St Aloysius' Church

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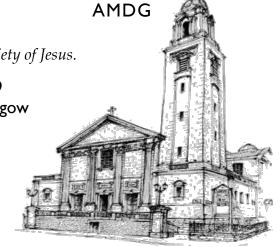
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6 March 2022

First Sunday of Lent

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SERVICE TIMES

Sunday Mass

Vigil (Saturday):

5.00pm

Sunday:

10.00am,

12.00noon (choir),

& 9.00pm

Weekday

Mass

Monday - Friday:

8.00am, 12.15pm,

Saturday:

12.15pm

& 5.00pm (Vigil)

Confessions

Mon-Sun 30 minutes before Mass

Confessions after 8 a.m. Mass on request.

Exposition

Sunday after the 12.00 noon Mass

Anointing of the Sick Mass – Saturday 19 March

12.15 pm

Feast of St John Ogilvie



Special Mass at 12.15 on Thursday 10th March to celebrate our Scottish Jesuit Saint.

After Mass – Refreshments will be served in the Auditorium All Welcome

ECUMENICAL EVENING PRAYER - In Honour of St John Ogilvie

And other witnesses of faith

St Aloysius Church Sunday 13th March at 7.00 pm

With Church and Civic Leaders, St Mungo Singers, Musicians and drama by Archdiocese of Glasgow Arts Project portraying the life of St John Ogilvie Refreshments will be served after the Service – All Welcome.



St Aloysius' Church Bookshop

We have a selection of Mother's Day and Easter Cards available. If you wish to purchase cards or any goods from our shop, please call into the office on Tuesday, Wednesday or Thursday mornings and Alison will open the shop for you.

Lent 2022

Stations of the Cross

During Lent we have Stations of the Cross each Friday at 11.45 before the 12.15 Mass. You are welcome to go round the stations with the group, or just remain at your seat and hear the prayers via the lecturn.

Ignatian Spirituality Centre – Online Retreat

The online retreat is open to all and this year to celebrate the 500 years since the conversion of St. Ignatius Loyola is based on his life. Each day of Lent the retreat has an episode from the life of Ignatius, Music, Art, a reading from Scripture and a reflection. Participants can join an online group for a weekly meeting with others to share the fruits of their prayer.

https://www.iscglasgow.co.uk/lent22.html%29

St Aloysius Church - Public Life Group

In preparation for Lent, the group are showing the film "Jesus of Nazareth", the BBC version, starring Robert Powell, for Lent. The film will be shown in 6 parts, Part 1 starts on Sunday 6th March at 1.15 – 3.15 pm. There is a lift available to take you to the Auditorium on the 2nd floor of the Ogilvie Centre. Tea will be provided. Any donations will be used for our Restoration Fund. Everyone very welcome. You may wish to include the film in your Lenten preparation!

40 Days for Life Peaceful Prayer Vigil outside of QEUH: What are you going to do for Lent?

The Encyclical The Gospel of Life was 'the fruit of the cooperation of the Episcopate of every country of the world, it is therefore meant to be a precise and vigorous reaffirmation of the value of human life and its inviolability, and at the same time a pressing appeal addressed to each and every person, on the name of God: respect, protect, love and serve life every human life! Only in this direction will you find justice, development, true freedom, peace and happiness!' Gospel of Life para 5. What are **you** going **to do** for Lent? Will you come and pray peacefully outside of the Queen Elizabeth University Hospital for one hour each week during Lent? This is our seventh year of Vigil, do not be afraid! For more information email Ogilvie1615@outlook.com

Prayer Vigil for Peace in Ukraine

The Young Adults Group have organised a vigil to pray for PEACE IN UKRAINE for this Wednesday 9th March, from 7pm to 9pm in the church. All are welcome to come to the vigil or part of it.

Synod Pathway in St Aloysius Church, Garnethill

Pope Francis invites us to reflect prayerfully on our experience of the Church – both the good and the bad. Why do you call yourself a Catholic? Why is belonging to the community of the Catholic church important to you? What kind of Church do you understand God calling us to be? Part 2 will take place on Monday 14th March. Zoom details:

https://zoom.us/j/91205588228?pwd=K29PSVV2N2Zkc3ZKOWIJSjBgSlRgZz09

Meeting ID: 912 0558 8228 Passcode: 378064

Concert in St Aloysius Church on Saturday 12th March

Juniata College Choir, Pennsylvania

A concert will take place in the church on Saturday 12th March at 7.00 pm with the Juniata College Choir from Pennsylvania. The concert will last for approximately one hour. The choir is made up of young people, majoring in many things other than music, who make time in their day for singing and community. It is an acappella concert with sacred texts. The concert is free and everyone is welcome. A copy of the programme is available to view on our website: *staloysiusglasgow.org*

Anointing of the Sick Mass – Saturday 19th March

The Mass will take place at 12.15 pm. The Anointing of the Sick is for the healing and spiritual strengthening of those who are impaired by sickness or old age. A person who is to undergo surgery may also be anointed but everyone is welcome. Refreshments will be served in the Auditorium, 2nd floor (we have a lift) after Mass.

Mass Intentions

The list of Mass intentions for each week, is placed on the notice board on entering the church. If you wish a Mass to be said for an intention it helps to write the name on an envelope and the intention (e.g. anniversary, Private intention etc.). The Mass is likely to be said within a couple of weeks from the time you hand it in.

Assisted Suicide Bill

Liam McArthur MSP is planning on bringing a bill to legalise assisted suicide in Scotland later this year. MSPs need to hear from you why assisted suicide is dangerous and should never be legalised in Scotland. To help you contact your MSPs, SPUC has created an easy to use web tool. Please go to www.spuc.org.uk/assistedsuicidescotland, and enter your postcode to send an email to all eight of your MSPs.

World Apostolate of Fatima-Scotland - March 9, 2022 Online Rosary for Peace

The World Apostolate of Fatima is holding an international online prayer meeting, on Wednesday, March 9, 2022, at 12h30 to pray the Holy Rosary for the intentions of the Apostolate and for peace in the world, particularly in Ukraine. This event will be conducted by the Secretariat of the Apostolate, from Fatima, through the Zoom online platform (https://zoom.us). The prayer meeting is open to all members of the World Apostolate of Fatima around the world, to pray together the Rosary, following Our Lady's request in Fatima: "Pray the Rosary every day, in order to obtain peace for the world, and the end of the war. Participation in this meeting requires registration. https://docs.google.com/forms/d/e/1FAIpQLSc11h2P_0amqaUbP4kbA7bvm6zCgdl83lch5uZYmK6SyzQeAQ/viewform

Brecbannoch Pilgrimage:

The inaugural Brecbannoch Pilgrimage will take place 11-13 June 2022. The Brecbannoch is a 50-mile pilgrimage undertaken on foot from Oban to Iona, with the special purpose of praying for the renewal of the faith in Scotland. Along the way, we will carry the relics of St Columba, St Andrew and St Margaret, invoking their protection over the Church in these isles. Sign up before places run out at: www.brecbannoch.org/sign-up

Collection Statement

Thank you for last week's collection. First Collection: £1,054.13

Second Collections during Lent

During Lent there is a second collection each week for Sick and retired priests.

LITURGICAL CALENDAR

Thursday 10th March St John Ogilvie

Feast

MASS TEXTS AND READINGS

Entrance Antiphon

Cf. Ps 90:15-16

When he calls on me, I will answer him; I will deliver him and give him glory, I will grant him length of days.

First Reading Deuteronomy 26:4-10

The creed of the chosen people.

Responsorial Psalm

Ps 90:1-2, 10-15. R. v.15

Be with me, O Lord, in my distress.

12.00 Sung Mass



Second Reading

St Paul to the Romans 10:8-13

The creed of the Christian.

Gospel Acclamation Mt 4:4

Praise to you, O Christ, king of eternal glory!

Gospel Luke 4:1-13

Jesus was led by the Spirit through the wilderness and was tempted there.

Communion Antiphon

Mt 4·4

One does not live by bread alone, but by every word that comes forth from the mouth of God.