

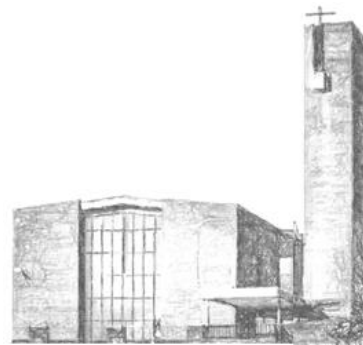
# OUR LADY OF LOURDES CHURCH

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## 32nd SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME - YEAR B 10<sup>th</sup> November 2024. Services for 10<sup>th</sup> – 17<sup>th</sup> Nov

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
33 <sup>rd</sup> SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME - YEAR B 17 <sup>th</sup> November 2024.	
17:00	Vigil Mass of Sunday
Sunday	
09:00	Sunday Mass
11:00	Sunday Mass

### COLLECTIONS & DONATIONS - THANK YOU

Offertory cash	£1,686
Votives	£250
Stall	£80
<b>Gift Aid £315</b>	<b>£2,016</b>
Digital	£143

### THIS WEEK'S READINGS

1 KGS 17:10-16

Jar of meal shall not be spent, jug of oil shall not be emptied.

PS 145:7-10 R.2

My soul, give praise to the Lord. Or Alleluia!

HEB 9:24-28

Christ, our high priest, has done away with sin by sacrificing himself.

MARK 12:38-44

This poor widow has put in more than all.

#### REFLECTION ON THE READINGS

Teaching in the Temple, Jesus notices two things. First, the wealthy make large donations to the Temple treasury, which consisted of 13 bronze trumpet shaped receptacles, so everyone heard the sound of large donations, and saw their donors! Jesus sees a poor widow putting in her last penny and contrasts her with those who put in what was surplus. Her generosity is amazing, but is Jesus drawing attention to a corrupt system which took her woman's last penny?

### **PLEASE REMEMBER IN YOUR PRAYERS**

#### RECENTLY DECEASED

John Hodge, Kathleen Teresa Murphy, Jacky Perritt, Kathleen Long, Betty Breslin, Desmond McCaffery, Patricia Berry, Mary Harvey, Margaret Anne Craig.

#### ANNIVERSARIES

Thomas Woods, Theresa Tennyson, John O'Rourke

#### BIRTHDAY REMEMBRANCE

John Russell

#### MONTHS MIND

Tommy, Annie, Thomas Flaherty, Betty Sweeney, Winnie Howarth

## FUTURE EVENTS & SERVICES

### AUTISM MASS

This will take place on Sunday 10<sup>th</sup> November at 2pm.

### WELLSPRING MEETING:

The rescheduled meeting takes place on Monday 18<sup>th</sup> November at 7pm in the Chapel House.

### NOVEMBER LISTS

Throughout this month, sometimes called 'The Month of the Holy Souls,' Throughout the month Mass is offered continuously for those whose names are written on the November Lists. November Lists and envelopes can be placed in the box, all of which can be found in the porch.

### ANNUAL MISSION APPEAL

The Xaverian Fathers will celebrate all the Masses here the weekend of 16<sup>th</sup>/17<sup>th</sup> November. Again, there will be a retiring collection.

### CEMETERY ROSARY

Today, Sunday, 10<sup>th</sup> November, at 3pm I invite you those with family interred at Philipshill Cemetery to join me for the Rosary praying for the repose of their souls. I appreciated it is a cold dank month and I assure you that the service will not last unduly long.

### THE NEW LECTIONARY:

The Books have arrived, and I invite all our readers to have a look at them. They are in the sacristy and their use will be mandatory from the first Sunday of Advent.

### FOODBANKS

Once again, such a marvellous response to this month's collection - five bags and £2310. Thank you so much for this and your ongoing dedication towards those in need. This month completes ten years that you have been supporting the Community Foodbank when in December 2014 we collected 18 bags.

All of the bags and £1200 went to Loaves & Fishes with the Community Foodbank receiving £1110.

Additionally, we have received a donation of £500 from EK Shamrock CSC via their annual 'football card'. This has also been passed on to the Community Foodbank. Many thanks to them for this generosity and thoughtfulness.

### RCIA- ABOUT BECOMING CATHOLIC

There is still time for anyone to come along to the meetings which will be held on every Monday at 7pm in the Chapel House.

### HOGMANAY FAMILY CEILIDH

The Parish will be hosting a family Ceilidh in the church hall on Tuesday 3<sup>rd</sup> December from 8pm-12.30am. Tickets are £5 for adults and kids go free. There will be games and raffles on the night as well as a hot pie. BYOB and snacks. Tickets on sale at the back of the church on the first Sunday of advent.

### EDUCATION SUNDAY- CATHOLIC EDUCATION WEEK / DIOCESAN EDUCATION MASS

Catholic Education Week will begin on Sunday 17<sup>th</sup> November. The theme for Catholic Education Week is Pilgrims for Hope, this being a message of hope, inspired by Romans 5:5, emphasising that hope does not disappoint because of God's love.

The Diocesan Education Mass will take place in the Cathedral on Monday 25<sup>th</sup> November at 7.00 pm.

A special collection for the Scottish Catholic Education Service (SCES) will be taken up on Sunday 17<sup>th</sup> November.

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### CENSUS SUNDAY:

Last week we had a head count of all Mass attenders. 632 people attended Church here which is in line with the census of recent year with the exception of 2023 where the figure was 802.

The estimated population of the parish is 5600 though with all the building I suspect it is much higher. The figure shows we have as lot of work to do.

### AID TO THE CHURCH IN NEED: #REDWEDNESDAY – 20TH NOVEMBER 2024

Your support over the years means that #RedWednesday is now a significant voice for persecuted Christians around the world. Aid to the Church in Need (ACN) is extremely grateful for your support.

This year's focus is on Christian children who are displaced and suffering due to targeted violence. In coming weeks, you will receive information about how your parish can get involved – so please watch for ACN's PARISH Red Alert envelope!

In the meantime, for more information and for a Parish Notice for you to use, visit Aid to the Church in Need | #RedWednesday: Break the Silence (acnuk.org) and select TOOLKIT Aid to the Church in Need | TOOLKIT (acnuk.org).

### NEWMAN SOCIETY

The Newman Association has organised a meeting at 7.30pm on Thursday 7<sup>th</sup> November 2024 in The Parish Hall, Immaculate Conception Church, 2049 Maryhill Road, Glasgow when Professor Mary McAleese will present a talk on Human Rights and Church Law. All are welcome.