



Saturday September 23rd

4.30 Confessions; 5.30 Vigil Mass

Sunday Sept 24th ~ 25th Ordinary Time (A)

9am Mass & 11am Mass

2pm Baptism of Oliver John Rankin

5.30 Sunday Evening Mass

Monday September 25th.

10am Parish Mass

10 - 11.30 Breakfast Club

Tuesday September 26th

10am Parish Mass adoration

11.30 - 3pm Tuesday Club

6.30 Wedding rehearsal (Moodiesburn)

7pm Final Tuscany Meeting (Hall)

Wednesday September 27th

Feast of St Vincent de Paul

10am Funeral Mass for Joan Fox

Thursday September 28th

10am Mass

Warm welcome for all (hall) 10.30 - 2.30

Adoration of Blessed Sacrament 10.30 - 2.30

Welcome SCIAF outreach team

Friday September 29th

He Archangels, Michael, Raphael & Gabriel



10am Parish Mass

Saturday September 30th

9.30 Men's Breakfast Viking Lounge)

10am Newman Association Inaugural Mass

1pm Wedding Erin Bunce & Josh McCreanor

Confessions; 5.30 Vigil Mass

Time for action on global hunger. Support SCIAF's campaign and call on the PM to fund food aid in drought stricken East Africa, reverse the decision to cut overseas aid, promote sustainable forms of agriculture across the world. www.campaign.sciaf.org.uk/demand-action-global-food-system.

Season of Creation. To aid participation during these weeks, great resources on eco-conversion, prophetic advocacy and lifestyles & eco-perspective of Sunday readings access easily; www.laudatosimovement.org/news/.



Challenge Poverty Week Oct 2nd to 7th, highlights the injustice of poverty in Scotland and shows collective action can create solutions, calling for action on fair funding for the 3rd sector; adequate incomes; food; housing transport; info

www.povertyalliance.org/cpw/#resources.

Seven days to find a new home; asylum seekers with recognition of their right to remain in the UK have just 7 days to move from their asylum support accommodation instead of previous 28 days; unreasonable, unfair unrealistic; www.scottishrefugeecouncil.org.uk.

Can you spare an hour in the week to collect food from M&S Anniesland for the Food Bank? Volunteers needed to pick up from M&S 9-9.30am every week day except Tuesday. Glad to hear if you can help on a regular basis or even ad hoc. 07702 103148



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PLEASE NOTE

Sacraments for children.

We need your registration form back this week - deadline of September 29th. (Apologies - Fr Jim got this wrong in the letter!) Drop into chapel house or school office.

SPRED second collection takes place this weekend, September 24th. This is not for our own group but for the SPRED main office. Leaflets in porch.

Parish Brochures Can you please keep moving these and help yourself to more as you leave. Visitors - please help yourself!



SEASON OF CREATION

SEPTEMBER 1- OCTOBER 4

All are welcome, none are judged
www.immaculateconception.org.uk
Sunday 25(A) Ordinary Time



THE IMMACULATE CONCEPTION

Postal address 2049, Maryhill Road, Glasgow G20 0AA **Tel** 0141 946 2071 **Sunday Mass** 5.30 (Vigil) 9.00a.m., 11.00am & 5.30pm **Sacrament of Reconciliation** Saturday 4.30 - 5.00; on request **Weekday Mass** Mon—Fri (only) 10am **Email** immaculateconception@rcag.org.uk

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LITURGY OF THE WORD Sunday 25 Ordinary Time (A)



Reading I: Isaiah 55:6-9

My thoughts are not your thoughts

Responsorial Psalm: 144

The Lord is close to all who call him

Reading II: Philippians 1:20-24, 27

Life to me is Christ - death would bring me even more.



Gospel: Matthew 20:1-16a

Why be envious because I am generous

JOIN US FOR A PARISH

RETREAT DAY

21st October

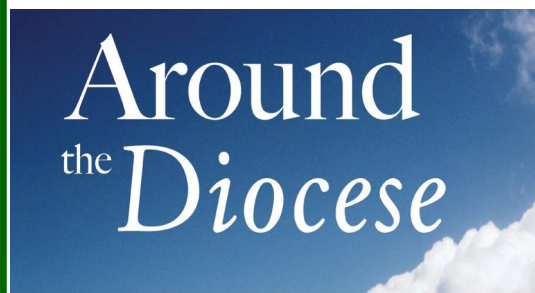
"BE STRONG IN
YOUR INNER SELVES"
EPHESIANS 3:16

Take a day for yourself to recharge and
deepen your relationship with God

Watch this space!

Beginning Experience 29th Sept to listen heal & accompany anyone on their own again through grief, separation, death or divorce. See poster
Newman Association: *Religiosity of Scotland's Sugar Aristocracy: Slavery, Faith, Diaspora, 1775-1838.* Talk by Dr Stephen Mullen (Hall) 7.30pm Thur 5th Oct 2023. All welcome. Refreshments provided.

Notre Dame College -Reunion marking 50th Anniversary of Graduation Sat Oct 7th, 2023 Turnbull Hall chaplaincy. Mass 12 noon, followed by finger-buffet upstairs at 1:00pm. Further info contact eileenkidd@icloud.com



Abba's Vineyard: Adoration on the feast of Our Lady of the Rosary. Sat 7th October, 5-9pm. For ages 18-35. 5pm Confessions, 5:30pm Vigil Mass, 6:30pm Dinner, 7:30pm Evening Service. Bl John Duns Scotus, 270 Ballater St, G5 OYT. Info @abbasvineyard, social media, or email: abbasvineyard@gmail.com.

BSL Sycamore Course for the Deaf: is a course about the Christian faith & its relevance today. Deaf Sycamore welcomes anyone Deaf & Hard of Hearing & friends. 4 Oct-15 Nov, Ogilvie Centre, St Aloysius, Garnethill 6.30 - 8.30 p.m.

Catholic Women affected by Divorce and Separation: Next meeting Fri 6th October, St Patrick's Hall, Dumbarton, 6pm to 8pm. Confidential peer led support group. Reach out on: Twitter: @GAWomenSupport, Facebook: Faith Living glasgowarchdiocesewomensgroup@gmail.com



Together We Make Maryhill (TWMM) partnership is now 21! What a blessing it's been to our congregations! We're exploring new initiatives (always happy to hear ideas!) & also looking for new funding avenues and donations (happy to hear suggestions!)

Season of Creation Sept 1st 'til Oct 4th. Pope Francis reminds us to be aware of those affected by climate changes & of our choices.

Season of Creation ends at the Immaculate Conception, Oct 4th, Feast of St Francis of Assisi, when we'll be joined for Mass with John Paul Academy new First Year pupils.

Climate justice banner highlighting climate justice is on Maryhill Rd & in the bulletin!

Wedding congratulations to Kathryn Blain and Michael Reilly who married here at the Immaculate Conception on Friday. Every blessing for the future.

Baptisms Welcome to Oliver John Rankin, baptised into Christ today. Congratulations to all the family.

Funerals Pray for Joan Fox RIP (funeral 27th Sept) and for the comfort of her family. For Gatis Rackis RIP, buried last week.

Newman Association Mass next Saturday at 10am (followed by tea) to inaugurate the next session of the Newman Association. Everyone welcome

Gaelic Mass at St Mirin's Cathedral, Paisley Sun 15 Oct at 5.00pm with Reverend Canon James MacNeil. This is part of the Royal National Mod, in Paisley this year. Gur math a thèid leibh/Wishing every success to any of our parishioners competing at the Mod. Mass followed by tea in the hall. Fàilte romhaibh uile/All are welcome.

Bins & Squirrels! our bins are damaged & constant littering by squirrels & birds. Please ensure all bins are sealed until we replace
Planning new session. All groups and agen-

cies are asked to start thinking now about your events and dates for next years calendar. We need to get all of ti collated and ready for print by the end of October.

RCIA Last week 4 young men (18+) came to start RCIA and the journey into the church. It is never too late to join - think about it and take the step towards Jesus. Speak to us!
Tuscan Meeting scheduled for 26th September Fr Jim has a diary clash and cant be there so need a few folk to help make the tea etc. Travel agent will be here with all the last final details.



Emerald lunch club - an afternoon with an Irish flavour. The Emerald Lunch Club is a community project for

seniors. As well as lunch, we will have live entertainment including Irish Traditional Music, Singing & Dancing. Tuesday October 3rd, 12pm - 3pm, Immaculate Conception Church Hall, 2049 Maryhill Rd., Maryhill Lunch soup, sandwiches, sausage rolls plus Tea & coffee/cakes (£3) - places booked by calling Evin on 07866 453708 or Jackie at Tuesday club All Welcome!

Hall business. (1) We asked Iona to increase hall bookings and she has done that. To be clear, Iona does not manage the hall. Any problems or issues should come - at first to Fr Jim. (2) We now engage a professional cleaning company for the hall. This is cheaper than having a hall cleaner and also means the hall is cleaned after every let—even late at night! Thanks to Chrissy Clean - Duncan and Chris! (3) The Tuesday Club got a grant of over £2K to make improvements to the kitchen. Watch this space (4) The hall is a space for all so all groups are asked to ensure the kitchen, loos & open spaces are tidy and clean for the next users.



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