

# St Aloysius' Church

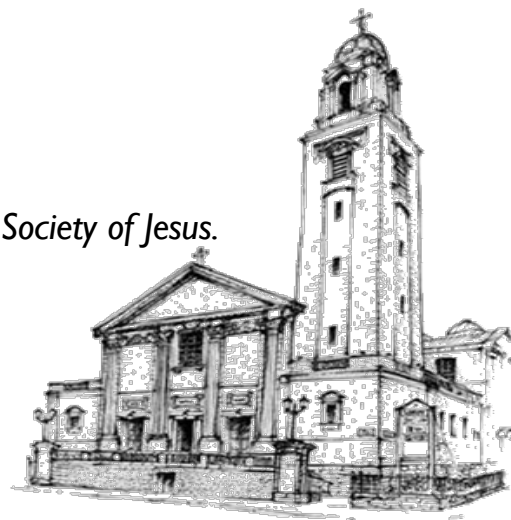
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Fr Roger Dawson SJ

27 October 2024

Thirtieth Sunday of the Year

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## 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

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

### 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

### Evangelisation:

**The Future of St Aloysius' Church, Garnethill? Meeting 3: Moving Forward: the Future of St Aloysius? What's the point?** Monday 28th October after 12.15 Mass, **repeated** Thursday 7th November at 7 pm

### RCIA Programme

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

### November Holy Souls

November is the month of Holy Souls. Please add the names of your loved ones to the lists available at the Holy Souls Altar.

### All Saints Vigil Mass

Thursday 31 October 5.30 p.m.

### All Saints Friday 1st November

Holy Day of Obligation  
Masses - 8.00 am, 12.15 pm and 5.30 pm.

### All Souls Day Saturday 2nd November

Mass 12.15 p.m.  
**Exposition in the Holy Souls Chapel after 12.15 pm Mass until 4.45 pm**

### Remembrance Service

The Annual Remembrance Mass will be on Sunday 10th November at 12.00pm.

### Mass for the Deceased

A Holy Souls Mass will be held on Saturday 23rd November at 12.15 pm. Candles will be lit for any loved ones who have passed away during the last year. If you have a name you would like to be added to our list for reading out at Mass, please email to the ([office.manager.staloyusius@gmail.com](mailto:office.manager.staloyusius@gmail.com)) or give to one of the priests. Refreshments will be served in the Auditorium on the 2nd floor after Mass. All Welcome.

**Young Adults Group** Sunday Evening meetings: Ignatian Spirituality Centre, Scott Street, G3 6PE (go up Hill Street, 2nd road turn to right, and it is immediately on the left). 7pm supper, talk and discussion,

**Requiem Mass for the Faithful Departed** in St Peter's Dalbeth: Sunday 3rd Nov at 3 pm. (Car parking by Good Shepherd Gate.)

**The Future of Care in Scotland** Meeting Thursday 31 October, 7.30 p.m. The Ogilvie Centre, St Aloysius' Church. Thank you very much to all those who have attended our various meetings on the future of care in Scotland. Thank you to all those who have written or contacted their local MSPs and Westminster MPs. In the light of the coming Assisted Suicide Bills before the Scottish and Westminster Parliaments over the next few months we will be having a further Meeting on Thursday 31 October to plan next steps. All are welcome

**Campaign Against Assisted Dying:** the Archbishop has asked each Deanery to have a meeting about defending the right to life for vulnerable and disabled people. Our local meeting is in St Gregory's, Wyndford, on Tuesday 12th November at 7pm. It would be good if some parishioners could attend and help bring back information for the rest of the parish.

**Get equipped for a Parliamentary Vote on Assisted Suicide:** Watch actor and disability rights advocate Liz Carr's BBC documentary on assisted suicide, Better Off Dead? where she examines the impact of one of the world's most extreme assisted suicide laws in Canada. Watch for free online (you do not need a TV licence): [righttolife.org.uk/betteroffdead](http://righttolife.org.uk/betteroffdead)

**Foodbank – this weekend** The foodbank priorities for this month are: UHT milk, diluting juice, tinned tomatoes, jars of pasta sauce, teabags and small jars of coffee. We mentioned last month that the Glasgow NE Foodbank would be making a special appeal during the winter months for woolly hats etc. Their coordinator has since been in touch to let us know that they have recently received a generous donation which will now allow them to purchase these items in time for the winter season leaving us to focus on priority food donations for the month of October.

### **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.

### **Diwali Greetings**

**Thursday 31 October is the Feast of Diwali.** A small group from St Aloysius will be visiting the Hindu Temple, 1 La Belle Place, Glasgow G3 7LH. If you would like to join us please meet after the 5.30 p.m. Mass outside the church in Rose Street. We will bring greetings to the Hindu community from the Vatican. For further information please email [staloyus.garnethill@rcag.org.uk](mailto:staloyus.garnethill@rcag.org.uk)

**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.

**Laudato Si Circle** - A Laudato Si Circle will meet in St Aloysius church. The first meeting is on Saturday 2<sup>nd</sup> November in the Ogilvie Centre, between 1.00 pm and 3.00 pm. We hope to carry out activities in the near future both within and nearby to the church. All Welcome. For further information, please email: [lscirclescotland@outlook.com](mailto:lscirclescotland@outlook.com)

**Salt, Leaven and Light: Encouraging Catholics to share the joy of the Gospel:** FireCloud is offering a new learning and formation course in evangelisation for parishes. Salt, Leaven and Light is for practicing Catholics from the Archdiocese of Glasgow who have a real desire to undertake practical evangelisation and outreach initiatives in their parish community. Course dates run once a month from November 2024 - June 2025 and sessions include learning and practical skills development for evangelisation. No previous ministry experience is needed. This is a great chance to grow in confidence to lead or contribute to evangelisation in our parishes. Further information at [www.fire-cloud.org](http://www.fire-cloud.org)

**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](mailto:sisterandrea@rachelsvineyard.org.uk) or visit [www.rachelsvineyard.org.uk](http://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.

**RCAG Young Adult Sessions: A retreat Afternoon** - 'The Eucharist: Source & Summit' - on Saturday 9th November from 1 - 4pm at 196 Clyde Street, G1 4JY. Join us for a retreat experience focussed on how the Eucharist impacts our life. This is a great opportunity to gather with other young adults and delve into prayer. More info and sign up: [www.tinyurl.com/rcagyasesions](http://www.tinyurl.com/rcagyasesions)

**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 18-35 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 16<sup>th</sup> 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/>

**NEW LECTIONARY:** From the first Sunday of Advent 2024, churches in Scotland, England and Wales will begin to use a revised new English translation of the lectionary. We have been accustomed to the Jerusalem bible for many years and the revised translation uses the English Standard Version (Catholic Edition). To order online your own missal with new translation please go to <https://www.newlectionary.org/#:~:text=what%20translation%20will%20the%20new,Bible%20and%20the%20Abbey%20Psalter>. b) <https://www.paulineuk.org/newlectionary> c) <https://chbookshop.hymnsam.co.uk/books/9781399822770/sunday-missal>; **3)**

**The Pattern of Scripture:** On the Sundays of these weeks in October and November, we are reading Mark's exposition of the mystery of the Son of Man (chapter 10) before proceeding to the final revelation in Jerusalem (chapters 12 and 13) in the closing weeks of the year. The Old Testament readings are chosen to inform the gospel readings. The second reading continues to be from the Letter to the Hebrews. At weekday Masses, we turn from St Paul's epistle to the Galatians to the letter to the church at Ephesus. The gospels readings continue to be from Luke – selected from chapters 11-18.

## Liturgical Calendar

Monday 28 October	Ss Simon and Jude	Feast
Thursday 31 October	St Alphonsus Rodriguez	Memorial
Friday 1 November	All Saints	Solemnity
Saturday 2 November	Commemoration of all the Faithful Departed	

### Thank you for last Sunday's Collection

**First Collection - £823.78**

**Second Collection £500.77 for Missions**

**Contactless Machine: £421.50**

**This week's second collection is for the Jesuit Missions Appeal for Lebanon**

### MASS TEXTS AND READING

#### Entrance Antiphon

**Cf. Ps 104:3-4**

Let the hearts that seek the Lord rejoice; turn to the Lord and his strength; constantly seek his face.

#### First Reading

**Jeremiah 31:7-9**

I will comfort the blind and the lame as I lead them back.

#### Responsorial Psalm

**Ps 125. R. v.3**

What marvels the Lord worked for us! Indeed we were glad.

#### Second Reading

**Hebrews 5:1-6**

You are a priest of the order of Melchizedek, and for ever.

#### Gospel Acclamation

**Jn 8 :12**

Alleluia, alleluia! I am the light of the world, says the Lord, anyone who follows me will have the light of life.

#### Gospel

**Mark 10:46-52**

Master, let me see again.

#### Communion Antiphon

**Cf Ps 19:6**

We will ring out our joy at your saving help and exult in the name of our God.

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