

OUR LADY OF LOURDES CHURCH

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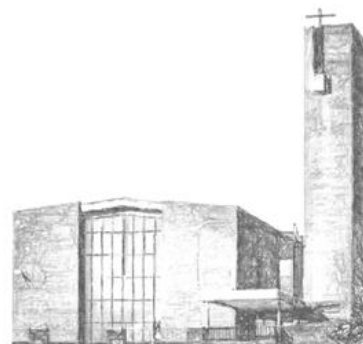
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22nd June 2025

CORPUS CHRISTI SUNDAY

SERVICES FOR 23rd – 29th June 2025

Monday

09:00	Mass
09:25	Litany & Holy Rosary

Tuesday

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10:00	Mass

Wednesday

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Thursday

18:00	Rite of Reception Sally Muldoon
18:15 – 18:45	Confessions
19:00	Mass

Friday

09:25	Litany & Holy Rosary
10:00	Funeral Mass for Sally Muldoon

Saturday

09:15 – 09:45	Confessions
10:00	Mass
16:15 – 16:45	Confessions

29th June 2025 Saints Peter and Paul, Apostles

17:00	Vigil Mass
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Sunday

09:00	Sunday Mass
11:00	Sunday Mass

COLLECTIONS & DONATIONS - THANK YOU

Offertory cash	£1243
Envelopes	£380
Votives	£175
Stall	£50
Day for Life	£380
Digital Weekly Collection	£134
Communications	£380

THIS WEEK'S READINGS

READING 1 GEN 14:18-20

He brought bread and wine.

PSALM PS 109:1-4 R.4

You are a priest for ever, a priest like Melchizedek of old.

READING 2 1 COR 11:23-26

Every time you eat this bread and drink this cup, you are proclaiming the Lord's death.

GOSPEL LUKE 9:11-17

They all ate as much as they wanted.

REFLECTION ON THE READINGS

The Feeding of the Five Thousand is the only miracle found in all four Gospels. There are minor variations in the accounts. In Year C we read Luke's version. Here, we are told that Jesus gave instruction for the people to be seated in parties of about fifty. Typically, Luke likes order! This arrangement however reminds us that the miracle is a foreshadowing of the Eucharist which we celebrate today, hopefully also in an ordered fashion!

PLEASE REMEMBER IN YOUR PRAYERS

FUNERAL ARRANGEMENTS:

6pm Thursday Rite of Reception Sally Muldoon RIP

Friday 10am Funeral Mass for Sally Muldoon

RIP

Michael McManus, Gerty Eagers, Annie Carnie

MM

Frank & Mary McWilliams, Teresa Woodside, Ann Little, Christina Samson, Anna Grieg Brawley

ANNIVERSARIES

John Mitchell Josephine Connelly Kathleen Croser, May & Jimmy Duddy, Michael McElhone.

NOTICES, FUTURE EVENTS & SERVICES

MESSAGE FROM BISHOP TOAL

I write to you today with a heavy heart. Mr Thomas Millar, former priest of the diocese, pled guilty on Wednesday 18th June 2025 at the High Court in Glasgow to non-recent sexual offences. He will remain in custody until sentencing in July. This is a deeply painful moment for all of us. Our thoughts and prayers are with those who have suffered as a result of these crimes. We recognise the profound courage it takes for survivors to come forward, and we hold them in our hearts with compassion and sorrow. The Diocese continues to work closely with the relevant authorities and remains unwavering in its commitment to ensuring the safety and wellbeing of all, especially the most vulnerable. Our Safeguarding Department remains available to support those affected. Please keep all those impacted in your prayers and let us support one another with grace and humility as we navigate this difficult time together.

Joseph Toal

MONDAY MORNING WEEKDAY MASS:

Please note, this will be at 9am to allow me to go to the funeral of Mrs. Gerty Eagers, mother of Fr. John Eagers.

50:50 CLUB:

We have had an amazing response to the 50:50 club. Of course, there is still time to join and forms are available in the porch. The first draw will take place towards the end of August.

DEFIBRILLATOR

I have been asked recently by a number of parishioners to install a defibrillator machine here in Our Lady of Lourdes. They have suggested that parishioners may wish to make donations for this to happen. If you wish to do so, please place your donation in an envelope clearly marked 'Defibrillator' and I will endeavour to install this life saving machine as soon as possible.

OUR LADY'S HIGH SCHOOL, MOTHERWELL

We are hosting a fundraising dinner on 22nd August in Dalziel Park, when we will celebrate the life and history of the Our Lady's community past and present. The evening will be hosted by Peter Martin and includes a 3-course meal, drink on arrival, auction, raffles, games and disco. Tickets are £50. Please gather your old friends together, bring all your family members associated with the school and join us for a fantastic evening celebrating our Alma mater. Tickets can be purchased via school, or email olhs150dinner@gmail.com. Bank transfers to sort code 800915. Account no. 00693485 Our Lady's High Parents Association We are also requesting donations of quality raffle/auction prizes please.

RETIRING COLLECTIONS

£380 was sent to both the Communications and the Day for life appeal. Thank you for your generosity.

PARISH FUN DAY:

Sunday 29th June following the 11am mass. Tickets £5 per family. Join us in the Hall for hot rolls, home baking and some wholesome family fun to start the summer holidays - bouncy castle, face painting, crafts, treasure hunts, caricatures, sponge Fr. Kenny .

Tickets available after mass.

SUNDAY 22ND JUNE – CORPUS CHRISTI PROCESSION – FROM ST TERESA'S NEWARTHILL TO CARFIN GROTTO.

All are invited to join the Diocesan Corpus Christi Procession, which will begin at St Teresa's, Newarthill at 3pm, and arrive at Carfin Grotto. A special invitation is extended to the children who have received their First Communion in recent weeks to take part.

JUBILEE OF PRIESTS – SOLEMNITY OF THE SACRED HEART OF JESUS, FRIDAY 27TH JUNE.

The people of the Diocese are invited to Mass at 1pm at St Francis Xavier's, Carfin, on the Jubilee of Priests. We keep the Solemnity of the Sacred Heart each year as the Day of Prayer for the Sanctification of Priests, so it is most appropriate that we celebrate it during the Jubilee and pray for the priests of Motherwell Diocese.

OUR LADY OF LOURDES CHURCH ROOF:

Last Monday a section of the roof was opened up by some specialists. This probe confirmed that the flat edges are saturated and water is only being held at bay by the original skin of the felt. The architect will soon make proposals as to the best means to proceed.

THE LATE PAT COOK

Pat's family are very grateful for the Mass cards and expressions of sympathy shown to them on the loss of their beloved mum/nana. Holy Mass will be offered for the intentions of all

KARATE CLUB (OUR LADY OF LOURDES HALL)

We have been established in the church hall for 7 years. The club is family orientated with parents and kids training together. Our class runs Saturdays 9.30 to 10.30 for all grades, beginners. If you are interested contact Paul Higgins on 07552 082227

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

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