

OUR LADY OF LOURDES CHURCH

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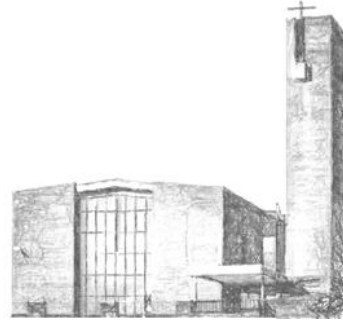
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11th October 2026

28th Sunday in Ordinary Time

SERVICES FOR 12th Oct –18th Oct 2026

Monday 12th October

09:25 Litany & Holy Rosary

10:00 Mass

Tuesday 13th October

09:25 Litany & Holy Rosary

10:00 Mass

Wednesday 14th October

09:25 Litany & Holy Rosary

10:00 Mass

Thursday 15th October

09:25 Litany & Holy Rosary

10:00 Mass

18:15 – 18:45 Confessions

19:00 Mass

Friday 16th October

09:25 Litany & Holy Rosary

10:00 Mass

Saturday 17th October

09:25 Litany & Holy Rosary

9:15 – 9:45 Confessions

10:00 Mass

15:15 – 15:45 Confessions

16:00 Vigil Mass

Sunday 18th October

09:00 Sunday Mass

11:00 Sunday Mass

COLLECTIONS & DONATIONS - THANK YOU

Offertory Cash	£1,460
Envelopes	£315
Digital Weekly Collection	£462
Stall	£120
Votives	£110
Building Fund	£1,890
Digital Building Fund	£77
Hall	£1,000
Fundraising	£1,685

THIS WEEK'S READINGS

READING 1 – ISAIAH 25:6-10A

PSALM 23(22)

READING 2 – PHILIPPIANS 4:12-14, 19-20

GOSPEL - MATTHEW 22:1-14

REFLECTION ON THE READINGS

Jesus again challenges the chief priests and elders. His parable of the wedding feast is about those invited but who ignore the invitation, or even maltreat and kill those who brought the invitation. The king who gave the feast next sent messengers to gather people from everywhere. There is however someone at the banquet who is not properly dressed and is thrown out. Invitations are freely given, but a proper response is required, effort needs to be made!

PLEASE REMEMBER IN YOUR PRAYERS

RIP: Caroline Boland, Caroline Kurdell, Cynthia Murphy, John Masterton

SICK: Paula Johnston, Mary Hodge, Nora Houston

ANNIVERSARIES: Stewart Milligan, Mary Milligan, Margaret Hannah, Joseph Canning, Bill & Therese Lavery, John McManus, Robert McDermott, Gerry Paul

NOTICES, FUTURE EVENTS & SERVICES

BUILDING FUND COLLECTION

A second collection will be taken up at the end of all Masses for The Building Fund this weekend.

INTERESTED IN BECOMING A CATHOLIC

We had three adults express an interest in learning more about joining our faith community. Please keep all three in your prayers. There is still time for anyone else to join up at this early stage. The next meeting takes place on Tuesday 13th October at 6.30pm

FATIMA DEVOTIONS

Fatima Devotions on 13th October. A bus will leave from bus stop opposite the church at 6.30 pm. If you wish to book a seat, please put name and mobile on the list on the notice board. The Rosary begins at 7.00 pm with Mass at 7.30pm.

MINISTERS OF HOLY COMMUNION

A good number of parishioners have agreed to serve as Ministers of Holy Communion. It is necessary for all of them to fill in a PVG application. I'd be grateful therefore if they could meet with Karen Fusi, parish Safeguarding Office on Monday November 2nd. Please bring two forms of ID – one photographic and one with your address.

SACRAMENTS 2027

Any parents who were not at the meeting last Saturday and who wish their child to make their First Holy Communion, please arrange to see me ASAP.

THE SACRAMENT OF CONFIRMATION

This year Bishop Toal will visit OLOL to administer the Sacrament of Confirmation on Thursday 5th November. In a change to previous years, children from both St Louise and OLOL Primary schools will be confirmed together.

ANNUAL PRO-LIFE TORCHLIGHT PROCESSION

Thursday 29th October 6pm, to pray for the unborn. Rosary at the Mercat Building Glasgow Cross (the very place where St John Ogilvie was martyred-whose 50th anniversary of canonisation we mark this October). Followed by Procession through the city centre. Mass at 7.30pm in St Andrew's Cathedral (main celebrant: Fr Ross Campbell). Bus leaving at bus stop opposite church at 5.15pm. If you wish to join us, please put name and mobile no. on list on the notice board. Any queries please phone 07932 121010.

NEWMAN ASSOCIATION

From Romero to Gaza: The Price of Living by Our Principles - A talk by Oliver McTernan: in the Parish Hall, Immaculate Conception Church, 2049 Maryhill Road, Glasgow, G20 0AA at 7 pm on Thursday 22nd October 2026. All welcome. Refreshments provided.

HCPT GROUP 76 FUNDRAISER

BOOGIE & BINGO Night in St Brides' Church Hall, Friday 6th November at 7pm. Tickets £15.

Not your usual Bingo night! Inspired by the fun and energy of Bongos Bingo, there will be six games of Bingo, Music, Dancing, Cash Prizes and a Party to finish the night. All money raised on the night will help pay the children's fares to Lourdes.

Any donations for a raffle would be greatly appreciated. Please contact Olivia on 07794 337612 for tickets or to donate for the raffle.

YOUNG CARITAS SCOTLAND

SCIAF is launching Young Caritas Scotland, a new movement for young adults who want to put their faith into action, meet likeminded people from the global church, and help build a better world. This movement is about making a real difference – about solidarity and community. A space to connect with young people across in Scotland and across the world and turn frustration into something hopeful. More information and details of how to join our movement can be found at www.sciaf.org.uk/youngcaritas

AMBROSIAN SOCIETY

The Annual Mass for the Ambrosian Society, the association of former students of the Royal Scots College in Spain, takes place this Tuesday, 13th October 2026 at 12:30 pm in Motherwell Cathedral. All welcome!

MISSION SUNDAY

Takes place on next weekend, Sunday 18th October and there will be a second collection over that weekend. This is an extremely important collection and I am sure you will support it as best you are able.

CHRISTMAS PANTOMIME

Monies are now due for those who requested tickets for the Panto.

DIOCESAN SAFEGUARDING

Bishop Toal has prepared a letter on the important subject of safeguarding. This can be read online on our Facebook page. Also, there are also a few hard copies available in the porch.

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.mydona.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.