Paws for thought
He is risen and his mercy reaches the whole world - but how do we accept and rejoice in that mercy?
Love and Licks.

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Welcome to
St Vincent de Paul’s
East Kilbride
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Psalm Response: Lift up the light of your face on us, O Lord
SECOND READING: St John 2:1-5
GOSPEL ACCLAMATION: Alleluia Alleluia
Lord Jesus, explain the scriptures to us.
Make our hearts burn within us as you talk to us.
Alleluia alleluia!

Mary’s Meals It takes £13.90 to feed a child FOR ONE YEAR! Donations can be made in the hall every Sunday either by small weekly donations or by your precious time. We DESPERATELY NEED helpers at the Café.

Young Persons Choir meet on
Mondays 3.15 - 4.30 pm. Choir instruction undertaken by Joseph

Rosary on the Coast Sunday 29th April at 3.00 pm. Destination to be confirmed. For more details, www.rosaryonthecoast.co.uk You are encouraged to join us with the rosary and join thousands making a ring around Scotland, England and Wales to pray for faith life and peace. See notice in porch and list on hall door for anyone interested in coming along.

Immaculate Heart of Mary Annual Report 2017-18 report on noticeboard giving update on the great work the Legion of Mary carries out within our parish and beyond.

Blessed Sacrament Chapel Our side chapel is open for quiet prayer, and exposition of the blessed Sacrament. The side door to the chapel has a combination lock code The tabernacle in the side chapel is fitted with doors in front of a window to the blessed sacrament should anyone wish exposition. If you open these doors please close them as you leave. This is a place of prayer so please respect that, the Lord’s presence and others praying there.

Mission Statement:
“As the parish community of St Vincent de Paul
we are called by Baptism to celebrate the presence of Christ here in East Kilbride through Word, Sacrament, Charity and Love”

Last Week 1st Collection £1060.20 Thank you for your Support

3rd Sunday of Easter Year B - 15th April 2018
Divine Office: Psalter week 3 with proper of season, Te Deum
Baptised you are requested to speak to Fr Ivan on Monday 7th May 2018 at 7.00 pm. If you wish your child to be Baptised you are requested to speak to Fr Ivan and attend this course.

Fr Ivan on Holiday
Grateful thanks to
Canon Willie Dunnachie, for his spiritual guidance and celebration of Masses especially the two funeral Masses held this week during Fr Ivan’s absence.

First Eucharist and Confirmation
Activity Days:
Saturday 21st April and Saturday 28th April from 10.30am until 2pm in the Church Hall
Parental Letters and Invitations for children due to receive the above sacraments have been handed in to both St Louise and St Vincent Primaries. If your child is due to receive these sacrament in soon and does not attend either of these schools but is a parishioner of St Vincent De Paul Parish; please see Father Ivan who has spare letters and invitations. Please note Confirmation activity day on 28th April is only for the pupils of St Vincent’s and those who have arranged with Fr Ivan to receive the Sacrament with St Vincent’s.

St Andrew’s & St Bride’s High School have re-scheduled the Studio 32 concert to Thursday 26th April. Come along and enjoy an evening of “Strictly Musicals” Tickets are £5 call Hilary on 07714981908 or pay at the door.

Parish Shop
Beautiful missals, rosaries, cards and much more available to purchase from our parish shop in time for the Sacraments of First Eucharist and Confirmation, as well as Baptism gifts and catholic newspapers and magazines. Your support helps towards the upkeep of the parish.

Congratulations to Monsignor Thomas Millar who will be celebrating his 40th Anniversary to the priesthood with Mass in Our Lady of Lourdes church at 7.00 pm on Friday 20th April 2018

Gift Aid Envelopes there are still a number of envelopes to be collected. If you wish to join our parish Gift Aid Scheme please see Fr Ivan for appropriate form. Payments can be made either using envelopes or by Direct Debit payment. The new GA year has started so now would be a good time to join the scheme.

Social Committee meeting will be held on Tuesday 17th April at 7.00 pm. New members welcome.

Next Sunday
Sunday 22nd April
World Day of Prayer for Vocations. A special collection will be taken

World Meeting of Families
Dublin from 21st to 26th August. Pope Francis has confirmed his attendance on Saturday 25th and Sunday 26th when he will celebrate the final Eucharist in Phoenix Park. Details available on www.worldmeeting2018.ie

Dates for your diary:
Scottish Catholic Medical Association meeting will take place in Turnbull Hall in the University of Glasgow Saturday 12th May at 11.00 am - see poster

Thursday 14th June at 1.00 pm - Scottish Catholic Education Community National Schools’ Mass to mark the centenary of the 1918 Education (Scotland Act). Falkirk Football Stadium - information through schools.

Notre Dame College of Education Class of 1978 40th Reunion
Saturday 23rd June at Glasgow University Chaplaincy Mass at 12 - see poster

Memorial Garden and Stations of the cross.
It is accomplished - the memorial garden was blessed and dedicated on Good Friday. Thanks to all who helped in any way especially by sponsoring a station or a brick or just donating to the project. I would also like to thank David Finnion who coordinated the building work for us, Alex from AMS & Sons who did all the groundworks and Andrew from ForeverMemorials.co.uk who supplied the stations. The first burial of ashes took place last Tuesday. If anyone would like their loved one’s ashes buried in the memorial garden please contact Fr Ivan. We will not be putting any other plaques or remembrances up for now the plan is we will record all those who are buried there in a memorial book.

Please Pray for

Recently Dead: John Quinn, Louise Kyle, Carmel Long, Margaret Morris Gerry Duffin, David Trainer, Mary Brannen, Andrew Dyke, John Mitchell, Canon Bernard MacDonald

Anniversary: George McCabe, Caroline Davidson, Michael Daly

Healing & Deliverance Mass at St Columba’s Chapel Hall Uddingston on Saturday 21st April at 1.00 pm.
Programme: Rosary : Praise and Worship Mass - see poster on notice-board

Baptism Course The next baptismal preparation course will be held on Monday 7th May 2018 at 7.00 pm. If you wish your child to be Baptised you are requested to speak to Fr Ivan and attend this course.