

OUR LADY OF LOURDES CHURCH

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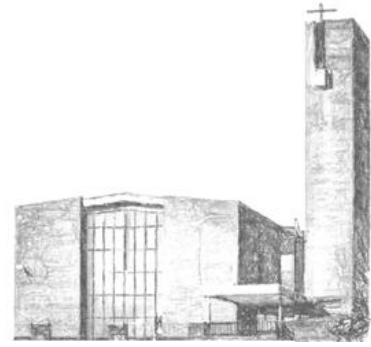
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7th June 2026

CORPUS CHRISTI

SERVICES FOR 8th – 14th June 2026

| Monday | |
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| 09:25 | Litany & Holy Rosary |
| 10:00 | Mass |
| 18:00 | Rite of Reception Mary Costello |
| Tuesday | |
| 09:25 | Litany & Holy Rosary |
| 10:00 | Funeral Mass of Mary Costello |
| Wednesday | |
| 09:25 | Litany & Holy Rosary |
| 10:00 | Mass |
| Thursday | |
| 09:25 | Litany & Holy Rosary |
| 10:00 | Funeral Mass of Helen Carlin |
| 18:15 – 18:45 | Confessions |
| 19:00 | Mass |
| Friday | |
| 09:25 | Litany & Holy Rosary |
| 10:00 | Mass |
| Saturday | |
| 10:00 | Litany & Holy Rosary |
| 9:15 – 9:45 | Confessions |
| 10:00 | Mass |
| 15:15 – 15:45 | Confessions |
| 16:00 | Vigil Mass |
| Sunday | |
| 09:00 | Sunday Mass |
| 11:00 | Sunday Mass |

SUMMER SCHEDULE

The Thursday evening Mass will stop after 11th June for the summer. There will be no confessions or 10am Mass on Saturdays throughout the month of July.

COLLECTIONS & DONATIONS - THANK YOU

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| Offertory cash | £1,275 |
| Envelopes | £350 |
| Digital Weekly Collection | £627 |
| Stall | £40 |
| Votives | £115 |
| Day by Day | £85 |

THIS WEEK'S READINGS

READING 1- DT 8:2-3, 14B-16

He fed you with manna, which you did not know, nor did your fathers know.

PSALM 147

O Jerusalem, glorify the Lord!

READING 2- 1 COR 10:16-17

Because there is one bread, we who are many are one body.

GOSPEL- JOHN 6:51-58

My flesh is true food, and my blood is true drink.

REFLECTION ON THE READINGS

His audience has problems understanding Jesus' words when he spoke of himself as 'the living bread come down from heaven', but he refuses to compromise. He insists that those who eat his flesh and drink his blood live in him, and he in them. In Hebrew, the word to 'say' is also the word to 'do', so when at the Last Supper Jesus says "this IS my Body/Blood, he meant his words to be taken literally.

PLEASE REMEMBER IN YOUR PRAYERS

RIP: Helen Carlin, Mary Costello, Joe Tait, Clare Lennon, Jemma Ross

ANNIVERSARIES: Mary Santangeli, Gerard Bradley, Len Mitchell, Teddy & Helen Hand

FUNERALS:

Mary Costello – Reception of Remains 6pm Monday 8th,
Funeral 10am Tuesday 9th

Helen Carlin – Funeral 10am Thursday 11th

NOTICES, FUTURE EVENTS & SERVICES

MASS FOR THE SICK

A huge vote of thanks to the SSVP for organising the Mass for the Sick on Saturday. It was heartening to see so many of our sick and housebound in Church.

AUTISM MASS

This quiet Mass with little movement or noise will be celebrated today at 2pm. It is perfect for neurodiverse individuals who find other celebrations overly challenging.

FOODBANK COLLECTION

The Foodbank Collection will be taken up this weekend.

OUR LADY OF LOURDES BUILDING FUND

There is a box in the porch for anyone wishing to contribute to the Building Fund. Taxpayers are asked to please use the envelopes and fill them in so we can claim an extra 25% form HMRC. Thank you to all who contributed last weekend – you raised £2,660

DAY TRIP TO MILLPORT

The Social Committee are looking to gauge interest on a day trip for parishioners to Millport on Saturday 22nd August. Itinerary includes; Bus leaving OLOL @ 9.30am to Largs, Ferry to Millport. Any parishioners interested in hiring bikes can cycle round the island (sponsorship for roof optional) or enjoy the shops, scenery and tearooms. Outdoor Mass (weather permitting) followed by Fish & Chip Tea before bus return to OLOL. Cost to be confirmed. If interested, please put your details on the poster at the back of the church.

PROPOSED ST BRIDE'S PARISH PILGRIMAGE TO PARIS, 5TH TO 9TH OCTOBER

Fr. Colm Martin is proposing a full spiritual and excursion programme walking in the footsteps of the French saints. Mass in Notre Dame Cathedral, Basilica of Sacré-Coeur, the Convent of the Miraculous Medal at the Rue du Bac. Bed and Breakfast with lunch provided in Paris each day. The overall cost is dependent on numbers and fluctuating flight prices. At the moment, it looks like being around £1100, which is very reasonable for Paris. A deposit is required of £550 to secure your place. There is a £234 single room supplement. To book, contact Anne Marie Cairns at Alba Tours on 01698 262941 or annemariecairns@yahoo.co.uk

SILVER JUBILEES

Two former parish priests of this Parish, Bishop Frank Dougan and Fr Stuart Parkes, are celebrating the twenty fifth anniversary of priestly ordination in the coming weeks. Both extend an invitation to all of you to join them at their celebrations. Details are as follows: The Silver Jubilee Mass for Bishop Frank Dougan, formerly of this Diocese, will take place in St Margaret's Cathedral, John Street, Ayr, on Friday 26th June at 7.00 pm. The Silver Jubilee Mass for Fr Stuart Parkes will take place at Sacred Heart Church in Bellshill on Monday 6th July at 7.00 pm.

THE SUMMER SING!

Join us on Tuesday evenings from 7:15–9:15, starting 16th June through July and August for easy, fun community choir

singing. All welcome — no experience needed, only enthusiasm for singing! The best thing? No performance! Just great music and company. See the poster at the hall door for details or come and speak to Michael the Organist! Kids aged 10+ attend free with a paying adult!

DAY FOR LIFE – SUNDAY 21ST JUNE

The theme for this year's Day for Life is "The Wonder of the Child in the Womb", seeking to emphasise the wonder of human life from the womb to its natural end (Magnifica Humanitas, as Pope Leo has so powerfully pronounced in recent days). The Message for the Day for Life will also acknowledge the grief of parents who have lost children before birth or in infancy. A special collection is taken up that day to support Care for Life groups and initiatives at national and diocesan level.

CHRISTMAS PANTOMIME

The Village Theatre. Jack and the Beanstalk. Friday night 18th December. £10.50 per person. A list will be on the notice board; please put name, number of tickets and telephone number. Tickets to be paid by 16th October.

FINANCE & GENERAL PURPOSES MEETING

This meeting will take place in St Bride's Centre in Motherwell on Wednesday 10th June at 7.00 pm, at which a wide range of financial issues affecting the Diocese and parishes will be discussed. This meeting will be of special interest to members of parish finance committees.

PARISH FINANCE COMMITTEE- CHURCH BUILDING FUND

Following from the recent presentation by the Parish Finance Committee, I am encouraged by the engagement, conversations and enthusiasm of the parish community to support the building fund as evidenced by the generosity of the monthly special collection. Over the coming weeks, the Parish Finance Committee will host a 'Contact Point' within the Church porch to answer questions regarding Gift Aid, 50:50 Club Membership, Direct Debit etc... Alternatively, you may email enquiries to OLOLEK1@hotmail.com

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, but there is also provision to give a donation for any special collections.

<https://donate.myдона.com/our-lady-of-lourdes-church>

You can also register for Gift Aid or Gift Aid your offering. Only those who Gift Aid will have their details recorded. You can also include a short message.