

St Aloysius' Church

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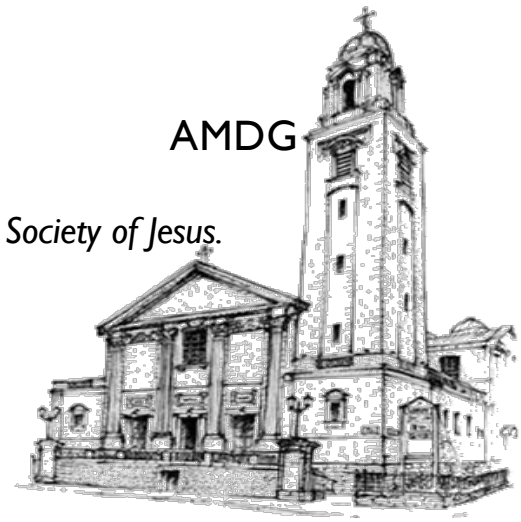
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CLERGY: Fr Gerard Mitchell SJ (*Parish Priest*)
Fr John Twist SJ
Fr Roger Dawson SJ

19 May 2024

Pentecost Sunday

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

**Exposition today will commence at
5.00 pm.**

Sunday Refreshments

Served in the meeting room on the first floor of the Ogilvie Centre after the 10.00 am Mass. Do join us for tea or coffee. All are welcome!

**Pope's Prayer Intention for May - For the
Formation of Men and Women Religious and
Seminarians.**



After Pentecost Sunday we revert to 'Ordinary Time'. We are now on week 7 of ordinary time, with the Gospel of St Mark.



Recital – Tuesday 28th May

RCS Recital - On the 28th of May at 20:30 pm, Parishioner, Ruairidh Gray, will be hosting his Honours Year Recital in St. Aloysius Church.

This recital concludes Ruairidh's undergraduate studies at the Royal Conservatoire of Scotland. The theme of his recital is "Gàidhlig Songs of South Uist" and will last 45 minutes.

Next Sunday is Trinity Sunday.

St Aloysius College – First Holy Communion

The First Holy Communions will take place today, Sunday 19th May at 2.15 pm in the church. Exposition will take place from 5.00 pm.

The Young Adult Group

We continue to meet in the Ignatian Spirituality Centre on Sundays at 7pm. Why not come along: light meal, talk, prayer and possibility of Mass at 9.00 pm.

Christian Life Community for Young Adults Information Evening Wednesday 22 May at 7.00 pm in the Ogilvie Centre, 25 Rose Street

We are planning to set up a new Christian Life Community for Young Adults in St Aloysius'. Vasco Zeferina of the Young Adults group and Father Gerard Mitchell, SJ, invite you to an information evening about CLC on Wednesday 22 May, given by Fr David Stewart SJ of the Edinburgh Jesuit Community.

Christian Life Communities (CLC) exist in large numbers throughout the world. Begun 400 years ago by the Jesuits, CLC members commit to daily personal prayer, the regular meeting of a CLC group, occasional involvement in regional and national CLC meetings, and an annual retreat (in daily life or at a retreat house). CLC groups are local and small (typically six to eight people) and meet monthly to reflect on Scripture and the following of Christ in everyday life.

For further information and to contact Vasco Zeferina please email on: staloyus.garnethill@rcag.org.uk or phone the parish office 332 3039

Please Consider Joining the St Aloysius Public Life Group

The purpose of the Public Life Group is to assist the Parish Priest by publicising issues relevant to the Catholic Church within the parish and enabling parishioners to take action to uphold the teachings of the Church in public life. Current activities include campaigning against the assisted dying bill and buffer zones, publicising justice and peace and environmental and climate issues and supporting persecuted Christians. Please see Fr Mitchell if you might be interested in joining the group or would like further details. Anyone interested in joining the group is welcome to attend the next meeting on Friday 24th May at 2pm on the first floor of the Ogilvie Centre.

Foodbank

The next Foodbank collection will take place at all weekend Masses on 25th-26th May. The priorities for this month are: Cereals, UHT milk, teabags, tins of the following: soup, meat, tomatoes, vegetables, custard, and fruit. The Glasgow NE Foodbank coordinator expressed warm appreciation for your generous donations last month. Thank you once again!

Nuptial Mass

There will be a nuptial Mass at 12.15 pm on Friday 31st May. All are welcome to attend.

Piano Recital – St Aloysius' Church – Auditorium – Wednesday 12th June at 7.00 pm

Following her reception in the Catholic Church at the Easter Vigil this year, Reese, a piano student of the Royal Conservatoire has kindly offered to give a recital on Wednesday 12th June at 7.00 pm in the Auditorium on the 2nd floor of the Ogilvie Centre. Any donations received will be forwarded to the ESOL Project. All are welcome. Light refreshments to follow.

Pray for Life Novena

We invite you to join Catholics across Scotland, England, Wales and Ireland in a **Novena For Life** from 23 May to the Feast of the Visitation, praying for the protection of human life. Sign up to the Novena at prayforlife.ie for your daily intention, accompanied by a short reflection and suggested actions to help build a culture of life. The Feast of the Visitation is a celebration of joy in new life, even in challenging circumstances, and we pray for a return to a society that values and protects all human life from the moment of conception to its natural end. The Novena will lead up to our annual **Day for Life** on Sunday 16th June 2024 of the Bishops Conferences of England and Wales, Ireland and Scotland.

Summer Retreats from Fr Roger Dawson

Be Still and Know that I am God': Exploring Mindfulness, Psychology and the Christian Life **St Mary's Monastery and Retreat Centre, Kinnoull, Perth, Scotland** **Thursday 11th** (arrivals late afternoon) – **Sunday 14th July 2024** (depart after lunch)

See <https://www.kinnoullmonastery.co.uk/courses/be-still-and-know-that> For bookings: contact info@kinnoullmonastery.co.uk or phone 01738 624075

Life before Death: The Psychology of Flourishing

St Mary's Monastery and Retreat Centre, Kinnoull, Perth, Scotland
Friday 19th (arrive late afternoon) – **Sunday 21st July 2024** (depart after lunch)

See <https://www.kinnoullmonastery.co.uk/courses/life-before-death-the-psychology> For bookings: contact info@kinnoullmonastery.co.uk or phone 01738 624075

Special Collections

Last week we showed the parish income and expenditure. The list below shows the amounts collected for other causes and paid over to them in the year to 31st March, 2024.

SCIAF	3,723.08	Jesuit missions	26,744.63
Qty Collections	554.39	Sick & Retired Priests	2,567.54
Education Sunday	428.68	Poor fund	7,982.31
SPUC White Flower	582.87	Missio	582.05
Mary's meals	1,572.61	CaringSun/StNicholas	1,238.11
St Margaret/Crib	625.11	Assisted Parishes	1,106.21
Apostleship of the Sea	766.86	Holy Places	1,000.79
Communications	307.97	Pro life	455.89
Comboni Sisters	865.66	Peter's Pence	488.86
Justice & Peace	302.10	Ecclesiastical Students.	858.01
SPRED	472.81	Ignatian Spirituality Centre	441.46

TOTAL £53,668.00

Liturgical Calendar

Monday 20 May

Mary, Mother of the Church

Memorial

Thank you for last Sunday's Collection - £1667.53

Second Collection for Communications: £421.08

Donations via card reader last week - £362 many thanks!

This week's second collection is for Parish Expenses

We have introduced a second collection for Parish Expenses. This will be taken up each Sunday when there is no Special Collection allocated.

MASS TEXTS AND READING

Entrance Antiphon

Ws 1:7

The Spirit of the Lord has filled the whole world and that which contains all things understands what is said, alleluia.

First Reading

Acts of the Apostles 2:1-11

They were all filled with the Holy Spirit and began to speak.

Responsorial Psalm

Ps 103:1, 24, 29-31, 34. R. Cf. v.30

Send forth your Spirit, O Lord, and renew the face of the earth.

Second Reading

St Paul to the Galatians

The fruit of the Spirit.

Gospel Acclamation

Cf. Jn 14 :18

Alleluia, alleluia! Come Holy Spirit, fill the hearts of your faithful and kindle in them the fire of your love.

Gospel

John 15:26-27; 16:12-15

The Spirit of truth will lead you to the complete truth.

Communion Antiphon

Ac 2:4, 11

They were all filled with the Holy Spirit and spoke of the marvels of God, alleluia.