

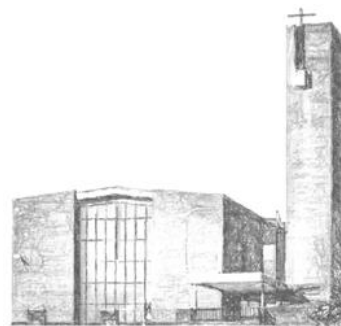
OUR LADY OF LOURDES CHURCH

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28th SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME 13th October 2024. Services for 13th – 20th Oct.

Monday	
9:25	Litany & Holy Rosary
10:00	Mass
Tuesday	
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10:00	Mass
Wednesday	
9:25	Litany & Holy Rosary
10:00	Mass
Thursday	
9:25	Litany & Holy Rosary
10:00	Mass
18.15 – 18.45	Confessions
19:00	Mass
Friday	
9:25	Litany & Holy Rosary
10:00	Mass
Saturday	
09.15 – 09.45	Confessions
10.00	Mass
16.15 – 16.45	Confessions
29 th SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME - YEAR B 20 th October 2024	
17:00	Vigil Mass of Sunday
Sunday	
09:00	Sunday Mass
11:00	Sunday Mass

COLLECTIONS & DONATIONS - THANK YOU

Offertory cash	£1,518
Votives	£173
Stall	£80
Gift Aid £320	£1,771
Digital	£35

THIS WEEK'S READINGS

1ST READING WISDOM 7:7-11

'I esteemed Wisdom more than sceptres or thrones'

PSALM 89

'Fill us with your love so that we may rejoice'

2ND READING HEB 4:12-13

'The word of God cuts more finely than a double edged sword'

GOSPEL READING- MARK 10:17-30

'Give everything you own to the poor, and follow me'

REFLECTION ON THE READINGS

An apparently perfect candidate for discipleship fails. Why? He has never broken a commandment, he is respectful toward Jesus. Is it fair that he's told to give away his wealth? Actually, he breaks all the rules about the call to discipleship, which always starts with Jesus' initiative: this man picks Jesus. Disciples follow Jesus; this one stops Jesus' journey, kneeling in front of him. Disciples make Jesus their top priority: this man's wealth is his priority.

PLEASE REMEMBER IN YOUR PRAYERS

RECENTLY DECEASED

Paul Mulvey, Mary Cassidy, Thomas Flannagan

Elizabeth Cunningham & Gina Gregori Diui

ANNIVERSARIES & BIRTHDAY

REMEMBRANCE

Robert Dunlop, Rose McGinness, Thomas Flannagan, James Kyle, Margaret Hannah, Robert McDermott & Susan Berry.

FUNERAL MASSES

Tuesday 22nd October - Paul Mulvey RIP

Thursday 24th October - Thomas Flannagan RIP

FUTURE EVENTS & SERVICES

FATIMA DEVOTIONS AT CARFIN:

A bus will leave at the Bus Stop across from the Church on 13th Oct at 6.40pm. To reserve a place, please add your name to the list on the notice board.

MISSION SUNDAY

Next Sunday 20th Oct - World Mission Sunday - we are called to be part of the Church's missionary efforts, supporting missionary priests, religious sisters and brothers, and lay catechists who provide loving service to those most in need. They play a crucial part in going and inviting everyone to the banquet. As Catholics around the world here at home and in the missions gather at the Eucharist around the table of the Lord, let us pray for the Church's missionary work and offer our financial support to Mission Scotland for our brothers and sisters throughout the world.

There will be a retiral collection after all Sunday masses.

ANNUAL PRO-LIFE ROSARY & TORCHLIGHT

PROCESSION

This will take place on Thursday 24th October. Pro Life Groups will gather in George Square, Glasgow, from 6 pm onwards. Rosary at 6.30 pm followed by a Torchlight Procession to St Andrew's Cathedral for Mass at 7.30 pm. Any queries, phone 01236 763 827.

A bus is leaving at 5.40pm at bus stop opposite church. If you wish to go add your name to list in the porch.

RACHEL'S VINEYARD RETREAT

A Rachel's Vineyard retreat for spiritual and emotional healing after abortion will be held north of Glasgow from 1st to 3rd November. This confidential, supportive retreat is powerful for anyone who has been affected by their own or someone else's abortion experience. For more information, please call/text Sr Andrea on 07816 942824 or email at sisterandrea@rachelvineyard.org.uk. For more details, see www.rachelvineyard.org.uk

APPROACHING A THEOLOGY OF THE BODY

A series of three, day conferences (27th Nov, 29th Jan, 26th Mar) examining the Church's teaching on human love, inspired by St John Paul II's 'theology of the body'. The conferences will reflect on John Paul's vision of the person as created for communion, on the nature of marital love, and on the formation of young people for authentic love, and will be led by Stefan and Ella Kaminski.

<https://christianheritagecentre.com/events/tob-clergy-days/>

RCIA- ABOUT BECOMING CATHOLIC

Four adults attended the "enquiry evening" on Tuesday past. Please keep them in your prayers. There is still time for anyone to come along to the meetings which will start on the last Monday of the month, 28th October at 7pm in the Chapel House.

FOODBANKS

There will be no Foodbank collection for October. Instead our next one will be the weekend of 2nd/3rd November followed by 7th/8th December.

OTHER NOTICES

OCTOBER DEVOTIONS

There will no SSVP rosary this week due to other commitments. We will resume on Tuesday 22nd October at 7pm.

SICK AND HOSPITALISED PARISHIONERS:

I am more than happy to visit sick parishioners at home or in hospital. Please inform me if that is the case. During prolonged stays in Hairmyres Hospital Fr. Colm Martin regularly visits the wards and is happy to call to see any patients. He can be contacted by email frmartin@rcdom.org.uk In an emergency situation please ask the ward staff to contact the on-call priest.

LOURDES PILGRIMAGE

Some of our parishioners with Fr Campbell and Deacon Bill depart on Monday morning on their pilgrimage to Lourdes, we wish them a safe journey and ask them to remember all of us in their prayers at the Grotto. Please see Fr Campbell and Deacon Bill if you have a petition for a prayer request.

DIGITAL SUNDAY OFFERING

To make things more flexible, the following QR Code or link takes you to a secure web page that can be used for your Sunday Offering.



Please note that not only can you donate your weekly donation online, there is also provision to give a donation for any special collections.

<https://donate.myдона.com/our-lady-of-lourdes-church>

Some parishioners may prefer this method. There is also the opportunity to register for Gift Aid or Gift Aid your offering, which are 100% anonymous. Only those who Gift Aid will have their details recorded. There is also the opportunity to include a short message.

ASSISTED DYING FOR TERMINALLY ILL ADULTS (SCOT)

It is important that we write to all our MSPs including both the Constituency MSP for East Kilbride, Collette Stevenson and the seven Regional MSPs. Your email to all of them only needs to be - "I live in the area that you represent at the Scottish Parliament and I wish you to vote against the proposed bill on Assisted Dying".

This QR code will take you directly to the MSP list based on the church's post code. There is a notice at the back of the church which shows the screenshot with the list of relevant MSPs.

