

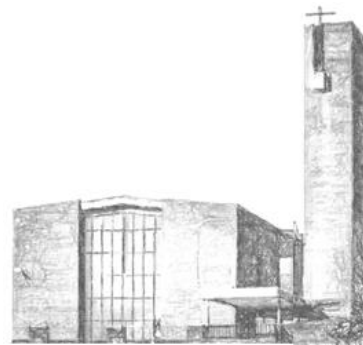
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29th SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME 20th October 2024. Services for 21th – 27th Oct.

Monday	
9:25	Litany & Holy Rosary
10:00	Mass
Tuesday	
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10:00	Requiem Mass for Paul Mulvey
Wednesday	
9:25	Litany & Holy Rosary
10:00	Mass
Thursday	
9:25	Litany & Holy Rosary
10:00	Requiem Mass for Thomas Flannagan
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
30 th SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME - YEAR B 27 th October 2024	
17:00	Vigil Mass of Sunday
Sunday	
09:00	Sunday Mass
11:00	Sunday Mass

COLLECTIONS & DONATIONS - THANK YOU

Offertory cash	£1,384
Votives	£167
Stall	£50
Gift Aid £300	£1,601
Digital	£82

THIS WEEK'S READINGS

ISA 53:10-11

If he offers his life in atonement, he shall see his heirs, he shall have a long life.

PS 32:4-5, 18-20. 22 R.22

May your love be upon us, O Lord, as we place all our hope in you.

HEB 4:14-16

Our high priest is one who has been tempted in every way that we are.

MARK 10:35-45

The Son of Man came to give his life as a ransom for many.

REFLECTION ON THE READINGS

Insensitivity and total lack of understanding! To ask Jesus for the best seats in the kingdom of heaven at any time is to misunderstand his teaching about taking up the cross and renouncing self as lying at the very heart of discipleship. To make the request when Jesus has just repeated his prediction that he, the Son of Man, is destined to suffer, die and rise again, is crass, and also a masterpiece of bad timing!

PLEASE REMEMBER IN YOUR PRAYERS

RECENTLY DECEASED John Docherty, Mary Hume, Madge Ferns, Mary Waddell & Jimmy Moore

ANNIVERSARIES Joan Malloy, George & Mary Taylor, Joe Cook

SICK Kathleen Long

MONTHS MIND Francis & Mary McWilliams, Teresa Woodside, Ann Little & Christina Samson

BIRTHDAY REMEMBRANCE

Charles Gallagher & Betty McInally

FUNERAL MASSES Tuesday 22nd October - Paul Mulvey

Thursday 24th October - Thomas Flannagan

WELCOME TO FR. DAVID BROWN THIS WEEK

We welcome and thank him for providing the Eucharist for us.

FUTURE EVENTS & SERVICES

WORLD MISSION SUNDAY 20TH OCTOBER

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. There will be a retiral collection after all Sunday masses.

ANNUAL PRO-LIFE ROSARY & TORCHLIGHT PROCESSION

Take's place Thursday 24th Oct. gathering in George Square, from 6 pm onwards. Rosary 6.30 pm then 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

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

RCIA- ABOUT BECOMING CATHOLIC

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.

OCTOBER DEVOTIONS

SSVP rosary will resume on Tuesday 22nd Oct at 7pm and every Tuesday throughout October.

NOVEMBER: THE MONTH OF THE HOLY SOULS

Traditionally throughout November, Catholics pray for our dead. November Lists and Envelops available in the porch at all Masses this weekend. If you wish to have your dead remembered at the Masses offered throughout the month then please fill them in and return to the Church.

WITH MARY, PILGRIMS OF HOPE

Motherwell Diocesan Pilgrimage to Lourdes for the Holy Year 2025 will depart from Prestwick Airport on 14th July for one week, on a charter flight with Joe Walsh Tours. All will be staying in the adjoining hotels Alba and Mediterranean on the River Gave.

Bishop Toal invites pilgrims new and old to join him in prayer for the Holy Year as we reflect on the role of Mary as disciple, woman and mother. Mary who gave hope to our world through her Yes to the angel. If interested please submit your name/s to frmaguiness@rcdom.org.uk indicating if you require assistance. Appeals for doctors and nurses, carers and helpers to assist with our pilgrims, please contact frmaguiness@rcdom.org.uk. Book online soon at www.joewalshstours.co.uk/pilgrimages/pilgrimage-destinations/lourdes or phone 0808 1890468.

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'. They 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, led by Stefan & Ella Kaminski.

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

MOTHERWELL CATHEDRAL YOUNG ADULT NIGHT SUNDAY 20TH OCTOBER 7.30-8.30PM

All young people aged S6 and above are warmly invited next Sunday Night 20th October from 7.30pm. We gather for a spiritual input followed by time for prayer before the Blessed Sacrament, and afterwards there's an option to gather for social time in a relaxed setting. Around 30 young people from across the diocese gather every month to form a very fun and welcoming community which also takes part in other events and pilgrimages. Why not come along and join them, you'll be made very welcome.

SICK AND HOSPITALISED PARISHIONERS:

Please inform me if wish me to visit sick parishioners at home or in hospital. 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

fmartin@rcdom.org.uk In an emergency situation please ask the ward staff to contact the on-call priest.

DIGITAL SUNDAY OFFERING

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.mydona.com/our-lady-of-lourdes-church>

There is also the opportunity to register for Gift Aid or Gift Aid your offering. 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 we email all our MSPs including both the Constituency MSP Collette Stevenson plus seven Regional MSPs. Your email - "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.

