St Aloysius' Church

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

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Fr Roger Dawson SI

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The First Sunday of Advent – 28th November 2021

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SERVICE TIMES

Sunday Mass Vigil (Saturday): 5.00pm

Sunday: 10.00am,

12.00noon (choir),

& 9.00pm

Weekday Monday - Friday: 8.00am, 12.15pm,

Mass

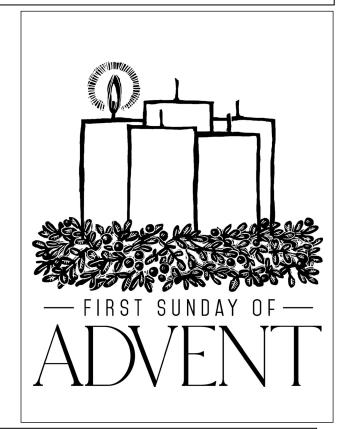
Saturday: 12.15pm

& 5.00pm (Vigil)

Confessions Mon - Fri: 30 minutes before

Each Mass

Exposition Sunday after the 12.00 noon Mass



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Pope's Worldwide Prayer Network December 2021 Catechists

Let us pray for the catechists, summoned to announce the Word of God: may they be its witnesses, with courage and creativity and in the power of the Holy Spirit.

Second Collection today for Education Sunday

Sunday 5th December - Appeal for Jesuit Refugee Service

Christmas Cards

Although our church shop remains closed for the moment, there is a small stock of Christmas Cards available for sale. If you wish to purchase cards, please ask at the office and Alison will open the shop for you during weekdays. Thank you!

Persecuted Christians

If you wish to send a card to any of our persecuted Christians, a member of the Public Life Group will address your card. If possible, a donation of £2 would help to pay for the stamp. The cards are in a basket on the table outside the Holy Souls altar and a list of the persecuted Christians is available for you to choose who you would like to write to. Thank you for your support.

Synodality - Walking Together in Faith

Your are invited to gather in conversation as we explore our shared journey together in faith as the community of St Aloysius'. Monday 6th December at 7.00 pm in the Ogilvie Centre, 25 Rose Street, Garnethill. Refreshments and kind company assured. RSVP:

office.manager.staloysius@gmail.com or telephone: 0141-332-3039.

Contact Details

If you are not on our list when you sign into the church, and wish to supply your contact details, please complete one of the buff forms behind the back benches of the church, and the 'post' it in the Jesuit Mission box. (yes! The Jesuit Mission box on the rear wall)

Mary's Meals

Mary's Meals are pleased to announce their <u>Double the Love</u> campaign. From 1st November 2021 to 31st January 2022, all donations up to a total of £1.6 million will be matched by a generous group of private donors. Find out more at <u>www.marysmeals.org.uk</u>

Prepare for Christmas with daily prayer from the Ignatian Spirituality Centre, every day of Advent there is Scripture, Music, Art, and a reflection.





Fr. Gerard Mitchell, S.J. and Fr John Twist, S.J. invite Senior Citizens to enjoy Christmas 2021 with a Celebration Lunch on Friday 17 December at 1pm in the Ogilvie Centre in the Church.

Come along – have lunch and spend the day with the Clergy and other parishioners. The parish will be delighted to have you as our guest. All are welcome.

To help us plan the day, please return the slip to the Parish Office or contact directly by phone one of the organisers whose details are given below.

Name of Guest:Tel.No
Address
I will need transport – I will have wheelchair/walking frame/helper (available from Garnethill area only). YES / NO
Volunteers to help: If you would like to volunteer to help please fill in the slip below and/or contact directly one of the organisers
Name of Volunteer:
Tel No:
Address:
Email:
Help needed as follows. Please circle as appropriate:
1. I would like to help on Friday 17 th December.
2. I can offer transport on Friday 17 th December to Ogilvie Centre/from Ogilvie Centre/both.
3. I would like to provide food/drink/gifts/music/help in another way.
4. I am unable to help – please find \pounds as a donation towards the cost. (Cheques to Saint Aloysius' Church, Garnethill).

5. Bookings & details from the Parish Office 0141 332 3039 or Anne Walker 07834 410608 or

Mary Jo Hillier 07545 976515

LITURGICAL CALENDAR

30 NovemberSt AndrewSolemnity1 DecemberSt Edumund Campion & Companions SJMemorial3 DecemberSt Francis Xavier SJMemorial

MASS TEXTS AND READINGS

Entrance Antiphon

Cf. Ps 24:1-3

To you, I lift up my soul, O my God. In you, I have trusted; let me not be put to shame. Nor let my enemies exalt over me; and let none who hope in you be put to shame.

First Reading Jeremiah 33:14-16

I will make a virtuous Branch grow for David.

Responsorial Psalm

Ps 24:4-5, 8-9, 10, 14. R. v.1

To you, O Lord, I lift up my soul.

Music for 12.00 noon choral Mass



Second Reading Thessalonians 3:12-4:2

May the Lord confirm your hearts in holiness when Christ comes.

Gospel Acclamation Ps 84:8

Alleluia, alleluia! Let us see, O Lord, your mercy and give us your saving help.

Gospel Luke 21:25-28, 34-36

Your liberation is near at hand.

Communion Antiphon Ps 84:13

The Lord will bestow his bounty, and our earth shall yield its increase.

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