CHURCH OF OUR LADY AND ST GEORGE

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Sunday 1st August 2021

18th Sunday in Ordinary Time

Sunday Masses

Sunday Mass and weekday Masses are live streamed. Go to the website for the link : www.olsg.org.uk

Mass Times: Vigil: 6pm. Sunday: 9.30am and 11am.

Weekday Masses: 9.30am

Sacraments: Check the parish website for information

Baptism: The Church baptises infants as well as adults on the understanding that the parents/godparents will supply the faith that is necessary to receive the Sacrament.

Sacrament of the Sick: The Anointing of the Sick is for those whose health is seriously impaired by sickness or old age.

Marriage: For Catholics marriages are to be solemnised by God's blessing as approved by the Church.

Prayers for the dying. Praying the rosary can be a most comforting experience for a person preparing to move on to the new life. Other prayers and readings are available on request.

Funerals: Families are encouraged to choose from a selection of readings. These can be found on the internet: scripture readings for Catholic funeral Mass. The translation has to be one of the approved ones for the UK. One good website to check: **olasv.org.uk** (Use search box)

The Communion Procession. This has now returned to the Communion procession taking place at the proper time. Keeping social distance, however, has still to be maintained. It seems that there is no greater risk incurred by returning to the proper time for Holy Communion.

In general it is important to continue to take care over the spread of the virus since some people will not have received the vaccinations for one reason or another.

"It is my Father who gives you the bread from heaven; I am the bread of life"

John 6:24-35

PRIVATE PRAYER

The church is open for private prayer 1pm to 2.30 pm, and 6pm to 7 pm Monday to Friday, with individual Confessions being available Monday, Tuesday, Thursday and Friday around 6.15 pm.

Silence in the church is observed since loud talking disturbs those who have come along for private prayer.



We are asked to pray for those who have died recently: Barry Fitzimmons; Tommy Laird; Isabella Flannery; Cathy Gray

For those whose anniversaries occur about now: Cathy Sharkey; Thomas Queen.

Pray for those who are ill. Margaret Miller. Also all the sick at home, in hospital or in nursing homes.

(Please obtain permission from the person who is ill before writing the name on the sheet in the link corridor for inclusion in the bulletin, signing and dating it.

BRIEF HISTORY OF THE FOUNDING OF THE PARISH

The parish of Our Lady and St. George was founded in 1949. On Thursday 8th May, 1958 at 7 -30pm Archbishop Campbell laid the foundation stone of the new church.

Father Charles Sheridan and Father John Tobin assisted the Archbishop as deacon and subdeacon. Father Morgan of the Cathedral was M.C., assisted by Father Maguire.

The Parish Priest Dr. Meechan, was in general attendance, ably supported by Mr. John Corrigan and the pass-keepers.

A choir of priests, conducted by Father Wilkinson, provided the music for the ceremony. Many dignitaries, including Monsignor James Ward, V.G., and Monsignor Clapperton, were present, and a large number of priests honoured us by attending.

The foundation stone is built into the arch on the Gospel side of the sanctuary.

OPENING OF THE NEW CHURCH 14th December 1959

Even though the weather was atrocious – the fog was so bad that visibility at the most was 50 yards – there were a great number of priests and people present and we were honoured by the attendance of Bishop Black of Paisley and Bishop Hart of Dunkeld.

His Grace Archbishop Campbell was piped from his car to the house St. Francis' Pipe Band, and our own Scouts and Cubs provided a guard of honour.

Assisting the Archbishop in the sanctuary were Monsignor James Ward, V.G., and Canons Ward and McGoldrick (assistant deacons).

Father John O'Riordan, who looked after Penilee when it was part of the parish of Our Lady of Lourdes, was deacon and Father John Tobin, subdeacon. Father William Morgan was M.C. and Father Maguire assisted him at the altar.

Lourdes Secondary School

Re-opens for the new session on
Monday 16th August 2021

All pupils should report to school for 8:50am.

A reminder to S5 and S6 pupils that if they wish to change subject options in light of SQA results, school staff will be available for consultation at the following times:

Tuesday 10th August in school cafeteria
New S5 pupils: 10am
New S6 pupils: 12 noon

Blazers can be collected from the school on
Friday 6th August
between 12 noon and 2pm
for anyone who placed an order with Logox-pres**.** Ties and PE tops will also be available to purchase on this day between 10am-2pm at a cost of £5 each.

SOUTHSIDE FOODBANK

If you can, please remember an item to donate to the foodbank if you are in Morrison's or Sainsbury's. You can also donate by texting glasgowswfb followed by the amount you wish to give to 70085. We appreciate every donation - large or small. They all make a difference. Thank you



"I am the bread of life. He who comes to me will never be hungry; he who believes in me will never thirst."