


St Aloysius' Church

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

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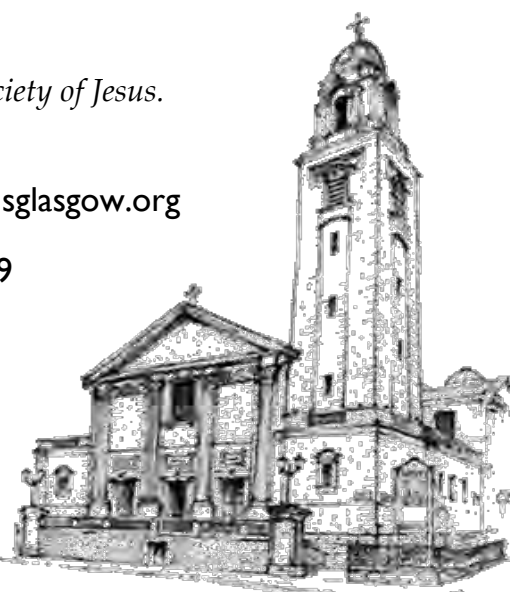
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27th Week of the Year (B) – Sunday 3rd October 2021

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 - Fri: 30 minutes before
Each Mass

OFFICE HOURS

Monday - Friday:
8.30am - 3.30pm
Office Manager:
Alison Fletcher



October 2021

Missionary Disciples

We pray that every baptized person may be engaged in evangelization, available to the mission, by being witnesses of a life that has the flavour of the Gospel.





Glasgow Tree Lovers' Society

The Society donated the plants in the side garden (Hill Street) and helped with organising the layout. We would like to thank them for the wonderful display and appreciate this help. A big thank you too to our very own Br Rene who worked very hard in weeding and tending the garden during the summer.

Youth Group

A meeting will be held on Wednesday 13th October at 7.30 pm in the Auditorium of the Ogilvie Centre.



Pause for Hope, Thursday 7th October 2021 at 7pm at Our Lady of Lourdes, 51 Lourdes Ave, Glasgow, G52 3QU



An ecumenical service bringing together in prayer those affected by all forms of cancer – loved ones and carers. To remember those lost to cancer and to pray for those with responsibility for providing and allocating resources required. You will have the opportunity to make your own personal act of devotion or remembrance in the lighting of a candle. Everyone welcome.

Parish Safeguarding Coordinators

The parish is seeking to recruit two volunteer Safeguarding Coordinators as we strive to keep our communities safe. If you would be interested in assisting with this important work, please speak with Fr Mitchell. No specific qualifications are needed as training will be given by the Diocesan Safeguarding Team; however, experience in a social work, health, the police or the legal profession would be helpful.



Jesuit Missions

Saturday 6th November march and rally in Glasgow

Thousands of people will be participating to speak out for the need to take substantive action to address the climate crisis. Jesuit Missions is organising an event on the morning of 6th November in St Aloysius' Church in Glasgow with the support of the parish.



Pray with Jesuit Missions Growing Our Future Pilgrims

Jesuit Missions is also organising a pilgrimage from Sacred Heart Church in Edinburgh to St Aloysius' Church in Glasgow from Wednesday 3rd – Saturday 6th November. The 26 pilgrims will be arriving in time for the events in Glasgow on the Saturday. We would urge you to pray with our pilgrims during that week! You may even want to organise a solidarity walk or prayer vigil in your own setting to express solidarity with the pilgrims, pray for world leaders and for our world.

Be Bold, Boris!

Thank you for supporting the Be Bold, Boris! petition. Please do return the petition cards to us at Jesuit Missions as soon as possible. A reminder that the petition is also available online. Please see: <https://jesuitmissions.org.uk/be-bold-petition/>

Catholic Church campaigns against Assisted Suicide Proposal

The Catholic Church in Scotland has restated its opposition to legalising assisted suicide in response to Liam McArthur MSP's latest attempt to enact a new law.

Director of the Catholic Parliamentary Office, Anthony Horan said; "This is the third time in little over a decade that the Scottish Parliament has been asked to legalise assisted suicide. Despite the underlying arguments not having changed we are once again being confronted with the frightening proposal that doctors be legally permitted to help patients kill themselves by providing them with a lethal cocktail of drugs."



"Over the last eighteen months society has been reoriented to protect the most ill and vulnerable in response to the pandemic. Legalising assisted suicide moves in the opposite direction: putting immeasurable pressure on vulnerable people including those with disabilities to end their lives prematurely, for fear of being a financial, emotional or care burden on others."

Mr Horan restated the Catholic church's position that "Once passed, incremental extensions and the removal of protections and safeguards are inevitable and have happened everywhere legislation has been passed."



Mr Horan also said that legalising assisted suicide would undermine public trust in doctors. He said: "Deliberately bringing about a patient's death is crossing the Rubicon for a profession entrusted to act in the best interests of the patient and to first do no harm."

He called on MSP's to "prevent suicide, not assist it" and urged Catholics to "engage with elected representatives to warn them of the serious dangers of assisted suicide and the deadly and irreparable consequences of its legalisation."

Read the Scottish Catholic Parliamentary Office Briefing on Assisted Suicide:
<https://repolitics.org>

LITURGICAL CALENDAR

Monday 4 October
Thursday 7 October

St Francis of Assisi
Our Lady of the Rosary

Memorial
Memorial

MASS TEXTS AND READINGS

Entrance Antiphon

Within your will, O Lord, all things are established, and there is none that can resist your will. For you have made all things, the heaven and the earth, and all that is held within the circle of heaven; you are the Lord of all.

First Reading

They become one body.

Genesis 2:18-24

Responsorial Psalm

May the Lord bless us all the days of our lives.

Ps 127. R. v.5

Music for 12.00 noon choral Mass



The vine-yard of the Lord is the house of Is - ra - ël.

Second Reading

The one who sanctifies, and the ones who are sanctified, are of the same stock.

Hebrews 2:9-11

Gospel Acclamation

Alleluia, alleluia! Your word is truth, O Lord, consecrate us in the truth!

Cf. Jn 17:17

Gospel

What God has united, man must not divide.

Mark 10:2-16

Communion Antiphon

The Lord is good to those who hope in him, to the soul that seeks him.