

Sunday 2nd July 2023

13th Sunday in Ordinary Time

CHURCH OF OUR LADY AND ST GEORGE

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Sunday Masses

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

Weekday Masses: 9.30am

The novena to Our Lady of Perpetual Help: Mondays at 7 pm

Rosary after Mass most days.

For those not able to be present physically our Masses are live streamed. Go to the website for the link : www.olsg.org.uk

(CAMERAS FOCUS ONLY ON THE SANCTUARY AREA AND THE AREA IMMEDIATELY IN FRONT OF IT. IF YOU DO NOT WISH TO HAVE YOUR IMAGE LIVE STREAMED, PLEASE MIND THIS).

Church Opening times: In addition to Mass times the church is open **Monday to Friday 1.30 to 2.30 pm, and 6pm to 7 pm**. Silence in the church is observed to allow private prayer.

Confessions: No priest is available in the evenings of July.

Children's Liturgy is off now until August.

Welcome into the Church. Ella-Grace Anne Pohler was baptised in hospital due to her condition, but now she has recovered and is to receive the other ceremonies which take place when baptism takes place in a church. This Sunday during the 11 am Mass we gladly, together with her parents Lucy and Stephen, her godparents Natalie and Brendan and her family, celebrate these rites and welcome her into the church.

Welcome to Fr Seenan, who will celebrate weekday Masses up to the 21st July**, to Fr Sebastian** who will celebrate weekend Masses**, and Fr McNulty** who is to celebrate the vigil Mass on Saturday 22nd July**.**

Café will be closed for the month of July. Opening again on 6th August. The new rota is available in the link corridor.

Peter's Pence. A retiring collection is to be taken up this weekend. Peter's Pence is a concrete sign of communion with the Holy Father. It makes possible assisting the Pope in evangelization, the promotion of integral human development, education, communication. It contributes to numerous charitable works directly assisting the most in need (people and families in distress, populations hit by natural disasters or war, or who are in need of humanitarian assistance or development support)

We are asked to pray for those who have died recently: June M. Buik, Maureen Donaghey (funeral Mass Tuesday 4th July at 9.30 am), Doreen Hale (Wednesday 5th July), John Keown (funeral Mass Thursday 6th July at 9.30 am), Kathleen Canale (Tuesday 18th July), Martha Kane, Anna Bell

For those whose anniversaries occurs about now: Willie (Billy) McKenna (month's mind), Bridget McLaughlin (1st anniversary), Michael McDaid, Danny Roarty (2nd), John Tonner, Ellen (Ina) Noon

For the sick at home, in hospital, in nursing homes. Prayers are requested for: Janette Devlin, Fr Willy Slavin, John Brodie, Finn McGuinness; Eileen Quinn, Elizabeth Mellon, G. Saville, Betty Paul, Martin Cairns, Mary Blair, Fr Billy Donnelly, Ossian Jones, Mary McAvoy, Billy Miller, Betty Hassan, Willie Hale, Belle Mann, Chris Temple, Kathleen McNamara.

(Permission from the person who is ill is required before insertion in the bulletin. Add the name to the list in the link corridor each week).

Birthday greetings 2023 to Jimmy Lynn who was 101 on 24th June which is also the feast of St John the Baptist. Jimmy is pleased to say that his birthday was the day of the battle of Bannockburn in 1314 and that Robert the Bruce had a great devotion to St John the Baptist.

Glimpse into the Past: On the 23rd August 1958 John McKerracher and Mary Agnew were married in the old church which later became the parish hall. Fr Denis Meechan presided and the witnesses were John Brechan and Elizabeth Agnew. They were some of the last to be married there before the new church was opened by Archbishop Campbell in December 1958.

This was the date given by Canon Denis Meechan in his sermon produced in the Silver Jubilee brochure but in the same brochure there is a description of the Opening of the new church on 14th December 1959. John and Mary are still living in Penilee and maybe they would know the explanation to the different dates.

We wish them every happiness for many years to come.

Finances: Thanks to all who contribute to the parish upkeep. **£1232** was taken up at the Presentation of the Gifts last weekend, 24/25th June.

Thanks to those who take up the collections, men and women and people of different nationalities to reflect the universality (catholicity) of the Church.

ZUMBA: *Wednesdays 17.45 till 18.45 in the parish hall.*

CRAFTS AND GAMES: Thursday mornings after Mass in the hall.

Flower donations: We are grateful for the flowers left by the families of the late Mary Coll and June Buik which adorn the main sanctuary and the shrine of Our Lady**.**

Catholic secondary school teachers, currently serving or retired, who qualified after 1965 are asked to take part in a research project exploring the identity of Catholic teachers in Scotland? In-person or online interview (60-90 minutes). For more information, please contact Natalie Finnigan at: 9906213f@student.gla.ac.uk

St Vincent de Paul Society. If you know of anyone who could do with a bit of assistance you drop a note into the box on exiting the church giving contact details if you have permission of the recipients, or telephone: 07947 194252

Stella Maris. (Apostleship of the Sea) Sea Sunday 9 July

Seafarers and fishers play a vital role in all of our lives, but they often work in difficult, hazardous conditions. In the last year, more crews have been abandoned by their employers than ever before. Many are still being denied the right to leave their ships for even a short break away from the relentless noise and pressure onboard. Retiring collection here next weekend.

Flourish: The summer edition of Flourish is now available. Your FREE newspaper has stories from across the Archdiocese's parishes and from round the Catholic world.

Don't miss our coverage of the Caritas awards, tips and advice from the Vatican on social media use, and the Pope's message to grandparents (and grandchildren!).

radioalba.org Services from Glasgow Churches Together during the week.



WHEN WE WERE BAPTISED WE WENT INTO THE TOMB WITH CHRIST, SO THAT WE TOO MIGHT LIVE A NEW LIFE