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 6.00 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: 5:30-6:00pm

Novena to Our Lady of Perpetual Help: Mon 7pm.

Legion of Mary: meet at 7.30pm after the Novena

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.

SOUTHSIDE FOODBANK

Please remember an item for the foodbank if you can.
Any donation of food or hygiene is always gratefully received.

Thank you.



The apostles said to the Lord, "Increase our faith." The Lord replied, "If you have faith the size of a mustard seed, you would say to this mulberry tree, 'Be uprooted and planted in the sea,' and it would obey you. **Lk 17:5-10**

THIS WEEK

Baptism this Sunday. We welcome Caleb O'Neill into the Church after the 11 am Mass. With his parents, godparents and family to help him he will come to know and love the Lord and be able to play his part in bringing God's peace and justice into the world.

Church Opening During the Day. Monday to Friday the church will be open until 3 pm. Access through the side door facing the hall.

October Devotions There is a plenary indulgence for the recitation of the Rosary and Litany in Church, family or pious association.

October, the Month of the Missions. Missio packs are available at the back of the church. The small money boxes have to be assembled. World Mission Sunday is on October 20th.

.**Bible and Catechism Class.** The next meeting is on Tuesday 8th October at 7.30 pm.

MacMillan Cancer Coffee Morning Linburn Academy are taking part in the Biggest Coffee Morning this Wednesday, 9th October, between 10 and 12 noon.
You are most welcome to join the event.

Liturgy Group. The article by Ronald Rolheiser in this week's Scottish Observer might stir up some thoughts on how we might serve the community.

Congratulations to Denis and Cathie McAuley who began married life on 29th September 67 years ago in St John's in the Gorbals and also to Billy and Betty Elliot who began married life on 4th October 50 years ago in St James's. We rejoice with them and thank God for all the blessings they have brought to the parish and to the world over all these years.

Finances Thanks to all who contributed to the parish upkeep. Further details are available in the printed version of the bulletin.

Parish Second Collections. It is more appropriate to have only one collection at Mass and so at the start of November we will do away with the 2nd collection when it is for the parish. It is hoped that parishioners will still be as generous. Considerable contributions were made from the main parish expenses to pay for the new windows and so the renovation envelopes can still be used and the money will go towards refunding that contribution. We are most grateful to our benefactors, for the legacy and for the interest free loan, now repaid.

PLEASE PRAY FOR

Those who are sick at home or in hospital:

John Reilly; Margaret Miller; Mrs Moug; Catherine Anne Ferrier; Mary Gaffney; Margaret Leckie; Peggy Peoples; Colm Moran; Anna Bell; Angela Wilson; Rosemary McManus; Jack Foley; Jane Wright; Mary Mackintosh; Danny Fitzimmons; Carol Dailly; Pat & Desi Dickson; B. McLaughlan;.

For those who have recently died: Rena Berry.

Month's Mind of: Mary MacKinnon

For those whose Anniversaries occur around this time:

Ellen & Richard McInnes; Charlie Mulholland; Ivy Rosina Crowther; John McNeece

FOR THE ATTENTION OF ALL PARISH VOLUNTEERS WITH (OR PENDING) PVG CERTIFICATES

All volunteers working with children or protected adults should now have attended the Safeguarding level 1 training. For those who still require to attend please note the next **Level 1** training dates, which take place in Eyre Hall, Archdiocese of Glasgow, G1 4JY are: Monday 7th October ; Saturday 23rd November (2 sessions am & pm); Saturday 7th December. **Induction part 2** training is also now in place, which all volunteers require to attend. Training dates for **Part 2** are: Saturday 26th October (2 sessions am & pm) in Eyre Hall, Archdiocese of Glasgow; Wednesday 13th November in Our Lady of Lourdes, Cardonald, G52 3QU; Monday 2nd December in St Mary's, Duntocher, G81 6DL; Saturday 7th December in Eyre Hall, Archdiocese of Glasgow, G1 4JY. It is essential to book a place to ensure we have handouts for you and can contact you if there any difficulties. Anyone wishing to book onto this or any other training course please call the safeguarding office on 0141 226 5898 or book directly from the Archdiocese of Glasgow website Safeguarding page www.rcag.org.uk.

MANY THANKS TO ALL PARISHIONERS WHO HELPED MAKE THE MacMILLAN COFFEE MORNING AT ELDERPARK LIBRARY ON SEPTEMBER 19TH SUCH A SUCCESS. WE RAISED £360.19 FOR PEOPLE AFFECTED BY CANCER

The MacKinnon family would like to thank the parish for all the prayers and cards received at the passing of their Mother, Mary. Kindness shown meant so much in their time of sorrow. £1,040.67 was raised for the RETIRED SEAMEN'S CLUB

Fr Joe writes. The curlew, the oystercatcher, the terns all seemed to stir into action as I took off my trainers and socks to cross the shallow waters of the outgoing tide in the west of Donegal. Ducks flew overhead towards the mountains but I never heard their crackling song. Errigal, Muckish, and the Donegal mountain range were bathed in the glowing light of the setting sun and seemed to me like old and ancient great grandparents greeting me with:
"Good night, young man!"
There was to follow a discordant note however when I reached the entrance to the bay for there were a good number of plastic bottles lying on the white sands and I thought of Greta Thunberg and her efforts to care for God's beautiful creation.
Later the stars were out, the Milky Way, the Plough. I was looking for Orion and his belt of 3 stars but couldn't find it. Perhaps it is too early in the year for its visit or perhaps it was at the other side of the house.
Thanks to Fr Declan McNaughton for coming to make his appeal on behalf of the Columbans and giving me the chance to cross the waters.

'YOUR LOCAL SOCIAL'

Another chance to enjoy a really good night out and meet up with friends!!
Come along to our next great
'DANCE NIGHT' on SATURDAY 12th OCT.
with the brilliant
ANDY GRAY BAND
BAR BINGO RAFFLE
(Doors Open 7.15pm)
Look forward to seeing you there.
£3.00 – PAY AT THE DOOR –
IT'S A BARGAIN AND WE PROMISE YOU WILL HAVE A GREAT NIGHT!

ARTISTS FOR MARY'S MEALS

Monday 28th October 2019 at the House for an Art Lover, Bellahouston Park, Glasgow.
10am – Richard Burton Jazz Quartet – free;
10.30am–Art Exhibition–all welcome – free;
11am–vocal techniques workshop for singers - £12;
All day crafts – textiles, jewellery, glass cards;
2pm Virtuosi Recital – tickets £12;
7pm Lydia de Rosa Singers – tickets £12.
All tickets and bookings
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Newman Association

"The Scottish Sectarian Divide – Perception and Reality in our confusing times."
A talk by Dr Michael Rosie.
The Ogilvie Centre, St Aloysius' Church, Rose Street, Glasgow 6RE
at 7.30 pm on Thurs. 31st Oct.2019.
All welcome.
Non-members: admission £3

Requiem Mass for the Faithful Departed

will take place in St Peter's Cemetery, Dalbeth, London Rd. Glasgow at 3pm on Sunday 3rd November 2019, for all buried in local cemeteries and whose final committal was at Daldowie Crematorium.
Car parking by the Good Shepherd Gate.
In the event of inclement weather, Mass will be offered in St Joseph's Church, Tollcross.

DOLLY PARTON TRIBUTE NIGHT
In aid of Iona House, Romania
Saturday 26th October
For tickets please contact Charlie Marr
On: 07730 766 501

AA MEETING EVERY MONDAY NIGHT AT 8.00pm IN THE CHURCH HALL