Church of Our Lady & St George

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Sunday 29 October 2017
30th Week of Ordinary Time—Mission Sunday

Mass Times: Sunday: Vigil 6.30pm; 9.30am; 11am
Monday –Saturday: 9.30am

How to Join the Catholic Church. Adults who would like to join our Church Community are most welcome to make this known. After the initial enquiry preparations begin and the time it takes depends on individual circumstances.

Church Opening: The church opens again this Monday and Tuesday from 8.30 am until 4 pm.

Morning Prayer of the Church is said at 9 am at the front of the church before the Blessed Sacrament. You are welcome to join us.

Novena to Our Lady of Perpetual Help: Monday 7pm

Availability of the priest. Fr Joe is generally available after Masses and at other times by arrangement.

Confession/Reconciliation: Most mornings before Mass from 9.10 am until 9.25 am.
Saturday evenings from 5.30 pm until 6.20 pm.

Baptism: By appointment with Parish Priest. Forms are available in the porch.
Marriage: Appointment with Parish Priest (6 months notice)
Sacrament of the Sick: Please receive this Sacrament if you know you are going into hospital, or if anyone you know has a serious illness.
Funerals: Please approach the Parish Priest in the event of bereavement.

Rosary is prayed every morning. Tuesday-Saturday after morning Mass.

Feast of All Saints. This Wednesday, 1st November, is the Feast of All Saints and is a holiday of obligation. Morning Mass is at the usual time of 9.30 and we also have an evening Mass at 7 pm. (There will also be Mass in St George's Primary School.)

Mass for those who have died in the parish this past year.
November 2nd is the Feast of All Souls and morning Mass will be offered for all included in the November Lists. Mass in the evening at 7 pm will be a Mass for those who have died this past year and is called **Life is Forever Mass.**

Baptisms Last Sunday we welcomed into the Church two cousins, Nieve Brogan McMahon and Caelan Andrew Leatham, and this week during the 11 am Mass we welcome Mitchell Ray McLeary. We pray for them and for their families that the Lord will fill them with his love and blessing.

Joining the Catholic Church. Adults who wish to become members of the Church and who have never been baptised in a recognised Christian Church are invited to join the Catechumenate. This is a period of time in which a person reflects on the reasons for seeking baptism and what it means to be a follower of Jesus Christ. During this time a catechumen (a person who is in the Catechumenate) is helped by a sponsor and by the Catholic community. The ceremony for joining the Catechumenate is to take place on Saturday 4th November at the 9.30 Mass. John Harper who is well known in the parish is to join and if there are any others who would like to join him they should make themselves known.
Anyone who has been baptised in another recognised Christian community may also mark the beginning of preparation for reception into full communion of the Catholic Church on this same occasion.

Annual Mass Census takes place next weekend,(4th/5th November)

Last week's collections. Thanks to all who contributed to the parish upkeep in our first collection which, back to normal, came to £1131 (including Gift Aid contributions). The second collection for Missio came to an astonishing £1657. The brown envelopes for parish renovation: £132. Standing order contributions have to be added to the above amounts.

GRAND CHRISTMAS RAFFLE

Tickets will be on sale every Sunday from 5th November After every Mass.
Donations for prizes will be gratefully accepted.
Draw will take place at the Christmas Fayre on 2nd December

"JACKET-IN" APPEAL"

Wintry weather is back again. So when you are looking for your winter woollies, give a thought for those who have none and instead of putting that old one back in, donate it to the SSVP, Coats, jackets, shirts, blouses, trousers, scarves, gloves and hats; put them in bags and leave in the Church Porch for uplift and delivery to the SSVP Drop-In Centre.

SOUTHSIDE. FOODBANK A request for TEA, COFFEE, SUGAR AND CEREAL this week. Please donate any one of these, or any other item of food or hygiene, if you can. THANK YOU

Italian Mass: for members and friends of the Scottish Italian community on Thursday 02 November at 7pm in St Andrew's Cathedral. Archbishop Tartaglia will be the main celebrant. All welcome. Reception in Eyre Hall, in the Archdiocesan Offices. Please email ItalianMass@rcag.org.uk or phone 226 5898 to book a place at Reception. Places reserved on first come, first served basis.

Pastoral Care Course: a programme for those who visit others in whatever capacilty. See poster in Porch.

Sandwood Tenants and Residents Association Meeting in the Church Hall on Wednesday 01 November at 6.30pm.

Mary's Meals Romania Once again we are trying to send the selection boxes to Targu-Mures in Transylvania for the children of Iona House, Hill Street and St John's Church. If you wish to help again this year we are looking for small £1 selection packs. If you wish to donate the money we will buy them on your behalf. We plan to send them no later than 12 December. Thank you for your help.

FAITH Come along to Glasgow Faith Forum's fortnightly series of talks: 02 November—Jesus Christ; 16 November–The Sacraments. All young people welcome. 7.30pm at Turnbull Hall, 13-15 Southpark Terr, G12 8LG.

Rock Meets Brass A Charity Concert for The Accord Hospice takes place on Friday 24 November at 7.30pm in the Methodist Church Halls, Gauze St, Paisley. The Gospel Rock Choir and the Johnstone Band guarantee a good night out for a good cause. For tickets see notice in porch or contact any SVP member in OLSG.

Bulletin Notices

Please note: All notices to be included in the Weekly Bulletin should carry a contact name and number on them or be on Bulletin Notice Sheets. (Available in link corridor) Thank you.

Sunday Café Rota

29 Oct, 9.30: C Campbell & MM Stevenson	11am: T Whoriskey & A Kerr
05 Nov, 9.30: AM Magennis	11am: C McLaughlin & G MacDougall
12 Nov, 9.30: M Gilfillan	11am: A Gallacher & A McRae
19 No, 9.30: L Graham & M Lorimer	11am: J McKinnon
26 Nov, 9.30: M McKelvie & G Maxwell	11am: F Clarke & H Campbell

Requiem Mass for the Faithful Departed:
St Conval's Cemetery Mass , Barrhead, on Sunday 05 November at 2pm.
St Peter's Cemetery, Dalbeth on Sunday 05 November at 3pm. Car parking entry by the Good Shepherd Gate. In the event of inclement weather Mass will be offered in St Joseph's Church, Tollcross.
At St Agnes' Church, Lambhill, on Sunday 05 November at 3pm. For those buried in ***St Kentigern's Cemetery***, Western Necropolis & Lambhill Cemeteries or whose final committal was at Glasgow Crematorium.

Memorial Mass for Brother Walfrid, Founder of Celtic FC, St Mary's Abercromby St, Calton. Mon 06 Novemberat 7pm.

AGAP Thursday 02 November, 1 & 7pm at St Mungo's Retreat House, Film "28 Days" Cert 15. To book: www.agap.org.uk. Tel: 552 5527
Inspire Evening: Live music, poetry, visual artists and more. To book: as above.

Prayer Intentions List for the Bulletin: A weekly sheet is available in the link corridor for us to print the names of those we wish to pray for. Please print clearly so the Bulletin Editors have the correct names in the relevant columns. Thank you.

Please pray for those who are sick at home or in hospital: Mary Mcleod; Mary Blacker; John Reilly; Margaret Peoples; Betty Hassan; Catherine Leverage; Angela Stirling; Sadie Reid; John O'Malley; Jo Maule; Betty McCreadie; Patsy Pollok; Marjorie McGhie; Margaret Miller; Joe Graham; Linda Fulton; Martin Carlin; Mary Moriarty; Eddie Gethins; Gladys Connelly; D Dickson; Margaret Smith (Hillington Park); Isaac Lindsay; Ella McGregor; Betty Turner.

For those who have died recently: Maureen Magennis; William Flannery; Helen Linden

For those whose Anniversaries occur about now: Jim McQuaker; Richard Heuchan (1st); Andrew Welsh; Tommy Watson (9 yrs); Joe Merson (9 yrs)

Birthday Remembrance: Donald Muirhead.

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