

St Aloysius' Church

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A Church of the Archdiocese of Glasgow founded and served by the Society of Jesus.

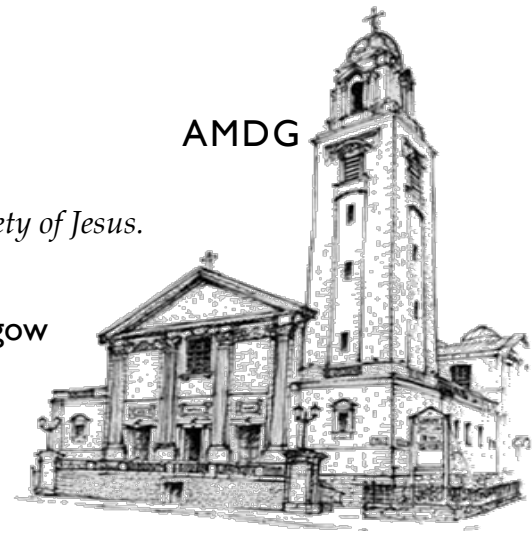
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30 April 2023

4th Sunday of Easter

Year A

SERVICE TIMES

Sunday Mass Vigil (Saturday): 5.00 pm
Sunday: 10.00 am,
12.00 noon (*choir*),
& 9.00 pm

I am the gate of the sheepfold.

John 10:1-10

Weekday Mass 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



Today's Second Collection is for Ecclesiastical Students



Choir Concert

RCS Choir: Fauré's Requiem Monday 1 May, St Aloysius' Church at 7.30pm

Andrew Nunn graduated from the Master of Music (Conducting) programme with distinction in 2014 and was the recipient of the Peter Morris School of Music prize for excellence. He is the director and founder of the highly acclaimed Les Sirènes female choir, winners of the 2012 BBC Choir of the Year competition. Andrew Nunn leads the RCS Choir in a performance of Fauré's *Requiem* and *Cantique de Jean Racine*, followed by Duruflé's *Quatre Motets sur des thèmes grégoriens*. Tickets can be booked through <https://www.rcs.ac.uk/box-office/event/>

Foodbank

Foodbank this weekend. The priorities for this month are UHT milk, tinned tomatoes, tinned vegetables, tinned fruit, tinned custard, diluting juice, tinned meat (spam, gammon), ladies and gents toiletries. Thank you for your continued support.

Young Adult Group

Our Sunday evening Young Adult group is back. If you are a young adult - student, worker, traveller, - you are warmly welcome to join is 7.30 pm on Sundays. We start with a light meal, have discussions and prayer, and option of attending 9 pm Mass. This is in the IGNATIAN SPIRITUALITY CENTRE, Scott Street. (To find this go up Hill Street along the side of the church, pass Dalhousie Street, then Scott Street is next on the right. It is 100 metres from the church).

Newman Association: COP 27 – Catholic Action on Climate Change. A talk by Dr Ben Wilson, The Parish Hall, Immaculate Conception Church, 2049 Maryhill Road, Glasgow, G20 0AA at 7.30pm on Thursday 4th May 2023 . All welcome. Refreshments provided. ****Please note – Remember our new venue****

For women affected by separation and divorce – confidential and peer support Fri 5 May St Patrick's, Dumbarton 6-8pm. glasgowarchdiocesewomensgroup@gmail.com

ST. ALOYSIUS' CHURCH G3 6RE ACCOUNTS FOR YEAR TO 31 ST MARCH, 2023 (All figures in "£")

RECEIPTS		PAYMENTS	
First collections	98,276	Renovation costs	421,551
Gift Aid tab re-claims	34,466	Staff salaries	25,088
Renovation income	238,076	Clergy stipend	12,593
Legacies	48,149	Insurance	25,996
Votive Candles, bookshop	6,295	Divine Service	6,012
Mass offerings, Baptisms,		Printing & Telephone	19,569
Weddings, funerals	7,500	Gas, Elec. Council tax	18,338
Use of rooms	2,670	Votive candles	619
Bank interest	8	Gift Aid tax transfer	450
Special Collections	<u>27,901</u>	General expenses	1,210
		Special collections paid	29,061
		Minor repairs	8,621
		Organ, Travel, Ogilvie Centre	6,486
		Archdiocesan levy	<u>46,400</u>
TOTALS	£463,341		£621,994

NOTES

1. Renovation income includes £100,000 from the Jesuit Order, a substantial contribution from the August appeal, and various donations in church.
2. The Renovation costs of £421,551 cover most of the cost of the re-painting and re-lighting work; there are a few items still outstanding.
3. The special collections are the items raised for various charities and paid over to them. The details of these were listed in a previous newsletter. The two sides differ slightly because of differences between dates of receipt and of payment.
4. The levy was actually paid after 31st March, but has been included here for information purposes.
5. The amount held in bank accounts at 31/3/2023 (but including the levy payment) was £78,654; this includes a legacy of £35,000 given for special purposes, and £7,634 due to be paid over from Special collections.

London Marathon – Kenny McKie ran for Jesuit Missions

Kenny McKie, parishioner writes: Your Running Man calling! My 26.2 miles around London was completed in a respectable 4 Hours and 56 Minutes, amongst 48,000 others! I ran knowing you have made very generous contributions to Jesuit Missions, which currently stands at £1365.00 so far, from our parish community. It was my honour to be asked and to run on your behalf and to experience so much kindness, help and “moments on the road”, as I ran past hundreds of thousands of people cheering us all on. Those weeks attending Masses gave me such strength, help and focus that I could have ran on further out there. It is a powerful Faith we can have and I simply want to thank you all for your support and I am looking forward to seeing you outside Mass in the coming days and weeks, with my new medal and any questions you may wish to ask me. Please know that your show of faith and your action in supporting me and wishing and willing me on was a powerful motivator I will cherish for a long time. It is a great event that we were all part of. Our friends at Jesuit Missions would like to thank you all too for your generosity and over the coming few weeks the final donations will be collected. Please do make sure to come and say hello after Mass and I will be keen to see you there. God bless all and thank you in behalf of Jesuit Missions and myself for your support, Faith, encouragement and help you showed me. We are after all, all on this same road together. Thank you everyone. Kenny McKie.

Becoming a Jesuit

The Society of Jesus is a community of priests and brothers dedicated to the service of God and the Church for the betterment of the world around us. Whatever our ministry — from university to parish to the service of the poor and refugees, our work is always for the glory of God and the help and salvation of souls.

As Jesuits and friends in mission, we invite you to become part of our story. In the words of Fr Pedro Arrupe:

“Come if serving Christ is at the very centre of your life.
Come if you have broad and sufficiently strong shoulders.
Come if you have an open spirit, a reasonably open mind
and a heart larger than the world.
Come if you know how to tell a joke and can laugh with others and... on occasions you can laugh at yourself.”

JESUIT VOCATIONS: Have you ever considered you might have a call to be a Jesuit Priest or Brother? Find out more from the British Jesuits' Vocation Director, Fr Dermot Preston SJ
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Coronation of King Charles

Please join us Monday 8 May after 12.15 Mass for a celebratory glass of fizz to celebrate the Coronation of King Charles in the Auditorium on floor 2 of the Ogilvie Centre.

The 12 Noon Mass on Sunday 7 May will be offered for the King.

Inaugural Professor Patrick Reilly Lecture on Catholicism and Culture

Catholic Creative Writing in 20th Century Scotland. This lecture will be delivered by Professor Gerard Carruthers at 7pm on 25th May in the University of Glasgow Catholic Chaplaincy, 15 Southpark Terrace, G12 8LG. Book tickets on Eventbrite:

<https://www.eventbrite.co.uk/e/inaugural-professor-patrick-reilly-lecture-on-catholicism-and-culture-tickets-604725709877>

Laudato Si' Week

The Laudato Si' Movement is preparing for the celebration from May 21st to 28th of the eighth anniversary of the launch of the encyclical Laudato Si' as a global movement. The guiding theme this year is "Hope for the Earth. Hope for humanity," with the film The Letter as the main resource to lead the week's events. You can find further details of the week, and of the Movement's current programme (with details of how to join in as a local animator), here: <https://laudatosianimators.org/the-program/>.

LITURGICAL CALENDAR

Tuesday 2 May	St Athanasius	Memorial
Wednesday 3 May	St Philip and St James	Feast

Thank you for last Sunday's Collection. First Collection: £1,318.13

MASS TEXTS AND READINGS

Entrance Antiphon **Cf. Ps 32:5-6**

The merciful love of the Lord fills the earth; by the word of the Lord the heavens were made, alleluia.

First Reading **Acts of the Apostles 2:14, 36-41**

God has made him both Lord and Christ.

Responsorial Psalm **Ps 22:1-6. R. v.1**

The Lord is my shepherd; there is nothing I shall want.

12.00 Mass His goodness shall follow me always to the end of my days.

Second Reading **St Peter 2:20-25**

You have come back to the shepherd of your souls.

Gospel Acclamation **Jn 10:14**

Alleluia, alleluia! I am the good shepherd, says the Lord; I know my own sheep and my own know me.

Gospel **John 10:1-**
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I am the gate of the sheepfold.

Communion Antiphon

The Good Shepherd has risen, who laid down his life for his sheep and willingly died for his flock, alleluia.