

St Aloysius' Church

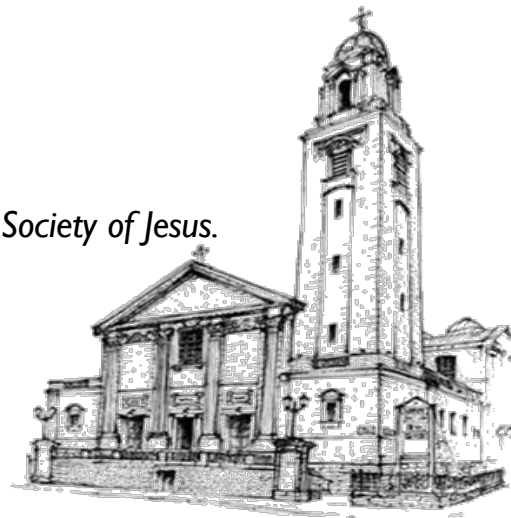
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20 October 2024

Twenty Ninth Sunday of the Year

Year B

SERVICE TIMES

Sunday Mass Vigil (*Saturday*): 5.00 pm
Sunday: 10.00 am
Signed Mass for the Deaf Community
12.00 noon (Sung), & 9.00 pm

Weekday Monday - Friday: 8.00 am, 12.15 pm,

Saturday 12.15pm & 5.00pm (*Vigil*)

Confessions Mon-Sun 30 minutes before Mass

Confessions after 8 a.m. Mass on request

Exposition Every Sunday after the 12.00 noon Mass

Welcome to Visitors

We wish a warm welcome to all our visitors. On a Sunday we have tea after 10 am Mass we have tea upstairs in the Ogilvie Centre. Please do join us

RCIA Programme 2024-25

For those wishing to become Catholics takes place on Mondays at 7.30 pm in the Ogilvie Centre.

Car Parking

Parking is available on a Sunday in the College Car Park in Scott Street.

New Lectionary for Readers

The new Lectionary, with a new translation of Scripture (English Standard Version – Catholic Edition ESV-CE), comes into use on the First Sunday of Advent, 1 December 2024. In preparation for this, there will be sessions in the Ogilvie Centre for readers, and to which all parishioners are welcome

Thursday 28 November after 12.15 Mass

Thursday 28 November at 6.15 pm with Mass beforehand at 5.30 p.m.

Saturday 30 November after 12.15 Mass.

Light refreshments will be served.

Readers are invited to attend one of these sessions – please make a note of the date. Thank you.

Young Adults Group

The Sunday Evening Young Adult meetings: Ignatian Spirituality Centre, Scott Street, G3 6PE (go up Hill Street, 2nd road turn to right, and it is immediately on the left). Programme - 7pm onwards: light supper, then talk and discussion, option of attending the Mass at 9.00pm. All young adults most welcome!

Assisted Suicide Laws

On Wednesday 16 October Kim Leadbeater MP introduced a bill in the Westminster Parliament to introduce assisted suicide, which will be voted on by MPs on the 29 November. We know that assisted suicide laws in other jurisdictions have had devastating consequences for the poor, disabled and marginalised. This is the biggest threat to the vulnerable in a decade, and we need a huge effort to lobby MPs. Please contact your MP by visiting www.livesworthliving.org.uk

Glasgow Torchlight Procession to mark 57th Anniversary of the Abortion Act

Please join the Society for the Protection of Unborn Children in Glasgow on Thursday 24 October for the annual torchlight procession to commemorate 57 years since the passing of the 1967 Abortion Act, which has led to the loss of more than 10 million lives here in the UK. This is a solemn and prayerful event to pray for an end to abortion. 6:30 pm – Rosary in George Square
7:00 pm – Begin procession to St. Andrew's Cathedral 7:30 pm – Mass in St. Andrew's Cathedral

Pause for Hope

An Ecumenical Service for all people affected by Cancer. Thursday 24th October at 7pm in St Aloysius Church, 25 Rose Street, G3 6RE. All Welcome. Amanda Reid, Chaplain to Robin House Balloch (CHAS), will give a reflection on the work of the hospice). A collection will be taken up for the vital work of the Hospice.

Please Consider Joining the St Aloysius Public Life Group

The purpose of the Public Life Group is to assist the Parish Priest by publicising issues relevant to the Catholic Church within the parish and enabling parishioners to take action to uphold the teachings of the Church in public life. Current activities include campaigning against the assisted dying bill, publicising justice and peace and environmental and climate issues and supporting persecuted Christians. Please see Fr Mitchell if you might be interested in joining the group or would like further details. Anyone interested in joining the group is welcome to attend the next meeting on Friday 25th October at 2pm on the first floor of the Ogilvie Centre.

Praying for the Synod Friday 25th October

Mass 5.30 pm followed by Synod Retreat Meditation of Fr Timothy Radcliffe OP:
Resurrection and Breakfast Conversation John 21: 15 – 25
This will be followed by Exposition of the Blessed Sacrament until 7.00 pm.

Abba's Vineyard

Evening of Adoration for young adults, Saturday 26th October, from 5-9pm. Come and adore Jesus in the blessed Sacrament. The evening includes the opportunity for Confession, Mass and dinner. Address - Blessed John Duns Scotus, 270 Ballater Street, Glasgow, G5 0YT. For more information search @abbasvineyard on social media or email: abbasvineyard@gmail.com. All welcome.

Christian Prayer and the Adventure of the Spiritual Life

Sycamore Course for the Deaf

Ogilvie Centre, St Aloysius, Garnethill Wednesday 30 Oct & 6 Nov 6.30 p.m. – 8.30 p.m.
Each evening begins with a meal followed by a presentation, reflection and prayer. All are welcome.

A Witness to Joy: The amazing story of Chiara Corbella Petrillo, a wife, a mother and a Servant of God. This will be told by her spiritual director, visiting speaker Padre Vito D'Amato. Introduced by Bishop John Keenan. This will take place on Thursday 31st October in St John's, Barrhead.. All Welcome. The Talk will follow immediately after 7.00pm Vigil Mass for the Solemnity of All Saints, in the hall with refreshments. Organised by Catholic Mothers.

Rachel's Vineyard - A Rachel's Vineyard retreat for spiritual and emotional healing after abortion will be held north of Glasgow on Friday 1st to Sunday 3rd November. This confidential, supportive retreat is powerful for anyone who has been affected by their own or someone else's abortion experience. For more information, please contact Sr Andrea on 07816 942824 or sisterandrea@rachelsvineyard.org.uk or visit www.rachelsvineyard.org.uk

Newman Association: Human Rights and Church Law - A talk by Professor Mary McAleese, will take place in The Parish Hall, Immaculate Conception Church, 2049 Maryhill Road, Glasgow, G20 0AA at 7.30pm on Thursday 7th November 2024 . All welcome. Refreshments provided.

Campaign Against Assisted Dying - At the request of the Archbishop CAAD – Campaign Against Assisted Dying – are organising a Deanery Meeting to explain the dangers of the Assisted Suicide Bills in the Scottish and Westminster Parliaments This will take place in St Gregory's Church 136 Kelvindale Road, Wyndford, Glasgow, G20 8DP on Tuesday 12 November at 7.00 pm.

Winter Warm Hub - Our warm hub for the winter will commence on Wednesday 13 November from 5.00 pm to 8.00 pm. The Winter Warm Hub will be open to welcome people, young and old, individuals, families and children. The church hall (the Auditorium, 2nd floor) will be open at 25 Rose Street as a hub for people to utilise. All are welcome. Join us for a hot meal or take the opportunity to read, play board games, have a coffee and socialise.

Nightfever - Young people aged 18-25 are warmly invited to attend a meeting to plan Night Fever. On Night Fever evening the doors of St Aloysius Church, Garnethill are wide open and young people and young adults invite passers-by around Sauchiehall Street to come into the church, light a candle, listen to the music, read a Bible passage, receive a blessing, take up the offer to talk to a priest or celebrate the sacrament of reconciliation. If you would like to hear more please come to an information and planning meeting about Night Fever in the Ogilvie Centre, St Aloysius' Church, Garnethill, 7.00-8.00 p.m. on Thursday 14 November.

Youth & Young Adult Evangelisation Conference – Sat 16th Nov 2024, 0930 -1600

Join with the Youth Office and special guests in the Archdiocesan Offices (G1 4JY) for a conference focussed on evangelising youth and young adults. It is set to be inspiring and practical with inputs, panel discussions, workshops exploring 6 different resources and the opportunity to network with others. <https://rcagyouth.eventbrite.com>

Retreat - Be still and know that I am God - Theodore House, Stonyhurst College, Lancashire - Thu 21 Nov (arrivals late afternoon) – Sun 24 Nov.

Join Fr Roger Dawson, SJ, for this retreat exploring the human condition with practices common to mindfulness and to Christian contemplative prayer. The retreat will seek to reclaim those practices that share common ground and theology rooted in the monastic and the Eastern Orthodox traditions. For bookings: <https://christianheritagecentre.com/events/be-still-and-know-that-i-am-god/>

Evangelisation: The Future of St Aloysius' Church, Garnethill?

You are warmly invited to a series of three meetings this Autumn.

**“The Church Exists to Evangelise”
The Message of the Modern Popes
What on earth are they talking about?**

Monday 21 October after 12.15 Mass

**Moving Forward
the Future of St Aloysius?
What's the point?**

Saturday 26th October after 12.15 Mass

Monday 28th October after 12.15 Mass

Thursday 7th November at 7 pm

Legion of Mary – Mission Sunday Project: Each week throughout the year members of the Legion of Mary undertake a variety of evangelisation works, mostly in their own parishes. On Mission Sunday this year legionaries from across the Archdiocese are coming together in St Margaret Mary's in Castlemilk to pray and go out two by two visiting the homes in the area. The legionaries, who go out desiring to be instruments of God's love, peace, healing and encouragement, request your prayers for themselves and the families they will meet.

Thank you for last Sunday's Collection
First Collection - £1,181.88 Second Collection £274.38 for Parish Expenses
Contactless Machine: £358

This week's second collection is for Missions

Next Sunday the second collection is for Lebanon

MASS TEXTS AND READING

Entrance Antiphon

Cf. Ps 16:6, 8

To you I call; for you will surely heed me, O God; turn your ear to me; hear my words. Guard me as the apple of your eye; in the shadow of your wings protect me.

First Reading

Isaiah 53:10-11

If he offers his life in atonement, he shall see his heirs, he shall have a long life.

Responsorial Psalm

Ps 32;4-5, 18-20, 22. R. v.2

May your love be upon us, O Lord, as we place all our hope in you.

Second Reading

Hebrews 4:14-16

Let us be confident in approaching the throne of grace.

Gospel Acclamation

Jn 14 :6

Alleluia, alleluia! I am the Way, the Truth and the Life, says the Lord; no one can come to the Father except through me.

Gospel

Mark 10:35-45

The Son of Man came to give his life as a ransom for many.

Communion Antiphon

Cf Ps 32:18-19

Behold, the eyes of the Lord are on those who fear him, who hope in his merciful love, to rescue their souls from death, to keep them alive in famine.

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