

Fr Murtagh will celebrate the Solemnity of Christ the King, which aptly brings to a close the Liturgical Year, in anticipation of a New Year beginning in the Holy Season of Advent.

It is good for me to start my Ministry as we enter this beautiful Season on the 27th November, the First Sunday of Advent. Therefore, I would like to invite you to consider three aspects of evangelisation to get involved in.

**1. Wednesday 30th November Solemnity of St Andrews.**

Mass at 7pm. (The intention of this Mass is to pray especially for Vocation to Priestly Life) followed by a gathering in the Hall (Please append name on list for catering purposes)

**2. Advent Visitation.** If you would like a home visit from the Priest during Advent, please fill in the form and pop it into the box.

**3. Our preparations for the coming Festivities of Christmas** which this year falls on Saturday Night and Sunday Morning.

I look forward to joining you for these celebrations and when I am back, in the words of St John Paul, I am *totus tuus*, **all yours.**

**God bless you and your families.**

*Fr John McGinley*



**Parish of  
St Mary's,  
Duntocher  
and  
St Joseph's,  
Faifley**

**Bulletin**  
12th and 13th November 2022



Dear Parishioners of St Mary's and St Joseph's,

I am delighted to be appointed as your new Parish Priest, in succession to Fr Paul. I look forward to getting to know you over the coming years.

Let me firstly say thank you to Fr Paul for his kindness and warm welcome. He has looked after you diligently and pastorally these last years and done so much, along with yourselves in adapting the Parishes to the times we are in. I know he was grateful to celebrate his Silver Jubilee among you. I am sure I speak for you all in wishing Fr Paul our best wishes and prayers as he becomes Parish Priest of St Ninian's in Knightswood.

I arrived yesterday, Friday 11th, a Remembrance Day that will stay with me! It is a privilege this first weekend to celebrate Mass for you and your families and say hello.

I look forward to meeting your children, teachers and staff in the school communities.

Previous to all this news, I had already arranged to be away for the week of 14th-23rd November, so please be aware of the following Mass times:

**Monday 14th November**

(No morning Mass)  
Mass in the evening at 7pm

**Tuesday 15th November**

Mass at 9.30am

**Wednesday 16th November to Wednesday 23rd**

**NO WEEKDAY MASSES OR FUNERALS**

Saturday and Sunday Masses as normal will be celebrated by Fr Brendan Murtagh. Please be patient and understanding with these arrangements as they have been organised.