

# St. Mary's RC Church

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## Parish Bulletin: 8 October 2023 27<sup>TH</sup> SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME (Year A (I); Psalter: Week 3)

Date	Details	Liturgies	Time
Saturday 7 October / Sunday 8 October	27 <sup>TH</sup> SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME	Sacrament of Confession Saturday Vigil Mass Sunday Morning Mass	5.00 pm 6.00 pm 11.30 am
Monday 9 October	Monday of Week 27 in Ordinary Time	Holy Mass	10.00 am
Tuesday 10 October	Tuesday of Week 27 in Ordinary Time	Holy Mass	10.00 am
Wednesday 11 October	St. John XXIII, Pope Mass Intention: Sophia Buenaventura, RIP (Recently Departed)	Exposition & Confession Holy Rosary Holy Mass	9.00 am 9.30 am 10.00 am
Thursday 12 October	Thursday of Week 27 in Ordinary Time	Holy Mass	10.00 am
Friday 13 October	Friday of Week 27 in Ordinary Time	Exposition & Confession Chaplet of Divine Mercy Holy Mass	9.00 am 9.45 am 10.00 am
Saturday 14 October / Sunday 15 October	28 <sup>TH</sup> SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME  * Reception into the church of Blanca Douglas, RIP *	Sacrament of Confession Saturday Vigil Mass Sunday Morning Mass  Liturgy of Reception	5.00 pm 6.00 pm 11.30 am  4.00 pm

### 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!

**Wednesday 11 October at 7.00pm: Parish Pastoral Council Meeting** – any last minute AOCB items to Fr. Domenico, please.

**'Power of Grace' Retreat with the Dominican Sisters, at St. Michael's Centre in Tomintoul for S2-S3 Students** – this retreat take place on **3-5 November**. With outdoor activities, fun games, the opportunities to make new friends from around the diocese, music and prayer, and much more! For more information, or to register, please contact Sr. Bernadette Marie at: [op@rcda.scot](mailto:op@rcda.scot)

**Church & Hall Rotas** – the new rotas are now available, and on the notice-board. Please check them if you are involved in any roles.

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

**Craft and Arts Group** – the next meeting of the group is on **Thursday 12 October at 7.00pm** in the hall. All welcome.

**St. Columba's Culloden: Prize Bingo returns!** – on **Friday 3 November & Friday 1 December**. Eyes down at 7.00pm. All welcome!

**Saturday 2 December: St. Mary's Christmas Fayre in the British Legion, 10am-12 noon** – a date for your diaries! Raffle prizes and bottles can be handed in from now on to the hall, after Sunday Mass. Baking nearer the time will be most welcome, as will volunteers to assist 'on the day'. Many thanks.

**St. Mary's 90 Club** – Would you like to join in the fun, too? Three good prizes every month! Please speak to Elaine for details.

### PARISH FINANCES

30 September / 1 October: £ 693.00

Thank you for your support of the parish.

### FOR YOUR PRAYERS

**Sick:** Dorothy Ahern, Bruce Lamont, Ann Stewart, Pat Usher, Austin Birks, Siobhan, Freddie Brown, Christina  
**RIP:** John Hourston, Alexandra ('Minnie') Donald, Blanca Douglas, Roger Cooper, Sophia Buenaventura