

St Aloysius' Church

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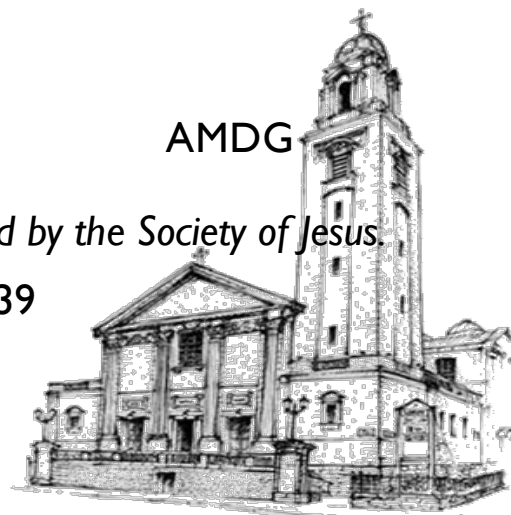
A Church of the Archdiocese of Glasgow founded and served by the Society of Jesus.

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Fr Roger Dawson SJ

28 January 2023

Fourth Sunday in Ordinary Time

Year B

SERVICE TIMES

Sunday Mass Vigil (Saturday): 5.00 pm
Sunday: 10.00 am
Signed Mass for the Deaf
12.00 noon (Choir),
& 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



40 Hours

40 hours devotion at Saint Aloysius will be on 27th - 29th January with Exposition of the Blessed Sacrament on the following timings:

Saturday 27th from 1.00 pm - 4.45 pm and after 5.00 pm Mass to 7.00 pm

Sunday 28th from 1.30 pm to 3.00 pm and 6.00 pm - 8.45 pm

Monday 29th from 8.30 am to 12.00 pm and 1.00 pm to 4.00 pm



**Welcome to our Celtic
Connections Mass
Today at 4.00 pm**

The Celtic Connections Mass will be here in St Aloysius Church. The singing will be led by the St Mungo Singers, St Mungo Church, Alloa and singers from the Archdiocese of Glasgow.



Foodbank collection this weekend. Priorities for the month are: tinned tomatoes, tinned meat, tinned custard, tinned fruit, diluting juice, UHT milk, and used bags for life. The Glasgow NE Foodbank would like to thank all parishioners for their kindness over the past year including financial donations and also the Christmas treats that were donated for the children. Your donations resulted in 1499.80kg of supplies which enabled us to help a lot of people in need.

**This week our Second Collection will go to
Assisted Parishes**

Pope's Prayer Intention – February 2024 For The Terminally ILL February's prayer intention is that the sick, "who are in the final stages of life, and their families receive the necessary medical and human care and accompaniment."

Crib Donations All donations are for St Margaret's Children and Family Care Society. Our Crib – in the Holy Souls Chapel will be available to see until Friday 2nd February – The Presentation of the Lord.

Requiem Mass

Shannon Craig - Requiem Mass - Tuesday 30th January at 10.00 am.

Eileen Scanlan to church on Wednesday 7th February at 5.00 pm, Requiem Mass – Thursday 8th February at 10.00 am.

Anthony McGrath to church on Thursday 8th February at 5.00 pm, Requiem Mass – Friday 9th February at 10.00 am.

Winter Warm Hub

Winter Warm Hub The Warm Hub continues every Wednesday from 5pm to 8pm in the Ogilvie Centre. Why not come along and join us: fun, laughter and a chance to join in. Volunteers to assist in the Winter Warm Hub will be much appreciated. If you would like to volunteer contact the Office on 0141 332 3039 or email: staloysius.garnethill@rcag.org.uk

Readers Required

We are seeking readers for the 12.15pm Mass on Wednesdays and Thursdays. If you can help please send email to Fr Twist at jtwestsj@jesuit.org.uk

Young Adults Group

Last Sunday we had to cancel the Young Adult group because of the storm. We are back again this week! You are welcome to come along to the Ignatian Spirituality Centre (G3 6PE) 7.00 pm onwards. We have a light supper, talk and discussion, and option for the 9.00 pm Mass.

Newman Association Conversion and a Literary Marriage – Ann and George Scott-Moncrieff. A talk by Dr Linden Bicket, Parish Hall, Immaculate Conception Church, 2049 Maryhill Road, Glasgow, G20 0AA at 7.30pm on Thursday 1st Feb. All welcome. Refreshments provided. Please note – Remember our new venue.

The Men of St Joseph: The Men of St Joseph wish to invite all men over the age of 18 to join them for monthly fellowship meetings, including the Rosary, Lectio Divina and Adoration. "As iron sharpens iron, so one man sharpens another." - Proverbs 27:17. Meetings are held on the 1st Thursday of each month. Our next meeting is the 1st February, 7:30-9pm in St Anthony's Parish House, 62 Langlands Road, Govan, G51 2BD. Contact: themosj.scotland@gmail.com

An Audience With (16 – 35 year olds): The Youth Office are running a series of events for young adults with various guest speakers sharing about their journey with God and where he has led them. This is a great opportunity to be inspired by people's sharing, reflect upon one's own journey, and get to know others. The next event will take place in Turnbull Hall on Sat 3rd Feb, 1400-1700. Find out more and sign up: www.rcagyouth.co.uk

Alpha Youth in a Catholic Context Discovery Day

This is a great resource for formation and evangelisation! Join Michael Roche of Alpha and the Archdiocesan Youth Office to sample Alpha Youth sessions. Sat, 17th Feb 2024. 10am -4pm. This event is in person and free. Register here: [https:// tinyurl.com/alphayouthscotland](https://tinyurl.com/alphayouthscotland)

Women, Reconciliation and the Synod
Saturday 17 February following 12.15 Mass – 4.00 pm in the Ogilvie Centre

Meeting 2: Elizabeth, kinswoman of Mary and voices from the Synod. The Synod which met in Rome in October invites us to deepen our appreciation of the role and mission of women. Thank you to those who attended our meeting last December. We invite you to a second Synod gathering here in St Aloysius on 17 February in the Ogilvie Centre.

Women, Reconciliation and the Synod is an invitation to all in our community to contemplate some of the Women of the New Testament, Mary the Mother of Jesus, Elizabeth, Mary of Bethany and Mary Magdalen. Their attitude as women, their immediacy, their practicality, their joy in the presence of the Lord and in their response to his words are seen as central to all reconciliation, to all community involvement and to all practical action in favour of the poor and the marginalised. All are welcome. A light lunch will be provided. Please do join us.

RSNO CHORUS sings Bruckner - Saturday 24 February, St Aloysius' Church

Brahms – Begräbnisgesang, A Mendelssohn - Suite for Woodwinds, Brass and Percussion, Bruckner - Mass No2 CONDUCTOR Stephen Doughty SOLOISTS RSNO Chorus RSNO Brass and Woodwind £16. To book, please use this link: <https://www.rsno.org.uk/liveevent/rsno-chorus-sings-bruckner/>

The Bishops' Committee for Interreligious Dialogue Annual Colloquium On the role of religious experience in interreligious dialogue with Professor Will Storrar Conforti Centre Coatbridge, starting at 5.30 on Friday 23rd - 3.30 on Saturday 24th February 2024 See website for more details <https://www.interreligiousdialogue.org.uk/colloquium>

Mary's Meals The Double The Love appeal has launched, donations made to Mary's Meals from now until the end of January will be doubled by a group of generous donors, up to £1 million.

Parking - Parking is a major problem in Garnethill! We are very grateful to St. Aloysius' College for permitting Mass goers to park in the Scott Street car park at week-ends. Wheelchair access to the church is available via the Ogilvie Centre, and we ask that the alleyway up to the centre is kept free of vehicles to allow wheelchair access.

Lent - Lent begins on Wednesday 14th Feb. Easter is early this year, Good Friday is Friday 29th March.

Young Adult Online Lent Group: RCAG Youth are running weekly Zoom sessions, 7-8pm, each Monday of Lent for 16-35 year olds. The session will have video input, time for discussion and the opportunity to pray. The group will start just ahead of Ash Wednesday on Mon 12th Feb. www.tinyurl.com/rcagyouthlent

Lourdes Pilgrimage Travel to Lourdes by air joining the St Jude Lourdes Pilgrimage - 17th-22nd June 2024. Pilgrims book and pay for their own flights* and we arrange transfers between hotel and airport in both directions. The cost for the pilgrimage excluding flights is £335.00 per person based on 2 or more sharing, plus transfers of £50.00 each. Single room supplement: £150.00. Hotel Padoue, full board basis. There will be a full programme whilst in Lourdes. For further information see our Facebook page where you will find the link linktr.ee/sjlp_glasgow. If you want to speak to an organiser or book place/s please contact Margaret McElroy on 0771 258 2661 or email margaret.mcelroy2@ntlworld.com

The Bishops Conference of Scotland Justice and Peace Commission (Justice and Peace Scotland) to alert you to our current job vacancy for a **Campaigns, Communications and Events Coordinator** Hours: 24 hours per week and will require a degree of flexibility as some travel, evening and weekend work is required. Salary: £21,000 Closing date: Mon 5th February 2024
To express interest in the post and for a full job description please email our Chairperson, Jill Kent, on: jill.kent@justiceandpeacescotland.org.uk

Synod 2023-2024: Twenty Areas for further discussion have emerged from the initial meeting of the worldwide Synod in October last year. Pope Francis is asking us to deepen our thoughts on these areas of special interest. They can be found on the Vatican Website www.synod.va/Synthesis-Report

St Nicholas Care Fund: We would like to thank all our donors in the parishes who gave so generously on Caring Sunday and all those who make regular monthly donations to us. The money you give us helps improve the lives of people living in poverty, in isolation or dealing with illness and addiction. The next deadline for applications is 5 February, 2024. Applications are welcome from community groups, church organisation, local schools and charities working with disadvantaged people. Email to: pct@rcag.org.uk; 0141 226 5898

Liturgical Calendar

Wednesday 31 January	St John Bosco	Memorial
Friday 2 February	The Presentation of our Lord	Feast

Thank you for last Sunday's Collection - £1098.62
Second Collection for the Jesuit Missions – £805.00
Donations via card reader last week – £202 – many thanks!

MASS TEXTS AND READING

Entrance Antiphon

Ps 105:47

Save us, O Lord our God! And gather us from the nations, to give thanks to your holy name, and make it our glory to praise you.

First Reading

Deuteronomy 18:15-20

I will raise up a prophet and I will put my words into his mouth.

Responsorial Psalm

Ps 94:1-2, 9-9. R.v.9

O that today you would listen to his voice! Harden not your hearts.

Second Reading

St Paul to the Corinthians 7:32-35

An unmarried woman can devote herself to the Lord's affairs ; all she need worry about is being holy.

Gospel Acclamation

Mk 1:15

Alleluia, alleluia! Blessed are you, Father, Lord of heaven and earth, for revealing the mysteries of the kingdom to mere children. Alleluia!

Gospel

Mark 1:21-28

He taught them with authority.

Communion Antiphon

Cf Ps 30:17-18

Let your face shine on your servant. Save me in your merciful love. O Lord, let me never be put to shame, for I call on you.