Church of Our Lady & St. George

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Fr Joe Boyle, Parish Priest is generally available after all Masses and at other times by appointment

Sunday Mass times: Vigil 6.30 pm, 9.30 & 11.00 am

Weekday Mass Times: Mon - Sat. Morning Mass 9.30.a.m.

Rosary: is prayed every morning, Tuesday—Saturday after morning Mass

Confession/Reconciliation: Any morning before Mass and Sat: 5:30-6:30pm

Novena to Our Lady of Perpetual Help: Mon 7pm

How to join the Catholic Church... Adults who would like to join our Church community are most welcome to make this known. After the initial inquiry preparations begin and the time it takes depends on individual circumstances.

Sacraments:

Marriage: By appointment with Parish Priest (6 months' notice required)

Baptism: By appointment with Parish Priest

Sacrament of the Sick: For those seriously ill or going into hospital. Please phone Fr. Joe on 882-4868

Funerals: Please approach the Parish Priest in the event of bereavement.

The greatest among you must be your servant. Whoever exalts himself will be humbled; but whoever humbles himself will be exalted.



This Week

Church Opening: The church opens again this Monday and Tuesday from 8.30 am until 4 pm.

Morning Prayer of the Church is said at 9 am at the front of the church before the Blessed Sacrament. You are welcome to join us.

Recently dead: Jennifer Mohan (Funeral Mass Thursday 9th Nov at 9.30 am). May she rest in peace.

The November Shrine. Mass is being offered each day during the month of November for those included in the November Lists. And we ask Mary, our heavenly Mother, to mother with tender love all our loved ones. Our thanks to those who set up the shrine again this year.

Joining the Catholic Church. At the time of writing we are looking forward to welcoming John Harper into the catechumenate, a time of reflection of what it means to be a follower of Jesus Christ with a view to baptism next year.

Annual Mass Census takes place this weekend,(4th/5th November)

First Communion Date: After consultation with Mrs Taylor (St George's Primary) and Mrs Simpson (Lourdes Primary) we have fixed the date for First Communion and that is Saturday May 12th. The time will probably be 11.15 am but this may be changed depending on the date and time of First Communions in Our Lady of Lourdes parish.

Bible Alive is a publication which gives a reflection on the Mass readings of the day. Recently the gospel warned of storing up treasures on earth rather than in heaven and retold the popular golf joke:
Golfer: Are there golf courses in heaven? Angel: I have good news and bad news.. Golfer: What's the good news? Angel: The good news is that heaven's golf courses are beautiful beyond anything you could imagine! Golfer; How could there be any bad news with that?
Angel: You're teeing off at 8.30 am tomorrow morning!
Jim Barrett and Ronnie McDougall were listening as the story was read out and were rather dismayed at the punch line. They were due out on the golf course the next morning at 8.30 am! They were glad when rain prevented play!

Fr Joe writes. Mr Joseph, one of our very active parishioners, has opened a new restaurant called Madha in the Merchant City, Albion St. Fr Pat Hennessy, my older brothers John and Brian, and myself visited a few weeks ago and even though we are not particularly accustomed to Indian food we found it very good. I now propose a parish outing for St Andrew's night, Thursday 30th November, led by myself to the restaurant and Mr Joseph has agreed to do a four course meal at £25 a head. Give me a shout if you would like to mark St Andrew's Day in this way.

Last week's collections. Thanks to all who contributed to the parish upkeep in our first collection which, back to normal, came to £1210 (including Gift Aid contributions). The second collection for the parish renovation (front doors) £584. The brown envelopes for parish renovation: £72. Standing order contributions have to be added to the above amounts.

SOUTHSIDE. FOODBANK

Continuing request for TEA, COFFEE, SUGAR AND CEREAL this week. Please donate any one of these, or any other item of food or hygiene, if you can.

THANK YOU

REQUIEM MASS
ST PETER'S CEMETERY
DALBETH
SUNDAY 5TH NOVEMER 2017
3.00PM
Car parking available
(See poster in porch)

REQUIEM MASS
ST CONVAL'S CEMETERY
BARRHEAD
SUNDAY 5TH NOVEMER 2017
2.00PM
Car parking available
(See poster in porch)

Please pray for

Those who are sick at home or in hospital:

Marjorie McGhie; Margaret Peoples; Betty McCreadie; Jo Maule; Betty Hassan; Catherine Leverage; Angela Stirling; Sadie Reid; John O'Malley; Patsy Gallagher Claire Keegan; Anna Bell; Jane Wright; Hugh Watson; George Paterson; John Reilly; Margaret Miller; Joe Graham; Linda Fulton; Martin Carlin; Jphn O'Neill; Heather Hunt; Jonny bunune; Elizabeth Clark; Robert Carroll; Patsy Pollok; Betty Turner; Gladys Connelly; D. Dickson;

For those who have recently died:

Mary Hughes; Jennifer Mohan

For those whose Anniversaries occur around this time:

Mary Brodie (25th); Willie McGoldrick Snr; Beatrice Kerrigan; Charles Kerrigan; Tommy McCafferty; Robert O'Hanlon (3rd); Phoebe Winters; William Winters.
Julia Graham (birthday remembrance)

Freedom from torture is a charity helping survivors of torture now living in this country. Medical and practical help is given. Christmas cards on sale in the hall and at the stall on 12th and 19th November

Family Planning - God's Way - Nature's Way

The Billings Ovulation Method of Natural Fertility Regulation is 99% effective in avoiding pregnancy with no side effects. This method is also highly effective in helping couples achieve a much-wanted pregnancy. For an information pack or details of a teacher in your area, please contact Fertility Care Scotland at: E-mail: info@fertilitycare.org.uk
Website at www.fertilitycare.org.uk
Join us on www.facebook.comfertilitycarescotland
Folow us on twitter www.twitter.com/billingsscot

Rock Meets Brass

A charity concert for the Accord Hospice takes place on Friday 24th November at 7.30pm in the Methodist Church hall, George St. Paisley. The Gospel Rock Choir and the Johnstone Band guarantee a good night out for a good cause. **For tickets see notice in porch or contact any SSVP member in OLSG**

Mary's Meals Romania

Once again we are trying to send the selection boxes to Targu-Mures Transylvania for the children of Iona House, Hill Street and St John's Church.
If you wish to help again this year we are looking for the small £1 Selection Packs. If you wish to donate money we will buy them on your behalf.



PASTORAL CARE COURSE

A programme for those who visit others in whatever Capacity: Hospital, University or School Chaplaincies Home Visitors, Eucharistic Ministers etc.
LED BY DR. CATRIONA FLETCHER AND FR. DAVID BIRCHALL SJ

(PLESE SEE POSTER IN PORCH FOR MORE DETAILS)

KNIGHTS OF ST COLUMBA
Annual Mass for deceased members
(Please see poster in porch for more details)

ST MARGARET OF SCOTLAND
Solemn Mass in honour of St. Margaret
(Please see poster in porch for details)

THE SUMMIT
MONTHLY
YOUTH EVENT
PLEASE SEE THE POSTER IN THE PORCH FOR MORE DETAILS

RCAG YOUTH

Brand new weekly event for young adults. Join RCAG YOUTH for an evening of food, discussion and short videos on some of life's big questions. An ideal event for young people wanting to learn; meet new people, or introduce their friends to the faith in a relaxed and friendly environment. Launch Night is Wednesday 8th of November, 6.30pm at Pauline Books 36 St Enoch Squ. G1 4DF
Contact us: youth@rcag.org.uk / 0141-226-5898 /

Lectio Divina Dramatica

A new initiative from **AGAP** to encourage reflection upon the Word of God in sacred scripture, through drama, imagination and prayerful reading. Meets on the 1st Tuesday of the month. All are welcome.
Next meeting will be
Tuesday 7th November at 7.30pm
in
St Mungos Retreat House G4 0RX
To Book: www.agap.org.uk and click on **events** Tel: 011-552-5527

SUMMIT

Calling all P7 - S6 age group. Join the RCAG youth team for an afternoon of fun friendship, faith good food and more in Blessed John Dun Scotus Church, Ballater St, Sunday 12th November from 2.00pm to 5.00pm. **Under 16's collect registration form, from Fr Boyle.** Over 16's can complete consent forms on arrival. Any questions - contact youth@rcag.org.uk

MUM'S THE WORD

PRAYER GROUPS

PLEASE SEE POSTER IN PORCH FOR DETAILS

LIFE IS FOREVER MASS

Thank you to all who helped prepare and assist at our beautiful and memorable
LIFE is Forever Mass on Thursday evening.
A particular mention goes to our children and young people

FAITH

Want to deepen your understanding of Catholicism?
Come along to Glasgow Faith Forum's fortnightly series of talks this autumn
All young people welcome.
(See poster in porch)