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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CLERGY: Fr Gerard Mitchell SJ (Parish Priest)

Fr Ladislav Sulik SJ Fr Roger Dawson SJ

22 June 2025 The Most Holy Holy Body and Blood of Christ (Corpus Christi) Year C

Service Times

Sunday Mass Vigil (Saturday): 5.00 pm

Sunday: 10.00 am Signed Mass for the Deaf

Community

12.00 noon (Sung), & 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 12.00 noon Mass



The Pope's Monthly Intentions

June 2025: For Formation in Discernment: Let us pray that we might again learn how to iscern, to know how to choose paths of life, and reject everything that leads us away from Christ and the Gospel



Becoming a Catholic RCIA Meetings

Mondays at 7.30 p.m. (Beginning Monday 1 September) in the Ogilvie Centre For more information please speak to Fr Sulik or Fr Mitchell or contactstaloysius.garnethill@rcag.org.uk or phone the Parish Office 0141 332 3039

Foodbank

The next foodbank collection will take place over the weekend of Saturday and Sunday 28th and 29th of June. Priority items for this month are:

Tinned spaghetti, Tinned Veg, Baked Beans, Tinned Meat, UHT milk, biscuits, bags for life. Thank you for your ongoing support. https://glasgowne.foodbank.org.uk/



Glasgow Churches Together invites you to *Nicaea 2025 – Living the Apostolic Faith Together Today*. 1700th Anniversary of Nicaea. Sunday 22nd June at 3pm in St Andrew's Cathedral, Clyde Street. Commemorating the legacy of faith and unity. Join us to honour this historic milestone. Celebrate 1700 years since the First Council of Nicaea, a cornerstone of Christian history. Experience a service filled with prayer, reflection, and sacred music. Witness the unity and enduring significance of the Nicene Creed. Deepen your understanding of the Council of Nicaea and its impact on spiritual traditions. Be part of a celebration of Nicaea's enduring legacy. Celebrate history. Strengthen faith. Embody unity.

Apostolic Nuncio His Excellency Archbishop Miguel Maury Buendía, the Pope's Ambassador to Great Britain, will visit the Archdiocese from 21st to 24th June. On Sunday 22nd June he will celebrate 12 noon Mass in the Cathedral and then lead the famous Blessed Sacrament Procession in Croy, starting at 3.45pm. In addition to this he will celebrate Mass with the clergy and religious of the Archdiocese, visit Barlinnie Prison, Glasgow University, and Dumbarton Carmel, and meet with the leaders of other Christian communities in Glasgow and with the staff of various Archdiocesan agencies.

Abba's Vineyard: Sacred Heart Prayer Evening, Saturday 28th June, from 5-9pm, for young adults aged 18-35. Join us as we gather in an evening for the Sacred Heart. The evening includes the opportunity for confession, mass and dinner. All are welcome to join at any point. Address - Bl John Duns Scotus, 270 Ballater Street, Glasgow, G5 0YT. Organised by Abba's Vineyard. For more information and a timetable search @abbasvineyard on social media or email: abbasvineyard@gmail.com.

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 bills, 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 27th June at 2pm on the first floor of the Ogilvie Centre.

Retreats

Life before Death: The Psychology of Flourishing St Mary's Monastery and Retreat Centre, Kinnoull, Perth, Scotland Friday 4th (arrive late afternoon) – Sunday 6th July 2025 (depart after lunch) Suggested donation: £230 (2 nights) Fr Roger Dawson SJ is the retreat giver See https://www.kinnoullmonastery.co.uk/courses/life-before-death-the-psychology For bookings: contact info@kinnoullmonastery.co.uk or phone 01738 624075

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 14th (arrivals late afternoon) – Sunday 17th August 2025 (depart after lunch) Suggested donation: £350 (3 nights) Steve Noone, Liz Lord & Fr Roger Dawson SJ are the retreat givers. See https://www.kinnoullmonastery.co.uk/courses/be-still-and-know-that For bookings: contact info@kinnoullmonastery.co.uk or phone 01738 624075

Archdiocese of Glasgow Pilgrimage Office Pre Pilgrimage Mass Lourdes 2025: The Pre-Pilgrimage Mass will take place in St Andrew's Cathedral, Clyde Street on 6th July 2025 at 3pm. Refreshments will be available in the Eyre Hall afterward, giving you the opportunity to catch up or meet new friends before our departure to Lourdes.

Public Life Group If you have any old spectacles (for Lyons International Charities), postage stamps (for St Patrick's Missionaries) or old/new British/foreign coins/notes (for Mary's Meals). Please place in the box at the back of the church or hand into the office.

Family & Social Group Stays at Castlerigg this August Castlerigg Manor is a Catholic residential youth centre in the Lake District and it's opening its doors to family groups and social groups this August. There are single rooms, twin rooms, and large family rooms at very cheap rates. Guests have access to the grounds, chapel, games room, and lounges, with Keswick and the Lake only a short walk away. For more info director@castleriggmanor.co.uk or www.castleriggmanor.com/open

National Pilgrimage of Reparation and Prayer for the Sanctity of Life, Saturday 2nd August This pilgrimage takes place at England's Catholic National Shrine and Basilica of Our Lady in Walsingham. Whatever the outcome of the upcoming debates in Parliament we know that further attacks on life will come. We hope that many from your diocese, ordained, religious and lay people might join the pilgrimage via the Shrine livestream at https://www.walsingham.org.uk/live-stream/. Our website www.prolifepilgrimage.org has all the details of the day. Attached is a poster with information which parishes can use together with entries in their newsletters for the weeks beforehand to encourage parishioners to take part. We would be glad to hear form any coach organiser if a coach is arranged, so that we can help with publicising it. We hope that some, if not many, will take the opportunity to join this pilgrimage in this Jubilee Year of Hope. Thank you, in anticipation of your support. We also ask you to pray for the Pilgrimage, that it will be well attended, both in person and online, and that the voice for life will be heard clearly in our land.

PS Please advise any priests who intend to travel to Walsingham to check the Shrine website at this address https://www.walsingham.org.uk/priests-and-deacons-seeking-to-minister-at-theshrine/ if they intend to minister in any capacity

GIFT AID: Do you pay tax? Do you gift aid? For every £1 you contribute to the church, we can claim back an extra 25% of what you give. This is at NO EXTRA COST TO YOU! If you have an income (wage, salary, pension or investment income) on which you pay UK income tax, the tax people will add 25p for every pound you give. A Gift Aid Declaration can only be made in the name of an individual parishioner since tax is claimed back against his or her own tax. For each collection, a separate declaration must be made. This is a huge benefit to our parish. If you are a tax payer, please consider Gift Aid. Forms available from the back of the church or the office.

Standing Orders: It would be very helpful if you would consider supporting our parish by setting up a regular standing order. This can be arranged through our Office Manager, please contact: office.manager.staloysius@gmail.com. Alternatively, you can pay directly into our account: account number 00258381, sort code: 83 52 00. Thank you to everyone who has already taken this step, it is much appreciated. Standing orders are the easiest way to make regular donations to our parish. They are a secure and convenient method to give, and they help our parish plan for the future.

Donations to St Aloysius' Garnethill can be made by using the card readers located at the main entrance to the church or by scanning this QR code. Don't forget to gift aid your donation. Thank you for your support of St. Aloysius' Church.

> St Aloysius' Church The First Collection



St Aloysius' Church Parish Expenses The Second Collection



First Collection: £1,000.50 Second Collection: £404.21 (Day for Life - Pro Life)

Contactless Machine: £346.00

This Weeks Second Collection is for Parish Expenses

Sunday 29th Second Collection is for Peter's Pence

Liturgical Calendar

Tuesday 24 June The Nativity of St John the Baptist Solemnity

Friday 27 June The Most Sacred Heart of Jesus Solemnity

MASS TEXTS AND READING

Entrance Antiphon Cf. Ps. 80:17

He fed them with the finest wheat and satisfied them with honey from the rock.

First Reading Genesis 14:18-20

'He offered bread and wine.'

Responsorial Psalm Ps 110 (109): 1.2.3.4. R. 4bc

You are a priest for ever, according to the order of Melchizedek.

Second Reading St Paul to the Corinthians 11:23-26

'For as often as you can eat and drink, you proclaim the Lord's death.'

Gospel Acclamation Jn 6:51

Alleluia, alleluia. I am the living bread that came down from heaven, says the Lord. If anyone eats of this bread, he will live for ever.

Gospel Luke 9:11b-17

'All ate and were satisfied.'

Communion Antiphon Jn 6:57

Whoever drinks my flesh and drinks my blood remains in me and I in him, says the Lord.

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