

St. Mary's RC Church

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Parish Bulletin: 20 August 2023 20TH SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME (Year A (I); Psalter: Week 4)

| Date | Details | Liturgies | Time |
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| Saturday 19 August / Sunday 20 August | 20 TH SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME | Sacrament of Confession Saturday Vigil Mass Sunday Morning Mass | 5.00 pm 6.00 pm 11.30 am |
| Monday 21 August | St. Pius X, Pope | Holy Mass | 10.00 am |
| Tuesday 22 August | Our Lady, Mother and Queen | Holy Mass | 10.00 am |
| Wednesday 23 August | St. Rose of Lima, Virgin Mass Intention: Peggy Walker (Health & Intentions) | Exposition & Confession Holy Rosary Holy Mass | 9.00 am 9.30 am 10.00 am |
| Thursday 24 August | St. Bartholomew, Apostle (Feast) | Holy Mass | 10.00 am |
| Friday 25 August | Friday of Week 20 in Ordinary Time Mass Intention: Donor's Intention | Exposition & Confession Chaplet of Divine Mercy Holy Mass | 9.00 am 9.45 am 10.00 am |
| Saturday 26 August / Sunday 27 August | 21 ST SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME | Sacrament of Confession Saturday Vigil Mass Sunday Morning Mass | 5.00 pm 6.00 pm 11.30 am |

NEWS

A warm St. Mary's welcome to our visitors! – Toilet facilities are available in our hall (entrance around the back). Why not join us there for tea/coffee and good company after Sunday Mass?!

TODAY: Children's Liturgy Returns! – Now that the Summer holidays have concluded.. our Children's Sunday Liturgy resumes! Please do spread the word, and encourage your child(ren) to get involved!

Saturday 2 September at 11.30am: Highland Deanery Pilgrimage, with Mass, at the parish of St. Peter & St. Boniface, in Cathedral Square, Fortrose. Principal Celebrant: Bishop Hugh Gilbert OSB. Come along and support this Deanery initiative!

Saturday 9 September: Morning of Renewal for Readers and Extraordinary Ministers of Holy Communion (EMHCs) – this event is for ALL Readers (Vigil and Sunday morning), and ALL EMHCs. PLEASE do try and attend this event, if you can; it is being organised for *your* benefit! **The day begins at 10.00am, and concludes at 1.00pm**, with a half-hour coffee & comfort break.

Monday 25 September-Sunday 8 October: The Shroud of Turin Exhibition! – at St. Mary's Cathedral, Aberdeen. A full-size replica of the Shroud is coming to our Cathedral! There will also be Group Guided Tours organised, together with screenings of 'The Silent Witness', and Q&A. If anyone would like to attend, as a group, let Fr. Domenico know ASAP.

Men's Rosary Group – this group will begin next month, in the church, **every Thursday at 6.00am, from 7 September onwards**. If you would like to take part, simply come along. Ladies: if you would like to begin a similar group, please do feel free!!

'90 Club': Draw Next Week, on Sunday 27 August! – Would you like to be a winner too? Speak to Elaine for further details.

PARISH FINANCES

13/14 August: £ 568.00

Thank you for your support of the parish!

FOR YOUR PRAYERS

Sick: Dorothy Ahern, Bruce Lamont, Ann Stewart, Pat Usher, Roger Cooper, Austin Birks, Siobhan, Freddie Brown, Christina, Peggy Walker

RIP: Mary Toal, Leo Cabrelli

Anniversaries: Jimmy MacDermott (22 August 1994), Jeanette MacDougall (23 August 2020), Annie Hay (24 August 1991), Roseanne Mary Gray (24 August 1986), Mavis Gensler (24 August 2022), Anne Lightbody (25 August 1991), Patrick Dolan (25 August 1973), Allan McNeil (25 August 1925), Agnes Hollywood (26 August 1994)