

# St. Mary's RC Church

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## Parish Bulletin: 26 November 2023 CHRIST THE UNIVERSAL KING (Year A (I); Psalter: Week 2)

Date	Details	Liturgies	Time
Saturday 25 November / Sunday 26 November	CHRIST THE UNIVERSAL KING	Sacrament of Confession Saturday Vigil Mass Sunday Morning Mass	5.00 pm 6.00 pm 11.30 am
Monday 27 November	Monday of Week 34 in Ordinary Time	Holy Mass	10.00 am
Tuesday 28 November	Tuesday of Week 34 in Ordinary Time	Holy Mass	10.00 am
Wednesday 29 November	Wednesday of Week 34 in Ordinary Time	Exposition & Confession Holy Rosary Holy Mass	9.00 am 9.30 am 10.00 am
Thursday 30 November	SOLEMNITY OF ST. ANDREW, APOSTLE	Holy Mass	10.00 am
Friday 1 December	Friday of Week 34 in Ordinary Time Mass Intention: Walter Wilson, RIP (First Anniversary Tomorrow)	Exposition & Confession Chaplet of Divine Mercy Holy Mass	9.00 am 9.45 am 10.00 am
Saturday 2 December / Sunday 3 December	FIRST SUNDAY OF ADVENT (YEAR B)	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?!

**Highland Foodbank Reverse Advent Calendar** – can you help those in need this Christmas? The Highland Foodbank is organising parcels for Christmas. If you would like to help them, please consider donating the items listed each day on the posters and handouts.

**Advent Reflections:** each Wednesday evening during Advent, the Priests of the Deanery have arranged the following reflections:

**Wednesday 06 December** (St. Nicholas) – St. Ninian's Inverness – Fr. Justin Edathil

**Wednesday 13 December** (St. Lucy, Virgin & Martyr) – St. Mary's Beaully – Fr. Dominic Nwaigwe

**Wednesday 20 December** – St. Columba's Culloden – Fr. Andrzej Niski

6.00pm-6.45pm Exposition of the Blessed Sacrament, & opportunity for the Sacrament of Confession

6.45pm-7.05pm Advent Reflection, followed by Night Prayer, Benediction and Reposition of the Blessed Sacrament

**Piety Stall** – Christmas cards are on sale at the back of the church. If you wish to order a Nativity crib, please speak to Emily, who can order one for you, directly from our supplier's catalogue.

**Saturday 2 December: St. Mary's Christmas Fayre in the British Legion, 10.00am-12.00 noon** – a date for your diaries! Raffle prizes and bottles can be handed in to the hall. Baking nearer the time will be welcome, as will volunteers to assist 'on the day'. Many thanks. **Christmas Fayre Volunteers** – we would appreciate your help, in any way! Please sign up on the noticeboard. Thank you!

**Saturday 2 December, St. Columba's Children's Christmas Party, 2.00pm-4.00pm** – A date for your diaries! Santa has been notified, and has promised us that he will come to visit St. Columba's! Please note, Mums: Selection Boxes wrapped up! There will be music, games, surprises, and more! Please spread the word, to ensure that as many children as possible come along and join in the fun!!

**St. Mary's 90 Club: Next Draw on Sunday 24 December!** – This is our grand Christmas Draw, with serious prize money! Good luck to all who have a ticket. Would you like to have a chance to win, too? Please speak to Fr. Domenico.

### FOR YOUR PRAYERS

**Sick:** Dorothy Ahern, Bruce Lamont, Ann Stewart, Austin Birks, Siobhan, Freddie Brown, Christina, Ann Mackinnon

**Anniversaries:** Margaret Robertson (28 November 1992), Julia McNally (30 November 1994), Neil McNeil (30 November 1920), Walter Wilson (2 December 2022)