Church of Our Lady & St. George

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Website: www.olsg.org.uk

Parish Priest:
Rev. Fr. Joseph Boyle
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Fr Joe 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 9.30am

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 preparation begins and the time it takes depends on individual circumstances

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

Confession/Reconciliation:
Any morning before 9.30am Mass and Sat: 5.30 pm.

Novena
to Our Lady of Perpetual Help: Every Monday 7pm

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

Any item of food or hygiene is always very gratefully received.
CEREAL,TEA,COFFEE, SUGAR are particularly needed at the moment.

THANK YOU

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"Do whatever he tells you."

THIS WEEK

The Saturday Vigil Mass now begins at 6 pm. (Confessions after Mass, if time runs out before Mass.)

How does Mass begin?
Mass begins with the gathering of the people. In a sense this begins when people leave their homes go come together and respond to the call of Jesus: "Do this in memory of me." Gathered in the church, the bell rings, the hymn announced (remember to pick up a hymn book on the way in) and to accompany the procession of the priest and servers to the altar the hymn is sung.
All make the sign of the cross, and the priest greets the people reminding them of the Lord's presence. It is appropriate to acknowledge our unworthiness as we stand in the Lord's presence and then receive his mercy and forgiveness.
The praise of God is proclaimed in the words of the Gloria. The invitation to prayer is followed by the priest leading us in the opening prayer. Now we are ready for the first main part of the Mass called "The Liturgy of the Word".

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

First Communion Meeting for non-denominational school: This Sunday after 11 am Mass.

Hall Management Meeting: Thursday at 7 p.m.

Finances. Thanks to all who contributed to the parish upkeep in our first collection which came to £1173 (including Gift Aid contributions). The second collection for the renovation work came to £623, and the brown envelopes for the renovation came to £114. Standing orders have to be added.

Mass for Religious: Archbishop Tartaglia will celebrate the annual Mass for Religious on the Feast of the Presentation, Saturday 2nd February 2019, at 10.00am in Saint Andrew's Cathedral. All welcome.

Dates for your diary

Ash Wednesday 6th March Easter Sunday 21st April
First Reconciliation 14thMarch. First Communion: 11th May.
First Communion Gaelic Children: 19th May;
Confirmations 16th May

Please pray for

THOSE WHO ARE SICK AT HOME OR IN HOSPITAL:

Margaret Miller; Liam McBrearty; John O'Malley; Mary Gaffney; Margaret Rose Morrison; Margaret Hooper; Margaret Leckie; Jane wright; Anna Bell; Bethany Simpson; JackFoley; Eddie Gethins Snr; Frank Devlin; Helen Tierney; Margaret Peoples; Martin McDonnell; John Reilly; Michael McArdle; Alice O'Hara; Elizabeth Clark; Louisa Chrstie

FOR THOSE WHO HAVE RECENTY DIED:

Frank Geraghty; Flo McQuaker; Patricia McNeill; Irene Flanagan; Robert Carroll; James Friel; Susan Leyden

THOSE WHOSE ANNIVERSARIES OCCUR AROUND THIS TIME:

Milly McFlynn; Shiela McGoldrick (2yrs) Gerald Mclaughlin (10yrs); Maureen Kelly (9yrs); Vincent Kaney (2yrs); John, Roseannne + Margaret Lavery; Mary Duffy (44rs); John Flaherty (48yrs); Pauline Flood (19yrs); Jessie Queen; Jo Maule; Babs Holoran; Frank McArdle; Veronica McArdle; Catherine Docherty; Mary (Minnie) Crossan (1 yr) Sophia Dooley(Germany 13yrs);

The Council of Christians and Jews West of Scotland Branch: For our next branch meeting we would like to invite all of our members and friends to a conversation on '**Caring for the City'** over an afternoon tea of sandwiches and cakes. Gordon Matheson, former leader of Glasgow City Council, will introduce the conversation. A short Annual General Meeting will precede it. This will take place on Wednesday 30th January at 2pm at Giffnock Synagogue, 222 Fenwick Road, Giffnock G46 6UE. Contact Steve Innes: scholar@ccj.org.uk for more information.

Christian Unity Week 18th to 25th January 2019

To help along the progress of Christian Unity, the G52 CHURCHES TOGETHER GROUP, (the community of local Christian churches to which our church belongs) has invited members of the various congregations to proclaim the Word of God at a local church other than their own. Today, 20TH January, we are very pleased to warmly welcome Moyra Noble from Crookston Baptist Church, 131 Crookston Road. Moyra will read at our 11.00 am Mass, while Joe Quinn from our own Church has been invited to read at the 11.00 am service at Cardonald Parish Church, Church of Scotland, Paisley Rd West.

Please remember to continue to pray and work for that unity which our Lord Jesus desires.

Christian Unity Week Service

The annual Ecumenical Act of Worship will be held on
Wednesday, 23rd January 2019 at 7pm
Our Lady of Lourdes Church.

Come and pray, praise and worship, and join in fellowship with our Christian brothers and sisters in the neighbouring churches. to help fulfil the desire of Jesus that his followers be 'ONE'

Tea in the hall afterwards
Organised by G52 Churches Together

AGAP FILM AND FAITH CLUB

Will meet at 1pm for a Matinee and also at 7pm on Thursday 7th February in St Mungo's Retreat House, next to St Mungo's Church, 52 Parson Street, Townhead G4 0RX. This month's film is **"Paul, Apostle of Christ"** (2018), Cert. PG-13. New members welcome. Totally free! Big screen and speakers. Tea/coffee and char.
To book: **www.agapglasgow.eventrbite.com**
Tel: 0141 552 5527 or email **info@agap.org.uk**

AGAP Reel Kids Parents and Tots Cinema Club: Meets on 2nd Friday of every month at 11am in St Mungo's Retreat House, next to St Mungo's Church, 52 Parson Street, Townhead G4 0RX. Next screening is **"The Lion King" (1994).** For parents with young children to enjoy a film with their little ones and chat afterwards. Please register to attend: www.agapglasgow.eventrbite.com
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