



# St Quivox Church

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Sunday Mass: 9:45am & 6pm at St Quivox, Prestwick and 11.30am at St Ann's, Mossblown  
Weekday Mass: 10am Monday and Thursday, both at St Quivox

## Sunday 12<sup>th</sup> February 2023 – The Sixth Sunday of Year A

**Mass this Week:** Mass this week will be on Monday and Thursday at 10am.

**Please Remember** all those who have died including Denis Hutchinson, Sandra Niven, John Doherty, Isabella McAnally, Jeannie Thomson, Phyllis Hickey, Stephen King, Michael King and Mary McGeough.

**Earthquake Appeal:** As the number reported to have been killed in Monday's earthquakes in Turkey and Syria continues to rise daily and is now more than 20,000 we have become increasingly aware of the desperate need of millions left without shelter, food or warmth. SCIAF have already to help and are appealing for our support. The mission boxes will be out this Sunday and next with any donations being sent to SCIAF.

**Women's Group:** The Ladies group had our initial meeting on Wednesday to discuss what we would like to do? General agreement was a social and friendship group who would meet fortnightly. We are Meeting next week to organise ourselves more and start planning what we would like to do with our evenings - anyone who couldn't come previously come along and bring a friend or bring a bottle :) or both! Wednesday 15<sup>th</sup> at 7pm.

**Children's Liturgy:** It has been wonderful to see an increasing number of children attending the Children's Liturgy group during Mass on Sundays. We would very much like this to continue and for it to grow. At the moment we have only 3 people operating this and so are appealing for more parishioners to help. We work as a wee, supportive team and can each say it is a very rewarding role. We would ideally like to run on a rota basis so there wouldn't be the need for an every-week commitment. New helpers would require to obtain PVG certification as well as attend a Safeguarding training session initially. If you think you may be interested, please come and speak to Angela, Jacqui or Angie after morning Mass in the tea room. Thank you.

**CIA Foodbank:** We are looking to reinvigorate our support for the local Foodbank, donations and volunteers to drop the donations off at North Church would be very welcome. For more details please speak to Michael Pratchett.

**Lenten Talks:** During the Sunday afternoons of lent Michael Pratchett has arranged a series of talks on Christ's Passion. For more details, please see the posters or speak to Michael.

**Dates for your diaries:** Confirmation this year will be on Monday 20<sup>th</sup> February at 7pm. Ash Wednesday is 22<sup>nd</sup> February with the Rite of Enrolment for the children making their first communion this year taking place during the 9.45am mass on the 1<sup>st</sup> Sunday of Lent, 26<sup>th</sup> February. Easter Sunday is the 9<sup>th</sup> April, with first communion being celebrated on Saturday 13<sup>th</sup> May.

**SPRED** are organising several events, including a Valentine Get Together on Wednesday 15<sup>th</sup> February 10.30am-1pm, in Tesco, AYR, Community Room, Pancake Day in St Margaret's Church Hall 21<sup>st</sup> February, from 11am - 2pm, and a kiltwalk later in the spring. Please see the posters for details.



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