Sunday 23rd August 2026
Twenty-first Sunday in Ordinary Time

May God bless us this day
in all our new beginnings

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Sunday Masses
Vigil: 6 pm; Sunday 9.30 and 11 am.
Weekday Masses: 9.30 am
Novena to Our Lady of Perpetual Help:
Rosary after Mass most days.

Masses are live streamed for those unable to physically to take part.
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 6 pm to 7 pm**

Generally, individual Confessions are available Monday, Tuesday, Thursday and Friday **at 6.15 to 6.45**
Silence in the church is observed to allow private prayer.

Save the Date ~ Fr Joe Mackle, parish priest of Our Lady of Lourdes parish, and the parishioners will be welcoming Fr Boyle and the parishioners of St Georges to their 5pm Sunday Mass on 30th August followed by a reception in the Front Hall. This is in recognition of our financial support which has allowed Lourdes parish to tackle a number of urgent issues much sooner than they could have on their own.

May they rest in peace We are asked to pray for those who died recently;

Gerry Ferguson (Requiem Mass Thursday 27th at 9.30), Anne Leonard, (Requiem Mass Friday 28th at 9.30), Tom Orr, Margaret O'Kane; and for those whose anniversaries occur about now: Iain MacDonald, Teresa Martin, Patrick Heaney, Mary Boyle (14th), Denis Barron, Mary Laishley.

Prayers are requested for those who are ill: for the sick at home, in hospital, in nursing, homes: Mary Pattison, Maria Jenkins, Margaret Reilly, Brian West, Sithara Noris, Richard Evans, Murdo Moby, Isabel McLellan, Maureen Cunningham, Joseph Dodds, Willie Fortucci, Finn McGuinness, Mary Blair, Betty Hassan, Agnes Charles, Kevin McCann, Anthony McCann, Rosemary McManus, Harry Simpson, Mary Dowling, Debbie Needleman, Liz Murray, Pamela McKinven, Charlotte McKinven, Sean McMahon, Francoise McCormick, James Cassidy, Marie Clare Pienarr, Emily Rowe, Patricia Ashman, Ian McDonald, , Kim Tennant, Cathie Bertuccelli, John McMenamin *(Permission from the person who is ill is required before insertion in the bulletin. dd the name to the list in the link corridor each week.}*

Welcome into the Church. Today, Sunday 23rd we welcome **Sienna Bloom Catherine**, daughter of proud parents Bethany and Daniel, into the Church as she receives the grace of baptism and adoption as a daughter of God, during the 11 am Mass.

The Anointing of the Sick Service: thanks to all who organized and played a part in the celebration last Sunday. It was so much appreciated by all participants.

Birthday Greetings to Asher Robbi Sam who is one of our altar servers who turned 19 on 20th August; and **greetings** to **Maureen Murphy** who turned **90** the next day.

PARISH BIBLE STUDY
Thursday the last of the month at 7pm.

Parish Dance & Social

A great night guaranteed on

Saturday 5 September 2026

Dance along to the fabulous

Donny Finlay

Bar -- Snowball Bingo -- Raffle

Doors open **7:15**

Admission **£3:00**

Youth Ministry

The first session for this academic year is on Friday 4th September 7 - 8:30pm in the hall, for all P5,6,7 and S1/ 2

VOCATIONS MASS You are invited to the annual Vocations Mass on the 24th of August at 7pm. The Mass will take place in St Andrew's Cathedral, Clyde Street, Glasgow, G1 4JY. It is an opportunity to join as a diocesan community and pray for all vocations. There will be refreshments afterwards in Eyre Hall. Everyone welcome.

Glasgow Walk to Beat Blood Cancer. Pollok Park on Sunday 6th September at 11.30 leaving from the Burrell Collection.

Please contact your MP today and urge them to vote no to assisted suicide in the UK Parliament. Vulnerable people must be protected, proper care strengthened, and compassion, dignity and support prioritised over assisted suicide. Find your MP at: https://members.parliament.uk/members/commons

Your MP could be one of the 12 Only 12 MPs need to switch for the assisted suicide Bill to be defeated on 11 September. A face-to-face meeting can make a real difference to how your MP votes. Right To Life UK's simple tool lets you request a meeting in just 30 seconds and gives you everything you need to prepare, including a short video guide.

Please ask your MP today for a meeting and urge them to vote NO to assisted suicide: https://righttolife.org.uk/meetyourmp

Last week's collections; £1301 was gratefully received from the collections last weekend.

Contributions are still to be added from **Gift Aid** To start gift: call or text Kathleen on 07961040742.

Walk the Cross Scotland – walk one kilometre for every year that Jesus lived: Carfin Grotto to St Andrew's Cathedral, Glasgow. 26th – 27th Sept. Saturday 26th - Meet at Carfin for 9:30am Adoration and 10am Mass. After refreshments we will walk to Uddingston Train Station.

Sunday 28th – Meet at Uddingston Train Station at 8:30am for a 9am start. Walk to St Andrew's Cathedral, Clyde Street, finishing with the Divine Mercy Chaplet before Mass at 3:00pm.

Refreshment stops are provided on both days. To register email Pauline: flameoflovescotland@gmail.com

NATIONAL PILGRIMAGE TO WHITHORN: Sunday 30th August. Mass on the beach near St Ninian's Cave at 4 pm, and at the church in Whithorn at 4.45 pm for those unable to reach the shore. A well-established footpath about one mile long takes you through the glen to the shore, and to be in place for Mass at 4 pm it is recommended to begin the walk by 3 pm. More information at https://rcdg.org.uk/whithorn-pilgrimage-sunday-30th-august-2026/.

NATIONAL PILGRIMAGE TO CARFIN: The National Pilgrimage to Scotland's Marian Shrine will take place on Sunday 6th September with Mass at 3.00 pm. At the Pilgrimage Mass, the faithful will join the Universal Church in marking 800 years since the death of St Francis of Assisi. The principal celebrant and homilist will be Archbishop William Nolan.