CHURCH OF OUR LADY & ST. GEORGE

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Baptism:
The Church welcomes adults and children who wish union with the Lord in his victory over evil and death and who wish to participate in the life of the parish.

Sacrament of the Sick:
The Anointing of the Sick is for those whose health is seriously impaired by sickness or old age.

Marriage: For baptised Catholics, marriages are to be solemnised by God's blessing.

Interested in joining our Christian community?
We would be delighted to help you or people known to you to prepare for baptism, confirmation and a sharing in the Eucharist and Holy Communion.
For more details please speak to Fr Joe or one of our parishioners.

FORTY DAYS FOR LIFE
8am until 8pm..
Email:
Ogilvie1615@outlook.com

Retiring collection this Sunday: Sick and Retired Priests Fund.

First Communion
Meeting takes place on Tuesday 26th at 5.30 pm for our young parishioners and those who made First Reconciliation here.

JOB VACANCIES

St. Joseph's Care Home Run by Little Sisters of the Poor
Care Assistant (Day shift and bank) and several other posts.
See notice board.
Closing date: 31st March.



PALM SUNDAY
Jesus rode into Jerusalem On a donkey

Holy Week 2024: 24th-31st March

The Church celebrates the greatest week of our year and as part of the Church you are asked to participate as well as you can especially during the Easter Triduum. The sick and housebound are invited to be united in prayer while the celebrations are taking place if this is possible for them.

Stations of the Cross: Tues, Wednesday at 6.30 pm.

Holy Thursday

Morning prayer: 9.30am (No Mass)
St Andrew's Cathedral: Mass of the Chrism: 11 am.

Easter Triduum begins with the Mass of the Lord's Supper: Thursday at 7.00 pm.

The Washing of the Feet is to take place during the Mass. After Mass there is the Procession to the Altar of Repose in the hall and Night Prayer at 10 pm. First Communion Children are especially invited to take part in the Mass of the Lord's Supper.

Good Friday:

Morning prayer: 9.30am (No Mass)
Good Friday Walk of Witness leaves from Our Lady of Lourdes Church 10.00am

Friday at 3.00 pm Celebration of the Passion of the Lord – (Stations of the Cross: 7.00 pm.)

Saturday

Morning prayer: 9.30am (No Mass)
Easter Vigil: Starts with the blessing of the Easter fire at 8.45 pm.
Easter Sunday Masses: usual times, 9.30 and 11 am

Readers and Eucharistic Ministers There is a list in the porch of all those involved in the Holy Week Services.

Church Opening times In addition to public services the church is open **Monday to Friday 1.30 to 2.30 pm.**

Individual Confessions are available Monday, Tuesday, **at 6.15**

The Washing of the Feet takes place during the Mass of the Lord's Supper. We are looking for people to volunteer to have their feet washed. It would be good if we could have 4 people from each of the Sunday Masses to take part. There will be someone at the back of the church after each Mass on Palm Sunday taking names.

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

May they rest in peace We are asked to pray for those who died recently; John McKerracher; Margaret McQuade; Hugh Welsh; Mary Margaret McAvoy; George McCabe; Eileen Hick; Ronnie Buchanan.
For those whose anniversaries occur about now: especially, Mary Denvir (6th); John Scanlan (50); Joseph Woods.
(Names for insertion should be added to the list available in the link corridor before 10 am. on Thursday.)

Pray for those who are ill: for the sick at home, in hospital, in nursing homes. **Prayers are requested for:** John Brodie; Susan McDonald; Ann Barr; Ewen MacLeod; Catherine Morrison; Margaret Curran; Finn McGuinness; Betty Paul; Mary Blair, Fr Billy Donnelly; Ossian Jones; Billy Miller; Betty Hassan; Willie Hale; Belle Mann; G.Saville; Gerry Fergusson; Agnes Charles; Ellen Collum; Ann Collum; Archie McKinven; Josephine Gallaher; Fr Vincent Kennedy; Cyril Flynn; Donald Roderick Campbell; Stephanie Thomson; Alan MacDonald; David Dougan; Henry McDonald; Thomas Harper. *(Permission from the person who is ill is required before insertion in the bulletin. Add the name to the list in the link corridor each week.)*

Beginning Experience: a weekend for those who suffer separation through separation, divorce or widowhood 5-7 April. See notice board in the porch.

Finances Thanks to all who contribute to the parish upkeep. £1458 was taken up at the Presentation of the Gifts last weekend, 16/17th March. Sick and Retired Priests' Fund collection came to £324. Thanks to all who contribute through standing orders and all who are able to use the Gift Aid Scheme. Thanks also to those who take up the collections, men and women and people of different nationalities to reflect the universality (catholicity) of the Church.

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Services from Glasgow Churches Together during the week.

Catholic Youth Summer Camp Experience:
(S1-S6) 21st - 25th July. www.tinyurl.com/youthsummercamp24

Glasgow Archdiocesan Pilgrimage to Lourdes
12-19th July, led by Archbishop Nolan. See the notice board for details for pilgrims and sick pilgrims. Closing date: 31st March.

St Vincent de Paul Society.
If you know of anyone who could do with a bit of assistance you drop a note into the box on exiting the church giving contact details if you have permission of the recipients, or telephone: 07947 194252

Sunday Café
opens after morning Masses on Sunday. To volunteer call: Catherine on: 07796172163.



European Summer Camp with the Comboni Missionaries: This will take place in Roehampton, London, from 29 July – 6 August 2024. Book your place by 1 April 2024. If you are 18 plus contact Fr Melaku Tafesse (07572 626887); Fr Paul Annis (07765 708627) or Fr David Bohnsack (01344621238).

Spring Young Adult Walking Pilgrimage, Glasgow - 19 - 21st April 2024:
The Youth Office are running a 3-day walking pilgrimage through the Archdiocese stopping at various parishes. It is a great opportunity for 16-35 year olds to grow in their faith, get in some exercise and make new friends.
www.tinyurl.com/rcagpilgrimage

GARDEN FETE: SATURDAY 1ST JUNE The first meeting to prepare will take place in the hall on Wednesday 27th March at 7 pm. Everyone is welcome. Bring your ideas and support your parish. Suitable prizes for the popular raffle can be given to Fr Joe or any of the stewards in the porch. A little reminder to all gardening enthusiasts to plant your seeds and cuttings for the plant stall.

Website of the Week: A Radical Alternative Theory of Atonement

As we stand at the threshold of another Holy Week, many still struggle with the idea that Jesus had to die for our sins as a sacrifice to appease a wrathful God. Franciscan theology, for many centuries, has offered an alternative, non-violent, atonement theory which has never been deemed heretical. This theory states that Jesus did not come to change the mind of God about humanity, he came to change the mind of humanity about God. At-one-ment rather than Atonement. Read a short reflection by Franciscan, Richard Rohr, and listen to fascinating interview with Pat Coyle, Director of Irish Jesuit Communications, at: **www.newpilgrimpath.ie.**

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