

MASS and PRAYER REQUESTS

RECENTLY DECEASED : Peter Devlin

ANNIVERSARIES : Josephine and John O'Kane, Anthony and Grace Kelly, Hugh Meechan, Violet Fallone

MONTHS MIND :

SPECIAL INTENTIONS : Michael Mulheron, James Mulheron, Rab Waugh, Betty Thomson, Mitchell Crombie, John Rotchford

SUFFERING FROM BEREAVEMENT

Beginning Experience are holding a weekend for those who find themselves suffering bereavement through divorce, separation or widowhood. The weekend will take place from 29th September - 1st October 2023 at the Conforti Centre, Coatbridge.

If you wish to attend or for further details, contact: Louise on 07926 571004 or e-mail: lousep398@gmail.com

Completed Applications must be returned by 16th September 2023.

DAY OF REFLECTION AND PROFESSIONAL DEVELOPMENT

St. Mary's University (a Catholic University in Twickenham, London) and the Christian Medical Fellowship are holding a day of reflection and professional development on 2nd September in the Glasgow Archdiocesan offices.

The title of the event is: "Christians in health and social care: ethics and practice" and there will be a number of speakers covering topics such as freedom of conscience; caring for ourselves and our relationship with God; and our vocation to care.

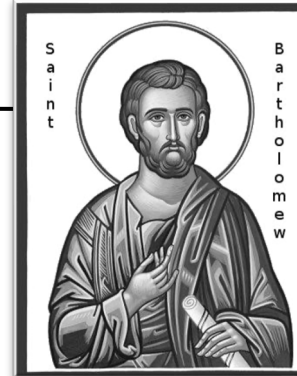
There is a small charge of £20, with lunch and refreshments included. For further details and to access the registration form, please see: <https://www.stmarys.ac.uk/events/2023/09/christians-health-and-social-care-glasgow>

LOURDES THEATRE GROUP PRODUCTION – The Wizard of Oz.

This will take place from 25th - 29th August in Eastwood Park Theatre, Rouken Glen Road, Giffnock, G46 6UG. For further details and to book tickets go to [Lourdes Theatre Group - The Wizard Of Oz - East Renfrewshire Culture & Leisure \(ercultureandleisure.org\)](http://www.lourdes-theatre.co.uk)

PSALM 84

LET US SEE, O LORD, YOUR MERCY
AND GIVE US YOUR SAVING HELP



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19th Sunday in Ordinary Time 13th August 2023

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Fr. Willie Hattie sx

Fr. Robert Sowa

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SUNDAY MASS

St. Bartholomew's
11:00am and 5pm

St. Margaret Mary's
6pm (vigil) and 10:00am

WEEKDAY MASS

St. Bartholomew's
9:30am, Mon / Wed / Fri

St. Margaret Mary's
10:00am, Tues / Thurs / Sat

FIRST READING : 1 Kings 19:9, 11-13

The Lord was not in the wind, or the earthquake, or the fire

RESPONSORIAL PSALM : Psalm 84

RESPONSE : Let us see, O Lord, your mercy and give us your saving help

SECOND READING: Romans 9 : 1-5

I would willingly be condemned if it could help my brothers

GOSPEL : Matthew 14 : 22 -33

Jesus walks on the water

Jesus made the disciples get into the boat and go on ahead to the other side while he would send the crowds away. After sending the crowds away he went up into the hills by himself to pray. When evening came, he was there alone, while the boat, by now far out on the lake, was battling with a heavy sea, for there was a head-wind. In the fourth watch of the night he went towards them, walking on the lake, and when the disciples saw him walking on the lake they were terrified. 'It is a ghost' they said, and cried out in fear. But at once Jesus called out to them, saying, 'Courage! It is I! Do not be afraid.' It was Peter who answered. 'Lord,' he said 'if it is you, tell me to come to you across the water.' 'Come' said Jesus. Then Peter got out of the boat and started walking towards Jesus across the water, but as soon as he felt the force of the wind, he took fright and began to sink. 'Lord! Save me!' he cried. Jesus put out his hand at once and held him. 'Man of little faith,' he said 'why did you doubt?' And as they got into the boat the wind dropped. The men in the boat bowed down before him and said, 'Truly, you are the Son of God.'

LAST WEEK'S MASS COLLECTIONS

1st Collection, £633.64

There will be a special collection for Assisted Parishes next weekend, Sunday 20th August – this will be the 2nd collection at all Masses.



THE ASSUMPTION



Tuesday 15th August is the **Solemnity of the Assumption**, and it is a **Holy Day of Obligation** when we are required to attend Mass.

There will be 2 Masses in each parish as follows:

St. Bartholomew's 9:30am and 7pm
St. Margaret Mary's 7pm (vigil) and 10:00am

40 HOURS

Next weekend, beginning Sunday 20th August, our annual **40 hours** adoration will take place over Sunday, Monday and Tuesday. Additional services as follows:

SUNDAY : Benediction, 4pm

MONDAY 7pm

TUESDAY 7pm

The Blessed Sacrament will be exposed as follows:

SUNDAY : At the end of our 11am Mass, ending before start of the 5pm evening Mass.

MONDAY : After our 9:30am Mass, until end of 7pm service

TUESDAY : 9:30am, until end of 7pm service

There is a sign-up sheet at the back of the church to enable you to commit to spending some time before The Blessed Sacrament and to ensure we always have someone in the church. Please add your name to a vacant slot.

40 HOURS ADORATION
OF THE BLESSED SACRAMENT

Sunday 20th August
Monday 21st August
Tuesday 22nd August

PARISH HALL – RE-OPENING SOON!

Message from Fr. Ian on Facebook:

Well, as promised a quick update on the hall repairs. The amazing workmen of McConnell should complete today their tasks which should leave us, pending "sign off" by the surveyor, with the beautiful task of cleaning the hall.

We are in the process of organising how best to do this, and in due time will post times and dates when volunteers can contribute to readying the hall for re-opening.

Announcements will be made at this weekend's masses and any further details and information will appear here on our facebook page. Thanks for your patience and continued support and an enormous THANKS to McConnell.

ANNUAL MASS FOR THE FEAST of the QUEENSHIP OF MARY

The annual mass for the Feast of the Queenship of Mary will take place on Tuesday 22nd August in St Gregory's, 136 Kelvindale Road, G20 8DP. There will be Rosary at 7pm, followed by Mass at 7.30pm. Tea will be served in the hall afterwards. All welcome.

SUPPORT GROUP FOR WOMAN AFFECTED BY SEPARATION and DIVORCE

Our next meeting for women affected by separation and divorce will take place on **Friday 1st September** in St Patrick's church hall, Dumbarton from 6.00pm to 8.00pm.

All new members are welcome to this confidential and peer support group. Please remember this group is peer led and confidential. We have a variety of ways that women can reach out before the meeting:

Twitter: @GAWomenSupport

Facebook: Faith Living (Archdioceses of Glasgow)

email: glasgowarchdiocesewomensgroup@gmail.com

PRO-LIFE MASS

The Glasgow monthly Pro-Life Mass will take place on Wednesday, 16th August at 7.30pm at Holy Cross, 113 Dixon Ave, G42 8ER. Adoration begins at 6.15pm. Tea in the hall afterwards – all welcome. The celebrant will be Fr Charles Coyle.

AGAP at the EDINBURGH FRINGE

AGAP Theatre's hit play "Oggie! Oggie! Oggie!" by Stephen Callaghan, based on the Confessions of St Augustine, will be performed at the Edinburgh Festival Fringe from 23rd-27th August at 6.20pm in C Venues Aurora Studio (Venue 6) at Laurieston Halls. Show info and link to ticket booking: www.oggieshow.co.uk or call 0131 581 5555. Tickets £10-12 (Concessions: £8-10) Under 16s: £6-8.