

St. Mary's RC Church

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Parish Bulletin: 5 May 2024 SIXTH SUNDAY OF EASTER (Year B (II); Psalter: Week 2)

Date	Details	Liturgies	Time
Saturday 4 May / Sunday 5 May	SIXTH SUNDAY OF EASTER	Confession / Saturday Vigil Mass Sunday Morning Mass	5 pm / 6 pm 11.30 am
Monday 6 May	Monday of Week 6 of Eastertide	Holy Mass	10.00 am
Tuesday 7 May	Tuesday of Week 6 of Eastertide	Holy Mass	10.00 am
Wednesday 8 May	Wednesday of Week 6 of Eastertide Mass Intention: 'Private Intention'	Exposition & Confession Holy Rosary Holy Mass	9.00 am 9.30 am 10.00 am
Thursday 9 May	SOLEMNITY OF THE ASCENSION	Holy Mass	10.00 am
Friday 10 May	Friday of Week 6 of Eastertide Mass Intention: Rosemary Foulkes, RIP (Recently Departed)	Exposition & Confession Chaplet of Divine Mercy Holy Mass	9.00 am 9.45 am 10.00 am
Saturday 11 May / Sunday 12 May	SEVENTH SUNDAY OF EASTER Special Collection: Communications Sunday	Confession / Saturday Vigil Mass Sunday Morning Mass	5 pm / 6 pm 11.30 am

NEWS

A warm welcome to our visitors! Toilets are available in the entrance foyer. Join us for tea/coffee & cake after Sunday Mass!

For Sale: 'St. Columba's Map of Iona' – this is a full-colour fine art print, produced by local artist Chloe Furze, for sale at our Piety Stall. Proceeds go to the parish, as part of our fundraising project to assist with the ongoing renovations works in the church and sacristy. The print is on special offer, for the **reduced price of £20.00**.

Men's Rosary Group returns: every Thursday morning, from 6.00am to 6.45am.

Friday 10 May: Parish Fundraiser Quiz Night at the Dunbar Golf Club, from 7.30pm – All welcome! A fun evening for family, friends, and supporters! £5 per person; maximum of six people per team. Please spread the word. Donations for raffle welcomed.

Saturday 11 May: Day for Parish Readers – at the Church of Our Lady of the Immaculate Conception, Stratherrick (IV2 6UL). The day begins at 10.00am for 10.30am start, and ends at approx. 3.30pm. To register interest, phone St. Mary's, on: 01463 233519.

'Genesis to Jesus' Bible Study course offered at St. Mary's Inverness. Meetings will take place in the Marian Room (32 Huntly Street), **beginning 21 May, from 7.00pm to 9.00pm**, and continuing for the next SIX Tuesday evenings. Presenter: Mr. David Edwards.

Tuesday 21 May–Thursday 23 May: Pluscarden Pentecost Lectures – these will take place in St. Scholastica's Guesthouse, at Pluscarden Abbey. This year's lecturer will be Dr Linden Bicket from the Edinburgh University School of Divinity. She will give four lectures on the theme of Scottish Catholic Literature and the 'transfiguration of the commonplace'. The talks are as follows: Tues 21 May at 3.00pm: **Faithful Fictions: what is Catholic Literature?**; Wed 22 May at 10.30am: **George and Ann Scott-Moncrieff**; Wed 22 May at 3.00pm: **George Friel and Muriel Spark**; Thurs 23 May at 10.30am: **George Mackay Brown**.

90 Club: April Winners! – First Prize: Bridget Gordon; Second Prize: Merina McBride; Third Prize: Mags Smith. Congratulations to all our winners! Next Draw on Sunday 26 May. Would you like to join in? Only £30/year. Please see Elaine De Ste. Croix for details.

PARISH FINANCES

Parish Collection for 27/28 April: £ 646.00

Musical Evening Fundraiser: £ 456.00

FOR YOUR PRAYERS

Sick: Dorothy Ahern, Bruce Lamont, Ann Stewart, Austin Birks, Siobhan, Freddie Brown, Shirley Mackay, Moyra Wilson, Alan Mackenzie

RIP: David Brown, Rosemary Foulkes

Anniversaries: Cameron McIntosh (11 May 2006)