

## **SSVP CHRISTMAS APPEAL**

Without its traditional box collections, St. Gabriel's SSVP Conference continues to need financial support. As Christmas approaches, we are committed to providing support to needy families in our area and we ask parishioners to help us with their donations.

One-off donations may be made by cheque, made out to "**SSVP GL05057**" and sent to Frances McKeon, 1/1, 3 Mariscat Road, Glasgow G41 4ND. Online transfers may be made to our bank account:

**A/c name: SSVP GL05057**

**Sort code: 80-07-34**

**A/c no.: 00834880**

Our sincere thanks to all who have helped us to date.

## **TICKETS FOR MASS**

Now we are back in Tier 3, we welcome family groups for mass. Tickets can be registered via *EVENTBTRITE* by means of the **parish website or Facebook page**. Using this method enables us to comply with Government requirements that we identify all who attend our services through Track and Trace systems.

## **PARISH WEBSITE**

As Advent begins we are now using a new website:

[www.stgabrielsmerrylee.co.uk](http://www.stgabrielsmerrylee.co.uk) to update our information. *This website is now in operation*, but the previous website will remain operative briefly with a link to the new website.

## **VISITS FOR PRIVATE PRAYER**

The church will be open on Tuesdays and Thursdays from 11am until 12 noon for private prayer. Please leave your name and phone number with the "welcomer" at the door just in case we need to trace you.

## **ST. GABRIEL'S NATIVITY 2020**

Primary school aged children from St Gabriel's Parish are invited to help us make a Nativity video to be posted

online. The children will draw pictures and some of the older children will narrate. There will be no photographs of the children. We will meet with you and your parent or guardian on Zoom at 4pm every Sunday in Advent.

To find out more, email Mary-Kate Hannah on [nativitystgabriels@gmail.com](mailto:nativitystgabriels@gmail.com)

## **CHRISTMAS MASSES**

The proposed schedule for masses at Christmas will be as follows:

Christmas Eve  
Vigils at 4pm and 5:30pm.

Christmas Day  
Masses at 9am and 11am.

***Tickets will be available from Thursday, 17<sup>th</sup> December.***

A few copies of the new **Western Catholic Calendar** are now available from the chapel house price **£3:20**

## **FLOURISH**

The new edition of "Flourish" is now available from the porch of the chapel house, free of charge.

Please remember in your prayers those who have died recently: especially Francis Crilley, Margaret Robertson and Josephine Fairley; and those whose anniversaries occur about now: especially Arthur Mone.