

St Joseph & St Patrick's  
Wemyss Bay  
3<sup>rd</sup> Sunday of Lent A  
8 March 2026

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

**Weekdays** Monday, Tuesday, Friday 10am Exposition 9.15am Morning Prayer 9.40am  
Stations of the Cross after Mass

**Thursday Mass 7pm**

**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, Bill Stuart,  
Maureen Doran, Scilla Berry.

**Recently died:** Anne Redmond, Tony Shields.

**Anniversaries :** Eugene Lafferty, Anne Marie Thorpe, Martin Brown, Sarah Hagan.  
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**Special Collection this weekend for Papal and Episcopal Charities**  
**This is a CASH ONLY collection please don't use the QR code**  
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**Finance Statement**

The Finance Committee met recently to review the latest management accounts ending on 31<sup>st</sup> December 2025.

**The Parish Loan from the Diocese was paid off in full in November 2025.**

The accounts for 12 months ended 31 December 2025 shows a surplus of £22,177. The balance on Investments with Diocese as at 31 December 2025 amounts to £49,567.

We are very grateful for the continued support from parishioners and we are delighted that so many of you have completed gift aid declarations **AND** standing order forms, allowing us to claim an additional 25% for our funds.

Following our trial period using QR codes, it has been decided that we will **NOT** be using the QR code for special collections. This is a temporary measure while we gather additional information on the transactional processes  
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**Passover Meal**

This year we are hosting the Passover Meal which will take place **on Monday, 30<sup>th</sup> March at 7pm in the hall.** We welcome our neighbours at Inverkip, Skelmorlie & Wemyss Bay Church to this uplifting event at the beginning of Holy Week. There are 20 spaces available for our parish and there's a form at the back of the Church if you able to attend.

