



Twice As Sweet



On Valentines Day, we show our love;
 We express our deep affections.
 Those who are important to us
 Get cards and sweet confections.

But Christian love is not just for
 The ones we hold most dear;
 Jesus said "love everyone;"
 He made that very clear.

For Christians, it is every day
 We should care and love and serve
 Everyone we meet in life,
 Whether they do or don't deserve.

Let's follow Jesus' good command
 To love everyone we meet.
 Valentine's Day every day
 Will make life twice as sweet.



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Mass Times
 Saturday Vigil 5.30 pm.
 Sunday 9.30 am



ST. VALENTINE

WHATS ON

Date	Event
Sun 1 st Feb	Catholic Education Sunday 9.30am Children's Mass Mrs Miller will speak at Mass and pupils will be involved too 10.30- 11.30 Arts & Crafts (P.7 & younger)
Sat 7 th Feb	5.30pm Vigil Mass
Sun 8 th Feb	9.30am Mass
Thu 12 th Feb	School Closes
Fri 13 th Feb	3.30pm – 4.30pm Swim Trials
Sat 14 th Feb	5.30pm Youth Mass Followed by trip to L.A. Bowl (P7 and older) Names to Denise (882760) before Friday 6 th Feb
Sun 15 th Feb	9.30am Mass
Wed 18 th Feb	School Re-opens
Sat 21 st Feb	Vigil Mass
Sun 22 nd Feb	9.30am Mass 6pm Jolasc Journal meeting at Rachel's house
Tue 24 th Feb	Pancake Tuesday
Wed 25 th Feb	Ash Wednesday Mass for St Cuthbert's pupils at church 9 am Services in QMA at time to be arranged. Mass for parish at 7 pm
Fri 27 th Feb	3.30pm– 4.30pm Swim Trials

Inter Primary Schools Swimming Gala

Swimming trials are organised for Friday 13th and Friday 27th February at 3.30pm - 4.30pm in Maybole Swimming Pool. This event is for P.5 - P.7 boys and girls. Good luck and swim fast!



INTERVIEW OF THE MONTH



David Kiltie—Member of the Burns Society

Robert Burns, not David Kiltie!

Questions about Robert Burns

1. What was the first poem he ever wrote? **Once I loved a bonnie lass**
2. Did he have any brothers or sisters? **3 of each**
3. What age was Robert Burns when he went to school? **6 and his first teacher was 18**
4. How many poems and songs did he write? **I'm not sure if anyone knows that but the "The Complete Songs of Robert Burns" has 12 CDs and over 360 songs.**
5. How many times did he move house? **He was born in Alloway, and lived at Mount Oliphant, Ayr, Lochlea, Irvine, Mossgiel, Edinburgh, Ellisland, and Dumfries where he died aged 37.**
6. What do you think was his best poem? **Tam O'Shanter**
7. When is his Birthday? **25th January. His birthday was in 1759 it is his 250th anniversary this year!**
8. Who was his best friend? **He described James Cunningham, Earl of Glencairn, as his best friend. One of his greatest schoolboy friends was William Niven who lived in Maybole where Burns often visited him.**
9. What age was he when he got married? **29 but he had earlier given his wife a paper which, under the Scots law of the day, probably constituted a marriage contract.**
10. Did he have any children? **12 in total. He had 9 children with his wife Jean Armour the youngest born on the day of his funeral. Six of Jean & Rabbie's children died young.**

How to pray

Praying is not very hard; it is just like talking to your best friend.

You can talk to God out loud or just talk to him quietly in your head. God hears all prayers.

You can talk to Him anywhere – at home, at school, at church, taking a walk, in the car, in your bed, anywhere!

You can pray on your own or with your family.

You can pray anytime you like.

You can talk to God about anything and everything. You can thank Him, say sorry to Him, and ask of Him. You can tell Him what scares you and what makes you happy or sad. You can talk to God when you need help.

Take time during and after your prayer to listen. Praying is not all a one sided conversation!



Oor Burns Supper Warm reekin rich - Whit a treat!!!



Quick Quiz



Answer the questions 1-5 by unscrambling the answers given below..
Good Luck !



1. What day does Valentines Day fall on this year? _____
2. What is the Valentines angel called? _____
3. Where was Saint Valentine born? _____
4. What's a common present to receive on valentines day? _____
5. What parishioner's birthday is it on this special day? _____

Anagrams :)

1. aydstlua 2. dcipu 3. mreoo 4. Sero 5. lia yor

- a) What does the word valentine mean ?
- b) What date was the first recorded Valentine sent?
- c) What type of bird symbolizes Valentine's Day?
- d) What is the Greek word for Cupid, God of Love?
- e) What fruit is also known as the "love apple"?

Answers

- Anagrams -**
1. Saturday
 2. Cupid
 3. Rome
 4. Rose
 5. Ali Roy

- Quick Quiz -**
- a) Sweet heart
 - b) 1415
 - c) Dove
 - d) Eros
 - e) Tomato



Valentines Word Search



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U M C P I N K H Q P V W
V J U Q H R S G K A J P
V J P P Z E P E L E T F
K P I H S D N E I R F S
R S D O N I N T A O E R
Y N R V M T E E Y M C O
E O D E I E H R D A A M
N B B N W T J D N R L A
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H I R E T A L O C O H C
A R W M C E Y F V W J E
N S A Y S T E E W S S P

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| ARROW | FRIENDSHIP | RIBBONS |
| BE MINE | HEART | ROMANCE |
| CANDLES | HONEY | ROSES |
| CANDY | LACE | SWEETHEART |
| CHOCOLATE | LOVE | SWEETIE |
| CUPID | PINK | SWEETS |
| FLOWERS | RED | VALENTINE |

