CHURCH OF OUR LADY AND ST GEORGE

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Sacraments:

Marriage: By appointment with Parish Priest
(6 months notice required)

Baptism:
By appointment with Parish Priest (forms in porch)

Sacrament of the Sick:
For those seriously ill or going into hospital. Please contact Father Joe.

Funerals: Please approach the Parish Priest in the event of a bereavement.

30th Sunday in Ordinary Time

Sunday 25th October 2020

"You must love your neighbour as yourself"

Sunday Masses

Vigil: 6 pm; Sunday 9.30 and 11 am. (Usual times)

At present there is no obligation to attend Sunday Mass and you might want to consider coming along to weekday Mass if there are too many gathering for Sunday Mass. Sunday Masses and weekday Masses (except Saturday) are live streamed. Go to the website for the link

The capacity for the church is 50. Mass is also broadcast to the hall at weekend Masses and Holy Communion distributed after Mass. People may also remain in their cars or stand in the car park observing the 2 m rule.

If showing symptoms, or if you think you have the symptoms, or are worried about being infected, we would ask you not to attend

Contact details must be taken for all who attend. Stewards will be on hand to attend to this. Special allowances may be made for more senior members of the community.

Sacraments

Baptism: Parents who seek to bring up their children with the gift of faith should request baptism for them. Adults too may receive the grace of baptism if they have not already received the sacrament. If resident outside the parish, you are to receive permission from the parish of your residence.

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

Marriage: Baptised Catholics are obliged to follow the Church's procedures for marriage. Civil marriages for Catholics can be regularised enabling them to receive Holy Communion.

Prayers for the Dying: Praying the rosary can be a most comforting experience for a person preparing to move on to the new life. If the person can receive Holy Communion this may be given as Viaticum (Food for the Journey). Other prayers and readings are available on request.

Funerals: Please inform the parish priest. If outside the parish please inform priest of parish of residence.

Baptism This Sunday after the 11 am Mass we will be welcoming Ben Thomas Chestnutt into the Church that the gift of God's love may be an anchor in the journey of his life.

PLEASE PRAY FOR

Those who are ill: The sick at home, in hospital, in nursing homes are to be remembered in our Sunday Masses. (For names to be entered into bulletin please obtain written permission.)

Those who have died: Daniel McMahon.

We remember also those whose anniversaries occur including: Hugh Collum, Richard Heuchan, Tom Trotter, John McInnes, Maureen Magennis, Tommy McCafferty, Bobby Quinn.

October, month of the Missions. You can donate online at www.missioscotland.com or text MISSIOSCOT To 70085 to donate £3 or put an envelope through the letter box in the chapel house with the envelope clearly marked: Missio. Please do so before the end of the month.

Finances: Thanks to all who contribute to the parish upkeep last weekend. £845 was donated after Mass, £137 at other times and for the renovation fund, £36.

Standing orders and other bank donations are also most gratefully received.

November: Praying for those who died since November 2019: Instead of the Life is Forever Mass we plan at the beginning of weekday Masses to read out the names of several of the deceased, light a candle for each and place the candles on the cross which will be placed in front of the altar.

NOVEMBER - MONTH OF REMEMBRANCE

November is the month when, by tradition, we pray for the eternal rest of our deceased relatives and friends. This year, in all our churches, we remember especially those who have died during the pandemic. We also pray for those who have lost someone they loved, for those who were unable to say goodbye, and for those who are suffering the pain of grief. We pray for confidence in the loving mercy of God, for faith in the Resurrection to new life, and for the hope of being reunited in God's kingdom

Scottish Government consultation to stop home abortions! The Scottish Government is holding a consultation on whether to continue the practice of sending dangerous abortion pills to women to undergo abortions at home. We need as many pro-life people as possible to complete the Scottish Government's questionnaire in order to stop dangerous DIY abortions becoming permanent. SPUC has prepared a briefing which gives a step by step guide to completing the questionnaire.

Please go to www.spuc.org.uk/Scottish-Consultation

Restarting the Monday AA Group A risk assessment meeting was held last Thursday and following the guidelines drawn up by the Scottish Recovery Consortium the decision was taken to start the meetings once again. A coordinator has been chosen and stewards have been allocated various tasks to make the meetings safe.

Anyone with symptoms or who think they may have symptoms or any doubts about who they have been in contact with is asked not to attend but to go online, or seek advice on how to do so, and attend the virtual meetings that are available.

SOUTHSIDE FOODBANK

A message on the Glasgow SW Foodbank facebook page. '.....We know we cannot take for granted the generosity of our donors.....providing vital support for some of the neediest in our society. We are so grateful.....every single donation over the past 7 years has made a difference.'



First Communions

More celebrations are on 31st October.

