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Sacraments:

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.

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

Sacrament of the Sick:
The Anointing of the Sick is for those whose health is seriously impaired by sickness or old age. We should not follow the wrongful practice of delaying the sacrament.

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)

Flourish, our diocesan newspaper is now available to take away. (Free)



"Who then is this, whom even wind and sea obey?"

Sunday Masses
Vigil: 6 pm; Sunday 9.30 and 11 am.
At present there is no obligation to attend Sunday Mass.

Weekday Masses: 9.30 am

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

Sacraments: Check the parish website for information
50 people are now allowed for baptisms, marriages and funerals.

The church is open for private prayer 1.30 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.

Note the change on weekday afternoons. The church is open for private prayer from 1.30 until 2.30 pm Monday to Friday.

Pray for those who are ill: for the sick at home, in hospital, 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.

Holy Water. We now have a new container at the back of the church, covered, with a lever to release the water and more Covid friendly. Please use the sanitizer before taking the water.

School Holidays. We wish all the school communities a restful break from the strain and tensions of the past year, especially those who have had to contend with exams and assessments.

Congratulations to Meg Rafferty who celebrated her 100th birth-day at Deanfield Nursing Home.
We wait to congratulate Jimmy Lynn on the 24th when he will reach his 99th birthday and still singing, though when he comes to Mass in the mornings he has to put on his mask. He shares his birthday with St John the Baptist and Robert the Bruce who took on the foe at the Battle of Bannockburn on this day in the year 1314.

Finances Thanks to all who contribute to the parish upkeep. £1153 was taken up last weekend at the Masses, a further £40 was handed in as donation also for the parish upkeep, and £16 for the parish renovations. Standing orders and other bank donations are also most gratefully received.

PLEASE PRAY FOR

Those who are ill. The sick at home, in hospital and in nursing homes are to be remembered in our Sunday Mass.

Those who have died.

May they rest in peace.

We are asked to pray for those who have died recently, Margaret Durkin (Funeral Mass Friday 25th June at 11 am), Hannah Cameron, Kerry Horne, Catherine McMahon (Sr Veronica), Brian Hutchinson, Danuta Gizycka, Karen Moore.

We remember also those whose anniversaries occur about now:

Felix McCabe, Megan Rosehaining, Noel Barron, Sarah Barron

OUR LADY AND SAINT GEORGE
Thanksgiving Pilgrimage to Knock
Date: Leaving Saturday
18th June returning
Thursday 23rd June 2022



Duration of six days (Five nights)
Knock and Donegal

Half Board consisting of Bed, Breakfast and Evening Meal

The Cost. £550.



Pilgrims will be uplifted and returned to OLSG carpark.

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STILL SOME PLACES LEFT SO BOOK NOW!

Fr Joe writes. Last Monday the road leading to St Conval's Cemetery was blocked off due to a serious accident. (We have had no word about casualties or their conditions.) Police cars, ambulances and fire engines were at the scene. Arriving there on the bicycle I could see the funeral cortege taking a detour but I expected I would be able to get through on foot. There was no police at the first barrier so I walked through till I came to the second one and a policeman on duty indicated that I had to go back and take the detour. It was a long detour on unfamiliar roads. The policeman was on the phone and kept indicating I had to go back. I waited till he was ready and told him I was to conduct a service at the cemetery. "Wait here a few minutes" he said. "No, there was no way to go through. Maybe the police officer at the first barrier would take you in the car!"

There followed my most exciting journey in a car: blue lights flashing, cars pulling in to let us pass, siren on as we approached traffic lights, squeezing in between lines of traffic with only inches to spare, on the wrong side of the road and a lorry approaching before pulling in; and then the police barrier at the other side of the road blockage, and the peace and calm of St Conval's. Jean Finlayson's nephew Michael was waiting, as were the undertakers, our parishioners and cemetery staff. I was only about 7 minutes late. Jean was laid to rest, gathered to her people and safely home in the Father's House.

radioalba.org ***Radio Alba majors on Morning, School, Evening and Night Prayer, and now has recorded Masses on Sunday, and Prayer from Glasgow Churches Together during the week.***

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. Thank you.

Website of the Week: Liturgy of the Hours (or Divine Office) The Liturgy of the Hours (also known as the Divine Office) is an immensely rich prayer resource.There are many websites and apps which make the Liturgy of the Hours very accessible on desktops and mobile devices. This means the Office can be prayed anywhere, whenever there is a space, however small, in life's hectic round of activities. Discover this valuable resource at: www.newpilgrimpath.ie.

