

CHURCH OF OUR LADY & ST. GEORGE

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SINCE ALL MASSES AND
 OTHER SERVICES ARE
 SUSPENDED DUE TO THE
 CORONAVIRUS OUTBREAK
 PLEASE SHARE CHURCH
 NEWS WITH FRIENDS, FAMILY
 AND NEIGHBOURS BY
TELEPHONE IF THEY CANNOT
 ACCESS THE ONLINE
 BULLETIN



And it happened that, while he was with them at table, he took bread, said the blessing, broke it, and gave it to them. With that their eyes were opened and they recognized him, but he vanished from their sight.

Check our website www.olsgeorge.org.uk and media gallery for a video related to this Sunday, and for previous video recordings.

Prayers Requested. We are asked to keep in mind all who are ill at this time, and family, relatives and friends unable to be present with them as a result of the coronavirus. We remember all who have died, especially those who have died recently, including Patsy Pollock, Tracey Clark, Betty McFadden, Tom McFadyen. Margaret Stelmaszuk, Robert Robertson, Joseph Tonner, On the day of the funeral for parishioners a private Mass will be said in the morning for the deceased. We remember also those whose anniversaries occur including: Philip Woods; Liam Cullen (3rd); Sean James Coll.

FR JOE WRITES

Finances Thanks to all who contribute to the parish upkeep, whether it is by putting it through the letter box of the presbytery while taking the permitted exercise, or by standing order. £497 was contributed last week. Some parishioners not able to leave home are setting aside their contributions until an opportune time presents itself. **(Some people have asked for our bank details so they can pay in directly.**

Please email Fr. Joe at olstgeorge@rcag.org.uk for that information.

The name of the account is Archdiocese of Glasgow Our Lady and St George.)

It is understood that many are not able to keep up contributions as in the past, and we hope that the situation improves in the not too distant future

Walk with Me booklets for the Easter Season (end of May) are available if anyone would like one posted on to them. They contain daily reflections based on the readings of the day. Phone 0141 882 4868 or email olstgeorge@rcag.org.uk (No charge)

SOUTHSIDE FOODBANK
 Please add an item of food or hygiene to the Foodbank collection point if you are in the following stores:- Morrison's, Asda or Tesco Silverburn. Donations of money can also be given at www.justgiving.com/glasgow-sw-foodbank or directly into the Foodbank account:- GLASGOW SW FOODBANK BANK OF SCOTLAND Sort Code 80-22-60. Account number 13575862
MANY THANKS

THEY ALSO NEED VOLUNTEERS
 as many of their regular volunteers are over 70 and need to step back for the sake of their own health. If you think you can help contact: claire@glasgowsw.foodbank.org.uk

SIGN OF CONTRADICTION: THE PASSION STORY

Starring Hugh Welsh, as Annas the High Priest, and Stage Managed by Kathleen Dooley, both parishioners of Our Lady & St George.

This is now available to watch for FREE on You Tube at: <https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=eyCAOoZ21Uc>

PLEASE PRAY FOR THOSE WHO HAVE DIED

Tracey Margaret Clark was born in Duke St Hospital on 21st June 1970 into the family of parents Billy and Margaret, with brothers and sisters Gary, Elaine, William, Marie (died before Tracey was born) and Louise. 34 years ago, Margaret died when Tracey was only 15, but Elaine and her husband Jim moved into the family home in Penilee, keeping the family together.

Tracey encountered many challenges due to her special needs but she was well cared for by her family and the community.

Tracey loved Penilee and Penilee loved Tracey.

She loved music and her send-off was marked by a rendering of Amazing Grace by her niece Marley at Bowfield Crescent and by a recording of Run Rig's Loch Lomond after the internment.

There was a note of gratitude to God as Tracey was laid to rest: "...we must try not to be sad but to be grateful that God blessed us with her."

May she rest in peace.

Margaret Stelmaszuk

Margaret was born on the 9th November 1924 and had four brothers: Jim, Charlie, John and Joe, and one sister Theresa. Margaret lived in Partick until she met her future husband Aleksander Stelmaszuk who came from Poland. He fought with the British Armed Forces during World War 2, arriving in the UK in October 1942. During the war years, Margaret made life-jackets for the Admiralty.

Margaret and Aleks were married on the 28th December 1946 and had thirteen children.

Sadly, two of the family are deceased, but Margaret is survived by eleven of her children and her sister Theresa.

Margaret was dearly loved and had 29 grandchildren, 31 great grandchildren (with 2 on the way) and 2 great great grandchildren.

Margaret lived briefly in Dundee and Middlesex, but spent most of her ninety-five years in Glasgow, settling for a large part in Honeybog Road, Penilee, from 1963 until 1987. She and her family were devoted parishioners of Our Lady and St George Church, which was the setting for many family Baptisms, First Confessions, First Holy Communions, Confirmations, Marriages and sadly a Requiem Mass for Aleks in 1985.

Two-years after Aleks' death Margaret moved to Swinton Drive, Cardonald and lived there until she required full-time care at Kinning Park Care Home from July 2016.

Margaret was a hard worker, loved her family and took great interest in all that was happening within the family until the onset of dementia.

She was a wonderful sequence dancer and joined many dancing clubs following her retirement.

She particularly loved going on foreign holidays, both with her dancing friends and Jo, Jim and family.

Margaret was a great friend to many and will be sadly missed by all.

Betty McFadden was born on 7th May 1927 to William and Mary Collie. Betty, an only child, lived with her parents and grandparents Johnny and Lizzie Reilly at 9 Stanley Street in the parish of Our Lady and St Margaret's; the same address as Helen Doran, whose cure of cancer was used to support the cause of the canonisation of St Therese. Needless to say the family, including Betty, were very much devoted to St Therese the Little Flower and reflected her simplicity and love.

Betty's memories of the war years in Kinning Park included memories of her extended family crammed into one room passing nights telling stories and drinking tea. She also told of how she and her friend had visited a local street after a bomb had destroyed some houses and of the local priest helping the casualties.

Betty married Michael McFadden in 1952 and they had four children Michael, Elizabeth, William and Joseph, and now has 8 grandchildren, 7 great grandchildren and another on the way and in them she took great interest, listening to them and loving them. Her husband Michael died in 2011 and her son Michael died in 1995 aged 40 years. Betty's strong faith and constant prayers helped her cope with these losses and was helped over the years by her family including her daughter in law Lynn, son in law Gregg and her friend Linda.

A faithful parishioner of Our Lady & St George's parish for 54 years, Betty died on 13th April 2020, with Lynn beside her in hospital. It was also the 17th birthday of her great granddaughter Libby, who with the rest of the family will remember her in prayer and know that Betty will continue to be praying for them as she rests in peace in the company of all the saints.

POLICE SCOTLAND SURVEY (OFFICIAL)

Hi Everyone,

Please find attached a link to a survey from Police Scotland.

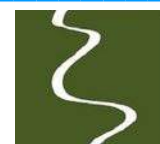
The survey will capture people's feeling of safety, what they are doing well and any concerns they have which they can address operationally and through their information campaigns. The survey will also capture feedback from those who have contacted them during the COVID-19 pandemic.

<https://consult.scotland.police.uk/surveys/your-police-2020-2021>

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You can view our Privacy Statement with details of how we collect and what we do with personal information at:

www.glasgowlife.org.uk/privacy



New
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Path

WEBSITE OF THE WEEK

New Pilgrim Path's 'Website of the Week' this week is a departure from our usual spiritual website resource. Following the principle of *mens sana in corpore sano* ('a healthy mind in a healthy body'), our featured website is a directory of products and services, in Ireland and elsewhere, which have been made available at no cost for the duration of the coronavirus crisis.

Compiled by a young Galwayman, Shane Hastings, the 'GiveBack' directory offers access to a range of courses and services including online adult education from top universities; meditation; physical and mental health and well-being; relationship mentoring; yoga (all levels); pilates; parental support; personal fitness training; piano, guitar and ukulele classes; and a host of other resources.

Access this regularly updated and useful website at:

www.newpilgrimpath.ie

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IGNATION SPIRITUALITY — Easter Retreat - Day 4

Today's Scripture is suitable for prayerful reading - [Lectio Divina](#).

Stilling: Spend some time [becoming quiet](#) are you aware you are in the presence of God.

Grace: That I might have a deep sense of the presence of the Risen Lord in this challenging time.

Prayer Suggestion: Is there a word or a phrase from the Scripture or the poem that jumps out at you, allow it to speak to you.

<http://iscglasgow.co.uk/easter-day4.html>