

15th Sunday of the Year Year A
St Joseph & St Patrick's
Wemyss Bay
12 July 2026
Vigil Mass 5pm
Sunday Mass 10am

There is no Sunday 5pm Mass during July

Weekdays Monday, Tuesday, Thursday Friday **Mass 10am**
Exposition 9.20am

Sunday 10am and Weekday Masses online. Parish YouTube channel at
<https://bit.ly/stjstp>

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**Please remember in your prayers:**

**Sick:** Derek Fraser, Veronica Sherry, Maureen Doran, Brian Bradley, Colette Grant,  
Mary Boyd, Scilla Berry, Kate McMahon.

**Recently died:** James Leonard.

**Anniversaries :** Mary Muir, Damian Muir, Bridie Campbell

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Going on holiday in the UK?

Download the Catholic app for all Parishes and Mass times.

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**Pope Leo's prayer intention for July**

**For respect for human life.**

Let us pray for the respect and protection of human life in all its stages, recognizing it as  
a gift from God.

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**WORLD YOUTH DAY 2027**

The Holy Father is inviting young people from around the world to Seoul in South Korea,  
in **August 2027**. The Diocese of Paisley is responding to Pope Leo's invitation. Will you  
be aged 19-35 in Summer 2027? Do you want to know more? Email Fr Ryan

"VE-Youth@rcdop.org.uk" <VE-Youth@rcdop.org.uk>

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Parish Prayer Circle

The Prayer Circle are here to help pray for your intentions. If you would like them to help
with your intention, please put the request into the box in the porch. You can also make
a request through ChurchSuite at <https://tinyurl.com/jpprayers>. It can be anonymous if
you wish.

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**Teas and coffee in the hall after Sunday 10am Mass**

## Foodbank

Thank you for all the donations to the Foodbank.  
Unfortunately the demand is as great as ever.

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## FATIMA VIGIL IN HOWWOOD

The Fatima Vigil is held in Christ the King Church, Howwood on the 12th of each month from May to October. The next Vigil will take place on **Sunday 12th July. The Vigil begins with a Rosary procession (weather allowing) at 7:30pm**, followed by Holy Mass and Benediction. Refreshments are available in the hall afterwards.

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### Church Seating Arrangement

**Some rearrangement of the seating at the back of church has been made.** When you enter the church, you will now see a passageway across to the opposite window, providing access to the Sacred Heart. This will also provide space for wheelchairs and prams, helping to keep the aisle and entrance clear of any obstructions. It may also help at funerals when the remains are being received.

**There are three chairs below the Sacred Heart. These are for use by Welcomers only** so that the rear pew can remain for others. These also provide a use in the case of someone feeling unwell, so please leave these for the Welcomers.

**When there is a Eucharistic Minister, they will stand at the fifth pew from the back, the one with the last camera notice** . Communion will then continue as normal. We will trial this over July & August. Some readjustments may be introduced once we see how well this works. This rearrangement has only resulted in six fewer seats but hopefully provides a more open, safer, and welcoming entrance.

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## Fr Berry's Philosophical Corner

Daughter. "Dad, why are you staring at the orange juice bottle?"  
Dad. "It says concentrate."

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**Dear St Joseph, Guardian of The Holy Family, watch over our Parish  
St Patrick, pray for us**