

OUR LADY OF LOURDES CHURCH

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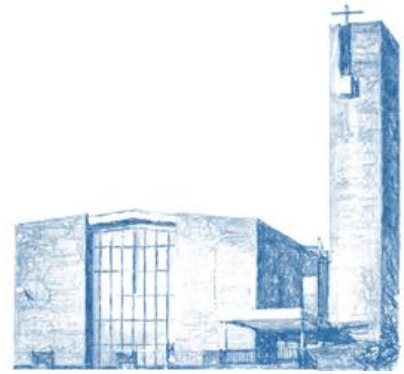
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29th SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME - YEAR C 15th and 16th October 2022

Mon	10:00	Devotions
Tue	10:00	Mass: Funeral of Michael Gray and Feast of St Luke the Evangelist
Wed	10:00	Mass
Thu	09:30	Mass: Funeral of Doreen Lavery (no 10:00 Mass)
	18:15 – 18:45	Confessions
	19:00	Mass
Fri	10:00	Mass
Sat	09:00 – 09:45	Exposition of the Blessed Sacrament
	09:15 – 09:45	Confessions
	10:00	Mass: Saint John Paul II, Pope
	16:15 – 16:45	Confessions

30th SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME - YEAR C 22nd and 23rd October 2022

	17:00	Vigil Mass of Sunday
Sun	09:00	Sunday Mass
	11:00	Sunday Mass

THIS WEEK'S READINGS

EXODUS 17:8-13

As long as Moses kept his arm raised, Israel had the advantage.

PSALM 120(121)

Our help is in the name of the Lord, who made heaven and earth.

2 TIMOTHY 3:14-4:2

The man who is dedicated to God becomes fully equipped and ready for any good work.

LUKE 18:1-8

The parable of the unjust judge

REFLECTION ON THE READINGS

This judge is a horrible, cynical figure, respecting neither God nor human, and can't be bothered to give this woman what she is entitled to. She was denied access to the law unless a male spoke for her. It seems no one told her that! If persistence can persuade a cynical judge to grant justice, how much can we expect God to address our needs? But, Jesus ponders, when the Son of Man comes, will he find any faith?

PLEASE REMEMBER IN YOUR PRAYERS

THE SICK

Winnie Crooks, John Fraser.

RECENTLY DECEASED

Liam Kirk, Bernadette Pugh, Adrian Higgins, Michael Gray, Margaret O'Neill, Peter Williamson, Andrew Montgomery, Doreen Lavery.

ANNIVERSARIES, MONTH'S MINDS, BIRTHDAY REMEMBRANCES

Annie McGrattan, Robert McDermott, Jimmy McAnsh and the McAnsh family, John McKay and the McKay family, Denise Crawford, Mary Lee, Margaret Hannah, Sean Gallagher, Ann Donoghue, Susan Berry, Tommy, Annie and Thomas Flaherty, Betty Sweeney, Winnie Howarth, Rosina McCabe, Agnes Hickey, Stephen Russell, Billy O'Donnell, Agnes and James McDonald, Teddy and Helen Hand.

COLLECTIONS & DONATIONS

Last Sunday's Offerings	£1,623
Votive Candles	£122
Stall	£175

Thank you

WEEKLY PRAYER GROUPS

NOVENA, ROSARY AND PRAYER FOR PRIESTS

Tuesday, Wednesday, and Friday before Mass at 09:25 and after Mass on a Saturday.

MOTHERS' PRAYER GROUP

Tuesday after Mass in the Oratory.

PRO-LIFE PRAYER GROUP

Wednesday in the Oratory after Mass.

PRAYER FOR PRIESTS & VOCATIONS

Friday at 13:30 in the Church, Stations of the Cross and Divine Mercy Chaplet.

SOCIETY OF ST VINCENT DE PAUL SOCIETY ROSARY

First Tuesday of the month at 19:00 in the Oratory.

All Welcome

NEXT CHILDREN'S MASS

Sunday 6th November at 11:00.

NEXT AUTISM FRIENDLY MASS

Sunday 13th November at 14:00.

NEXT WEEK'S READINGS

ECCLESIASTICUS 35:12-14, 16-19

The humble man's prayer pierces the clouds.

PSALM 33(34):2-3,17-19,23

This poor man called; the Lord has heard him.

2 TIMOTHY 4:6-8,16-18

All there is to come now is the crown of righteousness reserved for me.

LUKE 18:9-14

The tax collector, not the Pharisee, went home justified.

REGULAR EVENTS IN THE HALL

Tue	09:00	Knitting and Craft Group
	19:30	Bingo
Wed		Café after morning Mass
Thu	10:30	Mother and Toddler Group
	13:00	Friendship Group

All Welcome

ARCHBISHOP NOLAN

Archbishop Nolan will receive the pallium from the Papal Nuncio at a special Mass in St Andrew's Cathedral, Glasgow on 22nd October at midday. You are all invited to this.

WELCOME CHRISTOPHER IGWE

This weekend we extend a warm welcome to Christopher Igwe, a Motherwell Diocese seminarian at Oscott, who will be with us until January.

WELCOME BACK DEACON BILL

On Wednesday, we also welcome back Deacon Bill following his trip to see family in Australia. Fr Frank is very happy that Deacon Bill is returning and says he'll never let him go away again!

WORLD MISSION SUNDAY

Next weekend, at His Holiness Pope Francis' invitation, Catholics in parishes all over the world will be asked to contribute to a special collection for the Pontifical Mission Societies (PMS), his official charity for overseas missions. This year, the theme is "You shall be my witness." (Acts 1:8). The Church's sole mission is to bear witness to Christ. Missio Scotland, the Scottish branch of the PMS, aims to share with you some of the life-saving and life-giving work being undertaken by priests, sisters and laity in mission countries and territories throughout the world. Our missionary priests and religious live out their mission and support our brothers and sisters in faith throughout the world. Like them, you can help spread the Good News and play your part in the life of the universal Church by supporting Missio Scotland, so please give generously.

PRO LIFE ROSARY IN GEORGE SQUARE

Thursday 27th October at 18:30, followed by a torchlit procession to St Andrew's Cathedral for Mass at 19:30. Marking the 55th anniversary of the 1967 Abortion Act. It would be a wonderful witness for as many as possible to attend this vigil. Sign up for the bus on the sheet in the porch.

KILBRYDE HOSPICE

The hospice have planned several fundraising events in the hall here at Our Lady of Lourdes:

Halloween Quiz - Friday 28th October
19:30, £5.00 per person.

Bingo Night - Friday 11th November
19:30, £5.00 per person.

For any further information or to purchase tickets, please contact the Fundraising Team on 01355 202020 or email fundraising@kilbrydehospice.org.uk.