

St. Mary's RC Church

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Parish Bulletin: 10 September 2023 23RD SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME (Year A (I); Psalter: Week 3)

Date	Details	Liturgies	Time
Saturday 9 September / Sunday 10 September	23 RD SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME	Sacrament of Confession Saturday Vigil Mass Sunday Morning Mass	5.00 pm 6.00 pm 11.30 am
Monday 11 September	Monday of Week 23 in Ordinary Time	Holy Mass	10.00 am
Tuesday 12 September	Tuesday of Week 23 in Ordinary Time	Holy Mass	10.00 am
Wednesday 13 September	St. John Chrysostom, Bishop, Doctor of the Church	Holy Mass	10.00 am
Thursday 14 September	The Exaltation of the Holy Cross (Feast) * Reception into the church of Peggy Walker, RIP *	Holy Mass Liturgy of Reception	10.00 am 4.00 pm
Friday 15 September	* Funeral Mass of Peggy Walker, RIP *	Holy Mass	12.30 pm
Saturday 16 September / Sunday 17 September	24 TH 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?!

Children's Liturgy takes place every Sunday – please do spread the word, and encourage your child(ren) to get involved!

Saturday 16 September: Mary's Meals Open Day in Inverness – Mary's Meals provides school meals to over 2.4 million children in some of the world's poorest communities. We warmly invite you to attend the charity's Open Day in Inverness from 1.30-3.30pm on Saturday 16 September, at the Spectrum Centre, 1B Margaret Street IV1 1LS. Join us to hear updates on the impact of the work of Mary's Meals from our local Supporter Engagement Officer, meet our volunteers and browse our stalls, featuring home-baking, crafts, bric-a-brac and a raffle. To book your free place, please visit their website at: <https://marysmealsinverness.eventbrite.co.uk> or contact Sue Dalton: sueatharlosh@gmail.com, or telephone: 01470 521570.

Parish Craft Group – A new group, focusing on arts and crafts, will meet together every Wednesday, **beginning 20 September at 7.00pm**. Why not come along, and learn a new hobby, or develop and improve your skills?! Everyone welcome.

The Shroud of Turin Exhibition – at St. Mary's Cathedral, Aberdeen. Fr. Domenico is organising a group to visit the exhibition on **Monday 2 October**, via car sharing. If anyone would like to attend, please let Fr. Domenico know ASAP.

Men's Rosary Group – the group meets in the church, **on Thursday mornings at 6.00am**.

'90 Club' – Next Draw takes place on **Sunday 24 September!** Would you like to join in, too? Speak to Elaine for details.

PARISH FINANCES

02/03 September: £ 624.00

Special Collection for Sick & Retired Priests: £ 302.00

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

RIP: Violet Dolan, Peggy Walker

Anniversaries: Gertrude Stuart (12 September 2002)