

St Aloysius' Church

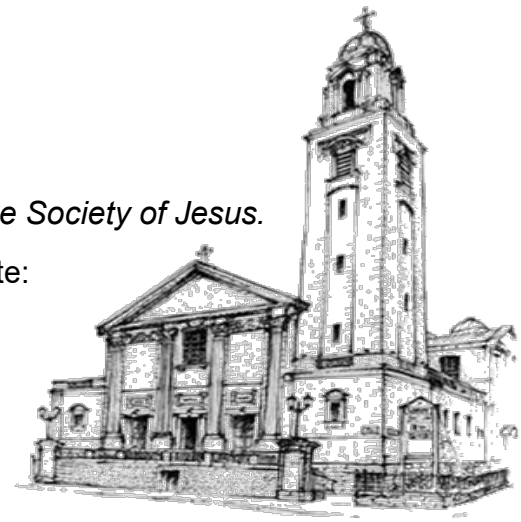
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20 April 2025

EASTER SUNDAY

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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

Easter Sunday:

Please note there is no Exposition

Easter Message: Archbishop William Nolan

The darkness of winter is now giving way to the brightness of spring. The plants in our gardens are now bursting into life. It is as if nature is reinforcing the gospel message that death is not the end and that the darkness of sin is overcome by the goodness of God. We celebrate Jesus risen from the dead. He is proclaimed in the scriptures as the first fruits. We rejoice in the gospel message that just as Christ died and rose to new life so we who die with Christ will also rise with him. May that truth console us as we think of our deceased relatives and friends. May that truth inspire us to persevere through the dark moments of life, sure of the light at the end of the tunnel, sure of the life to come. That is why this Easter we joyfully proclaim: Christ has risen from the dead, Alleluia, Alleluia.

Easter Monday 21 April - Mass will be celebrated at 12.15 p.m. There will be no 8 a.m. Mass on Easter Monday. Mass times 22 April – 25 April will be as normal.

Happy Easter

On behalf of the Jesuit Community and the parish team we wish all parishioners, friends and family a very Happy and Holy Easter Season

'AT YOUR SIDE' - The Art of Accompaniment

We need a Church capable of walking at people's side... a Church which accompanies them on their journey." (Pope Francis)

During this Holy Year as Pilgrims of Hope and in conversation with the other parishes of the Jesuit Province in Edinburgh, Preston, Stonyhurst, Walm Lane, Stamford Hill, Southall and Farm Street in London we will consider together what it means to belong to a parish and what our role is in the world today. Building on the fruits of the Church's Synod journey we will listen to the signs of the times and discern together how the Holy Spirit is inviting us to be pilgrims of hope, extending the loving embrace and message of Christ to all. We will gather the fruits of this conversation together at a conference of Jesuit Parishes on 12-14 November, 2025.

In preparation for the Jesuit Parishes conference all are invited to a Parish Meeting in the Ogilvie Centre on Saturday 14 June 2025.

Watch this video for an overview and invitation to the Jesuit Parish Process 'Accompanying in Hope'

<https://tinyurl.com/atyoursideconference>

1700th anniversary of the Ecumenical Council of Nicaea 325-

On 20 May 2025, the Catholic Church and the whole Christian world remember with gratitude and joy the opening of the Council of Nicaea in 325: 'The Council of Nicaea is a milestone in the Church's history. The celebration of its anniversary invites Christians to unite in a hymn of praise and thanksgiving to the Holy Trinity and in particular to Jesus Christ, the Son of God, "consubstantial with the Father", who revealed to us this mystery of love.

Glory to that One Who came
to us by His First-born.
Glory to that Silent One
Who spoke by means of His Voice.
Glory to that Sublime One
Who was seen by means of His Dawn.
Glory to the Spiritual One
Who was well-pleased that
His Child should become a body so that
through Him His power might be felt
and the bodies of His kindred might live again!
Ephrem the Syrian

The Politics and History of the NICEA COUNCIL (325 AD) Wednesday 7th May Wednesday 14th May
Wednesday 21st May A series of presentations after mid-day Mass and in the evening at 6pm in the Ogilvie
Centre.

Celebrating 10 Years of Laudato Si: Join us for an exciting interactive webinar on Wednesday 23
April from 7.30-9 p.m. to celebrate the 10th anniversary of Pope Francis groundbreaking encyclical,
Laudato Si' and find out how you can take action for climate justice. Speakers include Lorna Gold ,
Director of Laudato Si' Movement and Ben Wilson of SCIAF

Register here: <https://us02web.zoom.us/meeting/register/8hicjxyCQ1mz1eWvmQR9PQ>

Together we reflect, share and take action for the care of our Common Home - and we welcome
everyone who wishes to be a part of it. Find out more about the Laudato Si' Animators Programme,
which begins on 30 April, here: <https://laudatosianimators.org/>

RCIA A Becoming a Catholic Adults who are interested in joining the Church and follow the RCIA
programme are invited to speak to Fr Laco or Fr Mitchell, or contact stalloysius.garnethill@rcag.org.uk

The YOUNG ADULT GROUP continues to meet in the Ignatian Spirituality Centre on Sundays at 7pm.
Why not come along: light meal, talk, prayer and possibility of Mass at 9pm. Please note that we will
not meet on Easter Sunday 20 April. We will reconvene on the Divine Mercy Sunday 27 April

Glasgow Archdiocesan Council Society of St Vincent de Paul: Annual Ozanam Talk 2025
"The Throwaway Culture: Why Every Life Matters" Monday 28th April, 7.30 p.m., Blessed John Duns
Scotus Hall, Ballater Street, Glasgow. Speaker: Mr John Deighan, Society for the Protection of the
Unborn Child. Light refreshments afterwards

Nightfever 2025 'Come and see! (John 1,46)



Nightfever is back at St Aloysius' Church 2nd of May 2025 8-10.30 p.m. To help, join us for
training at 7 p.m. All young adults 18-35 welcome. For more information on volunteering
contact Zander on 0770758508. Nightfever is a night of invitation for those passing by in
the streets to come inside, light a candle and encounter the beauty of Jesus Christ in his
Church. A Night of Adoration of the Blessed Sacrament

The Resurrection According to Luke



Fr L. Sulik SJ

Tuesday 6th & 20th May & 3rd June at 3pm

The fragmented stories of the Appearances of the risen Christ Presented in BSL

Foodbank: The next foodbank collection will take place over the weekend of Saturday and Sunday, 26th and 27th April. Priority items for this month are: tinned meat, tinned veg, tinned fruit, tinned custard, small bottles of diluting juice, small jars of coffee, toothpaste, toothbrushes, shampoo and ladies and gent's deodorants. Thank you for your support.

Calling All Garnethill Musicians: We are hosting a Community Stage as part of a wider musical even in Garnethill Parik on Saturday 26 April. If you are a musician currently living in Garnethill, or with strong links with the area, we would like to hear from you. There will be payment available for performers. Write to Sam at garnethillconcert@gmail.com or pop into the hub at Edward House, 199 Sauchiehall Street and ask to speak to Faye for more information

Presentation on Pope Francis Encyclical on the Sacred Heart Dilexit Nos - He Loved Us after 12.15 p.m. Mass on Wednesday 30 April Fr Peter Griffiths, S.J. “ **A Three fold Love** “

Pope Francis Intention for April: Let us pray that the use of the new technologies will not replace human relationships, will respect the dignity of the person, and will help us face the crises of our times.

RCAG Young Adult Sessions: Retreat Day on Our Lady with the CFR Friars. Saturday 17 May, 10am – 5pm. RCAG Youth Office (G1 4JY). More info and sign up: www.tinyurl.com/rcagyasessions

Professor Pat Reilly Memorial Lecture 2025: A Lecture by Br Guy Consolmagno SJ. the Director of the Vatican Observatory. “A Jesuit guide to the stars.”. Wednesday, April 30 6.30-8.30pm. University of Glasgow, Room 718, 42 Bute Gardens Glasgow G12 8RT. Entrance Free. Space is limited to 80. Book on Eventbrite or just turn up on the day

Abba's Vineyard: Easter Octave Prayer Evening, Saturday 26th April, from 5-9pm, for young adults aged 18-35. Join us as we gather to celebrate Easter. 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.



Divine Mercy Sunday: Saint Columbkille's Church, Kirkwood Street, Rutherglen , G73. 3pm Sunday 27 April. Concludes with 4pm Mass. Tea in the hall afterwards. All Welcome

Newman Association: “*Space and Spirit*”: *Faith, Science and the Common Good* - A talk by Brother Guy Consolmagno, S.J. (Director of the Vatican Observatory): The Parish Hall, Immaculate Conception Church, 2049 Maryhill Road, Glasgow, G20 0AA at 7.30pm on Thursday 1st May 2025 . All welcome. Refreshments provided.

Glasgow 850: Celebrating the legacy of Archbishop Robert Blackadder, first Archbishop of Glasgow. Glasgow Church Leaders with Glasgow Churches Together invites you to an ecumenical service to celebrate the life and legacy of Archbishop Blackadder on Saturday 11th May at 4pm in Glasgow Cathedral, Castle Street G4 0QZ. Please confirm your attendance by contact Elspeth Glasgow on office@glasgowchurches.org.uk or 07903 883071

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.

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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 aiding your collections! Forms available from the office or from the back of the church (when completed, please hand into the office). Direct debit can be set up (forms available from the office) or you can use the small white envelopes from the back of the church as long as you enter your details.

First Collection - £1443.79

Sick and Retired Priests of Archdiocese £1216

The Requiem Mass of Catherine Hughes Wednesday 7 May at 10.00 a.m.

Reception of body Tuesday 6 May at 6.30 p.m.

MASS TEXTS AND READING

Entrance Antiphon

Cf. Ps 138:18,5-6

I have risen, and I am with you a still, alleluia. You have laid your hand upon me, alleluia. Too wonderful for me, this knowledge, alleluia, alleluia.

First Reading

Acts 10:34a, 37-43

'We ate and drank with him after he rose from the dead.'

Responsorial Psalm

Ps 118(117):1-2. 16-17. 22-23. R. 24

This is the day the Lord has made; let us rejoice in it and be glad.

Second Reading

St Paul to the Colossians 3:1-4

'Seek the things that are above, where Christ is.'

Gospel Acclamation

1 Co 5:7b-8a

Christ, our Passover lamb, has been sacrificed; let us therefore celebrate the festival in the Lord.

Gospel

John 20:1-9

'He must rise from the dead.'

Communion Antiphon

Mt 26:42

Christ our Passover has been sacrificed, alleluia; therefore let us keep the feast with unleavened bread of purity and truth, alleluia, alleluia.

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