## The Parish of St. Matthew and St. Luke, Chadderton

"Living out our call to share the Gospel in Faith, Hope and Love"

Friends of St Matthew's
200 Club

## Rules/constitution of St.Matthew's "200 Club" (July 2022)

- 1) The funds and administration of the 200 Club shall be overseen by 3 Administrators reporting to the Parochial Church Council. Current Administrators: N Barker, M Hughes & C Middlebrook.
- 2) The subscription/entry to the 200 Club for one number/share will be £4 per month, payable via standing order monthly in advance into the 200 Club's designated bank account.
- 3) Anyone over 16 years can become a member of the 200 Club. The 200 Club shall not be limited to 200 subscribers/entries the more entries the bigger the prizes. One person may not have more than 5 entries in the month's draw.
- 4) An entrant to the draw is eligible for inclusion so long as the subscription for that month has been received into the 200 Club's designated bank account by month end. If no longer wishing to subscribe, responsibility for cancelling the standing order payment remains with the entrant, together with courtesy update to <a href="mailto:StMatthews200club@gmail.com">StMatthews200club@gmail.com</a>
- 5) Each subscriber/entry shall be allocated a number/'raffle ticket' in the monthly draw which will take place in the calendar month after receipt of all entries/payments of the preceding month.
- 6) There will be one prize draw a month on St Matthew's Church Chadderton premises/grounds in the presence of at least 3 people, one of whom will be an Administrator or the Incumbent/Priest in Charge. The day of the month will vary but be around the 2<sup>nd</sup>/3<sup>rd</sup> week in the month to give time to collate that month's entries into raffle tickets for the draw and enable pay-out of prizes.
- 7) Monthly prizes will be awarded according to the membership/receipt of funds in the prior calendar month as follows: 45% of the month's receipts allocated to 1<sup>st</sup> Prize (25%), 2<sup>nd</sup> Prize (15%) and 3<sup>rd</sup> Prize (5%). The remainder of receipts net of stationary/postal/licence expenses will be allocated to the PCC general account.
- 8) The monthly draw prize winners will be detailed in the Pew Sheet distributed by church, and also available upon reasonable request from <a href="mailto:StMatthews200club@gmail.com">StMatthews200club@gmail.com</a>.
- 9) The Administrators will make all reasonable efforts to pay or post winners' prize money by secure means within a reasonable period after the monthly draw. Where a phone/email address has been provided, the winners will also be notified in this way on a best endeavours basis.
- 10) The decision of the Administrators shall be final in all matters requiring adjudication.
- 11) The Administrators shall also have power to amend or revoke these rules at their absolute discretion in consultation with the Parochial Church Council, with such reasonable notice to the then current 200 Club subscribers as is necessary

