

St. Mary's RC Church, Nairn

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Parish Bulletin: 6 November 2022 32nd Sunday in Ordinary Time (Year C (II); Psalter: Week 4)

Date	Details	Liturgies	Time
Saturday 5 November / Sunday 6 November	32 nd Sunday in Ordinary Time Collection: Parish Development Fund	Sacrament of Reconciliation Saturday Vigil Mass Sunday Morning Mass	5.00 pm 6.00 pm 11.30 am
Monday 7 November	Monday of Week 32 in Ordinary Time Mass Intention: James McDonnell, RIP (Recently Departed)	Holy Hour Holy Mass	9.00 am 10.00 am
Wednesday 9 November	Feast of the Dedication of the Lateran Basilica Mass Intention: Margaret McGonigle, RIP (Recently Departed)	Exposition of the Blessed Sacrament Rosary Holy Mass	9.00 am 9.30 am 10.00 am
Friday 11 November	St. Martin of Tours, Bishop Mass Intention: Graham Bushnell-Wye, RIP (Recently Departed)	Exposition of the Blessed Sacrament Divine Mercy Holy Mass	9.00 am 9.45 am 10.00 am
Saturday 12 November / Sunday 13 November	33 rd Sunday in Ordinary Time ✠ REMEMBRANCE SUNDAY ✠ Second Collection: Royal British Legion Poppy Appeal	Sacrament of Reconciliation Saturday Vigil Mass Sunday Morning Mass	5.00 pm 6.00 pm 11.30 am

NEWS

CATHOLICISM – Wednesday 9 November, from 7.00pm – “A Vast Company Of Witnesses: The Communion Of Saints”. The story of the Church is told in the examples of those men and women who dedicated their lives to knowing and serving Jesus Christ. The Catholic Faith is made visible in real human lives. Bishop Barron gives consideration to some of the Church's greatest heroes, and demonstrates how their extraordinary examples display both the passion and creative potential of the Catholic Church. Highlighting Katharine Drexel, Therese of Lisieux, Edith Stein, and Mother Teresa of Calcutta, Bishop Barron tells the story of the Church as a vast company of witness who are called by Christ to be a Communion of Saints.

Remembrance Sunday: Next week, 13 November – this is a day for the nation to remember and honour those who have sacrificed themselves to secure and protect our freedom. A Second Collection will be taken for the Royal British Legion Poppy Appeal.

St. Mary's Christmas Fayre: Saturday 3 December – a lot of organisation has already taken place for this event, to produce what will undoubtedly be a very enjoyable day! Our parish Christmas Fayre takes place in the British Legion, from 10.00am until 12 noon. There will be stalls, tombola, good raffle prizes, and SANTA himself has promised to make an appearance! **Admission: £3 per Adult** (including tea, coffee..); **£1 per child**, which includes a visit to Santa, as well as a little gift from him! **Can you offer your time and talent to assist with selling our produce?** The more helpers the better! **We require the following: a selection of home bakes, especially buttered scones and pancakes (covered, and with a list of ingredients); we also need jams, chutneys, plants, lots of bottles, and raffle prizes (chocolates, biscuits, Christmas puddings and mince pies..).** Please hold on to items for the moment, and bring them to the hall some 2 weeks or so before the Fayre, so that they can be priced and/or put into hampers. Many thanks.

Looking forward: Christmas Mass Times at St. Mary's:

Christmas Vigil (Sat 24 December): 6.00 pm

Mass of Christmas Day (Sunday 25 December): 11.30 am

PARISH FINANCES

Sunday Collection, 29/30 October 2022: £ 604.00

FOR YOUR PRAYERS

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

RIP: Edith Grant, Patsy Brander, John McCaul, Fr. Stanley Bennie, Margaret Maureen McGonigle, Graham Bushnell-Wye

Anniversaries: Mary Wilson (5 November 2021), Mary Cooper (6 November 1998), Christina McMillan (8 November 1974), Charlotte Googhall (10 November 1988), Jane Coffield (12 November 1994), Mary Ann Macdonald (12 November 1925)