

IT'S TIME TO GET BACK TO CHURCH

Do you go to the supermarket? Have you been to the pub or cinema? Why have you not come back to church? The TV cameras are a help to many but, if you're able, why not come? We are still missing 150 people from pre-covid attendance. Is that YOU? Isn't it time to come back...

FAITH IN ACTION

Do not use nuclear weapons. In this month's campaign Justice & Peace Scotland asks us to consider signing a petition created by a former Mayor of Hiroshima calling on leaders of nuclear armed states to declare immediately the non-use of nuclear weapons. J & P site.

Scotland's greenhouse emissions in 2020 were down 51% from 1990 levels and 12% from 2019 (possibly helped by lockdown) but our government needs to do more to reduce emissions from agriculture, transport & housing to meet targets; www.stopclimatechaosscotland.org.

Refugee Festival Scotland is a celebration of the food, music and poetry, art, dance, language and ideas that people bring with them when they settle in Scotland; a vast variety of free events, many local, is planned for Refugee Week, 20th to 26th June. www.scottishrefugeecouncil.org.

REFUGEE
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SCOTLAND



Saturday June 18th; St Barnabas

9am Funeral Mass Patricia Sheridan RIP
1pm Wedding; Eilidh Campbell & Tony Murphy
4.30 Confessions. 5.30 Vigil

Sunday June 12th Trinity Sunday

Masses at 9am, 11am & 5.30 Evening Mass
7pm Synod event in the Cathedral

Monday June 13th; St Anthony of Padua



10am Parish Mass

1pm School children to do gardening
6pm Tea & meeting for all Altar Servers

Tuesday June 14th

10am Parish Mass; 50th Wedding Anniversary of Joan & Laurie Keenan
6.30pm Fete Meeting (Church) 'sorting' (House)

Wednesday June 15th

10am Parish Mass; Kathleen McMonigle RIP
4pm Wedding Rehearsal

Thursday June 16th

10am Funeral Mass Catherine Knox RIP

Friday June 17th

10am Opening *Laudato Si* Garden (followed by tea in the hall)
12 noon Wedding of Conal Gormley & Laura Howard; Glasgow University Memorial Chapel
6pm fete set up church and hall

Saturday June 18th

1pm - 4.30pm **PARISH FETE & BAR-B-Q**
5.30 Vigil Mass (of feast of Corpus Christi)

THE IMMACULATE CONCEPTION. MARYHILL



THE IMMACULATE CONCEPTION Postal address 2049, Maryhill Road, Glasgow G20 0AA Tel 0141 946 2071 **Sunday Mass** 5.30 (Vigil) 9.00am, 11.00am & 5.30pm **Sacrament of Reconciliation** Saturday 4.30 - 5.00; on request **Email** immaculateconception@rcag.org.uk **Web** immaculateconception.org.uk **OSCAR** SCO 018140 **Hall bookings** Txt Iona Craig; **07598759551**
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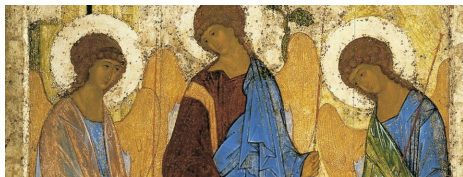
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TRINITY SUNDAY

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Reading I: Proverbs 8:22-31

Before the Earth came to be,
Wisdom was born

Responsorial Psalm 8

How great is your name, O Lord our God,
through all the earth.

Reading II: Romans 5:1-5

the love of God has been
poured into our hearts

Gospel: John 16:12-15

The Spirit will lead you into the Truth



"The God who has claimed us for himself is Father, Son and Holy Spirit; not just Father, not just Son, not just Spirit. God is God **FOR US** – Father. God is God **WITH US** – Son. God is **God IN US** – Spirit"

Darrell W. Johnson

FETE

ONLY ONE WEEK TO GO! Sat June 18th. No entry before 1pm - ends 4.30 **1.** Still short of volunteers for the Bar-B-Q. **2.** We do not have a face painter. **3.** There are a few spaces for volunteering - kiddies new toys & sweets; bouncy castle. **4.** Can you spread the flyers? **5.** All volunteers are invited to the church/hall on Friday 17th at 6pm to set up. **6.** Donations of home baking for the tea room will be gratefully received. **7.** Grateful for any further donations but **PLEASE** no later than Thursday evening. **8.** All volunteers - especially men to help with gazebos, tables etc. - are asked to be at the church/hall by 10am on Saturday 18th June (Lunch provided for everyone in chapel house).



First prize gives the winner the choice of either a signed, boxed, authenticated Celtic Football Club shirt **OR** the luxury prize hamper. 2nd prize is whatever is left after first draw. There are 6 runners-up prizes of quality spirits. £3 strip of 5 tickets; £5 for 2 strips. Have you bought tickets or can you sell some for us?



Fabric & Finance Team planned to regroup on June 22nd but another commitment has emerged that night (see below). We've lost the emails of those who expressed an interest. Can you get back in touch?



P6 & P7 from St Marys and St Blanes be here on Friday 17th as their COP26/

Laudato Si garden is formally by our MSP Bod Doris, with representatives of SCIAF and the donors who part-funded the project. There will be tea, coffee etc in the hall. Please note; no Mass on Friday.



Our Parish Team didn't feel the deanery report sent to the Archdiocese caught the strength of your comments & concerns. They have decided to send the parish report of the Immaculate Conception direct to Archbishop Nolan



MARYHILL PARISH CHURCH AND RUCHILL CHURCH (near Tesco) have been discerning their future together for sometime. They have now agreed to unite into a new congregation - Maryhill Ruchill Parish. A service of union will take place on June 22nd to which Fr Jim and some representatives of our congregation have been invited. We congratulate them on their courage and vision. We offer continued support and friendship, working together, and prayer for a successful new beginning.

YOUNG SERVERS young people, P4 + are invited to join. Chapel house June 13th 6pm for tea with Fr Jim (& duty adults!). Meeting & rehearsal in church. All welcome

ADULT SERVERS Its normal to have serving at Mass on Sunday & during the week. *Some adults have already come forward!* Please consider this ministry. We aim to have a get-together if enough come forward



WEBSITE will go live this week - we'll keep you posted on our other social media pages! We hope this will prove to be our biggest portal for people connecting with us

FUNERALS Catherine Knox RIP. Funeral Thursday 16th June; remember her husband David, sons David, Graham & family. The funeral of Patricia McKelvie RIP is scheduled for 23rd June.

CONGRATULATIONS to Laura Howard & Conal Gormley to marry at University Memorial Chapel this Friday. To Eilidh Campbell & Tony Murphy, married last weekend.

Every blessing on them all for the future!
FINANCE MATTERS Switch to Direct Debit, rather than the collection (Form in porch) Taxpayer? You can Gift Aid and we can reclaim on your donation (form in porch) Forgotten your number? Email us!

BREAKFAST CLUB Part of our community outreach, there'll be a breakfast club for everyone, hosted by St Gregory's in their Church hall, Mon & Fri for 6 weeks of the school holidays (4 weeks July, 2 August) Need volunteers even one day.

MEN'S BREAKFAST Next gathering - Tesco café 9am Saturday June 25th. If you didn't make it last time come & join the chat!

AWARD IN CATHOLIC THEOLOGICAL EDUCATION 6 parishioners already taken part in this. Anyone interested - see Fr Jim. Open evening at the archdiocese, Mon 20th June, 7pm (poster & leaflet)

GROUNDS MAINTENANCE Last year was £11k due to storm damage (£3.5k insurance) £1,600 this week; some neighbours complained about overhanging trees.



CONGRATULATIONS; 32 young people, Confirmed last week. We're indebted to HT & staff at St Marys & St Blanes. Thanks for the invaluable work of Laura Dieghan, Pauline Bradshaw & Frances Toner in keeping a strong parish-school-family partnership.



We only celebrate this 1st sacrament if there is a commitment to faith and you live in the parish. Come to Mass & introduce yourself. Collect a baptism form. It is also important that you chose godparents carefully. They must be over 16, baptised practising Catholics. (You may have baptised Christians as witnesses)

SICK & HOUSEBOUND

Anyone who would like a family member to receive Holy Communion, please complete the form at the back of the church and get it back to Fr Jim. Only 2 forms back so far

