

St Joseph & St Patrick's  
Wemyss Bay  
3<sup>rd</sup> Sunday of the Year A  
25 January 2026

**Weekend Masses** Vigil 5pm Sunday 10am 5pm Confession Saturday 4.30pm

**Weekdays** Monday, Tuesday, Thursday, Friday 10am Exposition 9.30-9.50am

**Sunday 10am and Weekday Masses online. Parish YouTube channel at**

<https://bit.ly/stjstp>

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**Please remember in your prayers:**

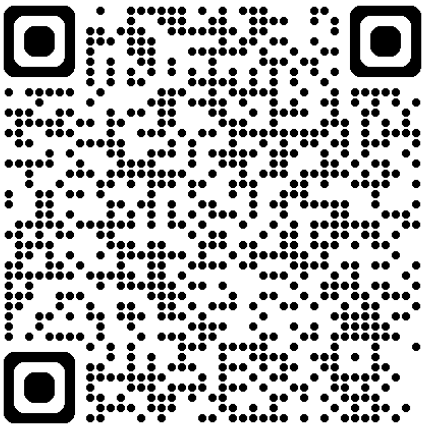
**Sick:** Margaret Enright, Janette Sorrell, Derek Fraser, Veronica Sherry, Jamie Donnachie,  
Bill Stuart, John Street, Maureen Doran,

**Recently died:** Fran Corrigan, Peter Gormley, Lilian Beaton, Andrea Di Murro

**Anniversaries :** Isa Smith, Mary Deegan.  
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**QR codes are now available in the pews and at the back of the Church**

**These can be used for the offertory collection**

<p style="text-align: center;"><b>QR Code</b></p> <p><b>In case you have no money and wish to make a donation to the offertory collection.</b></p> <p><b>Open your phone's camera, point it at the code and tap on the link to go to the donations page.</b></p> <p><b>You can then make your donation or do it later at a more convenient time.</b></p>	
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**NEW VOCATIONS WEBSITE**

**[Our new Vocations web pages are up-and-running!](#)**

Please join us in praying for more vocations to the Diocese of Paisley – “He is There!”.

You can also support us by liking, sharing and following our Vocations social media

pages: [Instagram](#) [TikTok](#) [X](#)  
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## **SAFEGUARDING INDUCTION TRAINING – 2026**

If you are a new volunteer, or one who completed Part 1 training more than two years ago, you are invited to sign up for one of the following training sessions.

Please contact Sarah Jane Colhoun at the Safeguarding Office to register. Telephone **01418476138** or email [safeguardingadmin@rcdop.org.uk](mailto:safeguardingadmin@rcdop.org.uk).

- **Tuesday 10th February 7pm** - Diocesan Centre Paisley.

### **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.

### **Lenten Talks and Lenten Devotions**

You have any suggestions or preferences for the Lenten talks or devotions please let Fr Berry know.

### **Justice & Peace Scotland, Message from Archbishop Nolan**

Archbishop William Nolan, President of Justice & Peace Scotland, has recently returned from a week-long pastoral mission to the Holy Land as part of the 2026 Holy Land Coordination.

*"We come to a country which is traumatized. All sides have been traumatised by years of conflict... It's very difficult for people, when they're suffering themselves, to see the pain of the other side.*

*"Life here will not improve until the occupation comes to an end. At the heart of the problem is this: the Palestinians live under a military occupation, and we do need them to be given a state of their own. Everyone wants peace, but the only way to peace is through justice."*

Justice and Peace Scotland [office@justiceandpeacescotland.org.uk](mailto:office@justiceandpeacescotland.org.uk)

### **Fr Berry's Philosophical Corner.**

There are three periods in life: youth, middle age and "How well you look".

### **Parish Safeguarding Co-ordinators**

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**Please do contact them if you have any concerns.**

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