Sunday 26th June 2022

Thirteenth Sunday of Ordinary Time

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Sunday Masses
Vigil: 6 pm; Sunday 9.30 and 11 am.
Weekday Masses: 9.30 am
The novena to Our Lady of Perpetual Help:
Mondays at 7 pm.
Rosary after Mass most days.
The Church welcomes and wishes all peoples to believe in Jesus Christ, who suffered, died and is risen from the dead, to be baptised in his name.
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.
For those not able to be physically present our Masses are live streamed.
Go to the website for the link: www.olsg.org.uk

Feast of St Peter and St Paul This Wednesday, 29th June, is the feast of these two great apostles of the Lord, both martyred in Rome. This is a holiday of obligation and we have an extra Mass in the evening at 7 pm.

Peter's Pence A retiring collection is to be taken up this weekend.
What is Peter's Pence? Peter's Pence is the name for the financial help offered by the faithful to the Holy Father in support of his apostolic and charitable mission in favour of the universal Church and the entire world. Each donation, small or large, also has a powerful symbolic value – it is a concrete sign of communion with the Holy Father. It makes possible assisting the Pope in evangelization, the promotion of integral human development, education, communication. It contributes to numerous charitable works directly assisting the most in need (people and families in distress, populations hit by natural disasters or war, or who are in need of humanitarian assistance or development support)
May they rest in peace We are asked to pray for those who died recently:
Jim Mallon, Theresa Osborne, Nancy McGuire, Mamie Duffy, Thomas Stuart, Betty Kearns, and for those whose anniversaries occur about now; John Tonner, Ellen (Cissie) Noon, John R. Smyth (19 yrs).
Pray for those who are ill: for the sick at home, in hospital, in nursing homes. Prayers are requested for: Philomena Bradley, Robert Carroll, G. Saville, Margaret Dillon (Glasgow), Michael Dillon & Margaret Dillon (NZ), Lesley-Anne Boyd, , Sheila Smith, Margaret Hogg, Catherine McKenna, June M. Buik, Betty Paul, John Leverage, Mary Blair, Mary Margaret (Reta) Hall,
(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.)

95th Birthday Greetings to Betty Marr on reaching this great age and **still** enjoying reading our bulletin every week!

Memory Lane. Last Sunday Fr Hugh Joseph Duffy SJ celebrated his first Mass here. He is now ministering in England. We keep him in our prayers

Welcome into the Church. This Sunday after the 11 o'clock Mass we welcome Teddy Anthony Robert McKeown into the Christian community. With his parents, Natalie and Ross, his godparents and family members to help him we pray that God will bless him as one of his children to grow up in the knowledge and love of the Lord.

***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 telehone: 07947 194252*

World Meeting of Families. Join us this Tuesday evening at 6.30 to pray the rosary using the Family Rosary booklet as we recite the five Sorrowful mysteries which are used on Tuesdays and Fridays.

Synod Matters Go to the website of the Archdiocese to access the Archdiocesan report and a photograph of our own Frankie McDonald handing over the report to Archbishop Nolan.

Finances Thanks to all who contribute to the parish upkeep. £1285 was taken up last Sunday (18/19th June) at the Masses.
Standing orders and other bank donations are also most gratefully received.
Thanks to those who take up the collection these days, men and women and people of different nationalities to reflect the universality (catholicity) of the Church.

Children's Liturgy This Sunday (26th) will be the last children's liturgy until the schools reopen after the summer holidays. Many thanks to all the catechists who have done a wonderful job. If anyone would like to help after the summer please contact Mary Mc Bride (882 5199) or Father Boyle.

The Service for the Anointing of the Sick is taking place this year on Sunday 21st August. Once again we need volunteer drivers to take some of the sick to and from the Service. There will be a sheet of paper on the notice board in the porch for the names of volunteers.

SOUTHSIDE FOODBANK You can give cash to the food-bank by texting glasgowswfb and the amount you wish to give to 70085. Other ways to help, or be helped, by the foodbank are on the notice in the porch.
Thank you

Jimmy Lynn celebrates 100 years. On Friday last, 24th June, we celebrated even though Jimmy did not make the Mass that morning. (Well if the queen can miss out on some of her big celebrations, so can Jimmy!) We had a birthday cake and tea in the porch of the church and it was another birthday boy at 81 years who stood in for Jimmy and cut the cake. Taking a good piece of the cake, the cards, the banners and a peace plant across the road to his house we were greeted graciously by the man himself. Just then the postie was delivering some more cards and the most helpful postie took the photos outside his house while Jimmy smiled kindly for us. His daughter, Tria, came along with card and balloons. The letter from the queen was retrieved which he proudly displayed and read again for the benefit of the photographer.

Jimmy is extra special not just because of his age but also because he continues to take part in Sunday Mass and often weekday Masses too, and has been doing so for 100 years.He was baptised in St Mary's in the east end of Glasgow educated by the Marist Brothers, one of whom, Br Walfrid, was founder Celtic Football Club in 1888.

Jimmy worked in Singers, Clydebank. During the war when two men in bowler hats came to ask why he was not called up for the war his bosses told them that he was invaluable. In 1967 Jimmy and some friends travelled to Lisbon for the feast of Corpus Christi. Well, the real reason was that the Bhoys were there to collect the European Cup, the first team in UK to do so, and Jimmy needed to be there.

As a parishioner of St Conval's, Jimmy became a founding member of the SVDP and its first secretary. He was a good friend of Peter McCann, councillor for Anderston, and later Lord Provost of Glasgow. Jimmy held important posts in the Knights of St Columba, Eastern Division

Jimmy married Yvonne McKelvie here on 23rd April 1973, Fr Joseph N. Burke officiating. Soon the family came along Mick, Brendan, John Paul and Trea-ann. Sadly Yvonne died about ten years ago. Jimmy now contents himself with getting across the road to daily Mass whenever he can, to thank God for his family and for all the love and blessings the Lord has brought to him over the years. Returning home he has breakfast and, if the day is good, he will sit out in the back garden and relax.

Jimmy's mother lived till she was 104. We hope Jimmy will have many more years to give glory and praise to God.