

St. Mary's RC Church

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Parish Bulletin: 19 January 2025 **SECOND SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME (Year C (I); Psalter: Week 2)**

Date	Details	Liturgies	Time
Saturday 18 January / Sunday 19 January	SECOND SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME	Confession / Saturday Vigil Mass Sunday Morning Mass	5 pm / 6 pm 11.30 am
Monday 20 January	Monday of Week 2 in Ordinary Time	Holy Mass	10.00 am
Tuesday 21 January	St. Agnes, Virgin, Martyr	Holy Mass	10.00 am
Wednesday 22 January	Wednesday of Week 2 in Ordinary Time	Holy Mass	10.00 am
Thursday 23 January	Thursday of Week 2 in Ordinary Time	Holy Mass	10.00 am
Friday 24 January	St. Francis de Sales, Bishop, Doctor Mass Intention: 'Private Intention'	Adoration & Sacrament of Confession Chaplet of Divine Mercy Holy Mass	9.00 am 9.45 am 10.00 am
Saturday 25 January / Sunday 26 January	THIRD SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME (SUNDAY OF THE WORD OF GOD)	Confession / Saturday Vigil Mass Sunday Morning Mass	5 pm / 6 pm 11.30 am

NEWS

Welcome to our visitors! Next to the church is our hall (entrance at the back of the building). There is a toilet available, and we also have live transmission of Mass, via our TV screen. After Mass, we gather in the hall for **FREE** tea/coffee and cakes. Everyone welcome! Why not join us?!

New to the Parish? Please introduce yourself to Fr. Domenico, and fill in a Parish Register Form (on the table, at the back of the church).

The Inverness Justice & Peace Group will begin meeting again on Monday 3rd February – the group will meet on the first Monday from 7:30-8:30 in the parish room at St. Columba's in Culloden. For the first meeting, Anne-Marie Clements from the National Office of Justice & Peace will lead the discussion and help to plan future topics. All welcome! For more information, contact Jill Kent at: jill.kent@justiceandpeacescotland.org.uk

First Holy Communion June 2025: Children of P3 age or above are invited to prepare for the sacraments of Reconciliation and First Holy Communion. Please speak to Bridget Gordon or Maria McPherson for further information.

2 New Bible Studies for the New Year! – Join other members of the Diocese of Aberdeen in a 6-week Zoom study on either the wonder of the **Mass** (Thursdays at 7pm, starting 23 January) or the **Virgin Mary** (Wednesdays at 7pm, starting 15 January). Register at <https://ogilvie.rcda.scot/events/> or email Sr. Mary Gianna at ogilvie@rcda.scot

Friday 11 April: St. Mary's Fashion Show! – This will take place in the Nairn Community Centre, in aid of the parish building & repair fund. With models on the catwalk, wine and nibbles, and a raffle with great prizes. Bar also available 'on the night'. More details to follow.

90 Club: 2025 fees now due – £30 for the year. Fees can be handed in anytime from next Sunday onwards. Please place in an envelope with your name and contact phone number. Thank you!

PARISH FINANCES

Parish Collection for 11/12 January: £ 594.00

SPUC White Flower Appeal: £ 320.00

FOR YOUR PRAYERS

Sick: Dorothy Ahern, Bruce Lamont, Ann Stewart, Austin Birks, Siobhan, Freddie Brown, Shirley Mackay, Fr. Peter Kelly, Hannah Davies, Giuseppe Balistreri, George Thompson, June MacKenzie, Irene Butt, Anna Mackintosh-Walker, Rosy Stuart

RIP: Liam Finnerty, Katherine Ferrier

Anniversaries: George Pirie (19 January 2020), Catherine Ellis (20 January 2003), Norma Cameron (20 January 1964), Roy McNeil (23 January 2005)