

# St. Mary's RC Church

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## Parish Bulletin: 1 June 2025 Seventh Sunday of Easter (Year C (I); Psalter: Week 3)

Date	Details	Liturgies	Time
Saturday 31 May / Sunday 1 June	7 <sup>TH</sup> SUNDAY OF EASTER Special Collection: Annual Missio Appeal	Confession / Saturday Vigil Mass Sunday Morning Mass	5 pm / 6 pm 11.30 am
Monday 2 June	Monday of Week 7 of Easter	Holy Mass	10.00 am
Tuesday 3 June	St. Charles Lwanga and Companions, Martyrs	Holy Mass	10.00 am
Wednesday 4 June	Wednesday of Week 7 of Easter	Adoration and Confession Holy Rosary Holy Mass	9.00 am 9.30am 10.00 am
Thursday 5 June	St. Boniface, Bishop, Martyr	Holy Mass	10.00 am
Friday 6 June	Friday of Week 7 of Easter	Adoration and Confession Chaplet of Divine Mercy Holy Mass	9.00 am 9.45am 10.00 am
Saturday 7 June / Sunday 8 June	SOLEMNITY OF PENTECOST Special Collection: Communications Sunday	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!

**Welcome to Fr. Bernard!** – Fr. Bernard Fox MHM is making the Annual Missio Appeal on behalf of the Mill Hill Missionaries.

**Monday 2 June at 7.30pm: Justice and Peace** – The Justice & Peace Group will be meeting again on Monday 2nd June at St. Columba's at 7.30pm. Everyone is warmly welcome. For anyone who was unable to attend last month's meeting, and did not see the film entitled 'The Letter', you can watch it here: <https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=Rps9bs85BII>

**Men's Rosary Group:** meets every Thursday morning, at 6.00am onwards. All men welcome!

**Sunday 8 June at 4.00pm: Annual Scalan Mass in the Braes of Glenlivet.** The site will be open for an hour before and after the Mass. The postcode for Scalan is AB37 9JS, which leads to Chapeltown of Glenlivet. All are welcome!

**Sunday 8 June at 7.00pm: Ecumenical Evening of Music at the Old Parish Church** – this event, organised by one of our parishioners, Thomas Ward, promises to be a popular and highly entertaining evening, involving musicians from a number of different churches and denominations. The evening is completely FREE, although any donations offered will go towards Nairn Schools' Breakfast Clubs, as well as our own church repairs. Our sincere thanks to everyone involved in this evening.

**10-12 June: Pluscarden Pentecost Lectures 2025** – this year the lectures will be delivered by Professor Tracey Rowland, an eminent theologian and academic who has published ten books and over 150 articles, many of which have focused on the theology of Joseph Ratzinger. Professor Rowland will be talking about **"Trinitarian Anthropology: What Does it Mean for all of Creation to be Marked by the Form of the Trinity?"** The four talks are FREE, and take place in St. Scholastica's Retreat House, at the bottom of the main drive of Pluscarden Abbey, at the following times: Tuesday 10 June at 3.00pm; Wednesday 11 June at 10.30am, and at 3.00pm; Thursday 12 June at 10.30am.

**90 Club: May Winners!** – First Prize: Evelyn Hunter; Second Prize: Elaine de Ste. Croix; Third Prize: Sharon Moffat. Next Draw: Sunday 29 June. Would you like to take part, too?! Please speak to Elaine for details.

### PARISH FINANCES

24/25 May 2025: £ 687.00

SCIAF 2025: Special Collection: £ 257; Wee Boxes: £ 883; Total Cash: £1,140; plus.. an additional £100 via Gift Aid

### FOR YOUR PRAYERS

**Sick:** Dorothy Ahern, Bruce Lamont, Ann Stewart, Austin Birks, Siobhan, Freddie Brown, Shirley Mackay, Hannah Davies, Giuseppe Balistreri, George Thompson, Irene Butt, Marena McBride, Rosalie Stuart

**RIP:** Tony McNeil, Christopher Egbon

**Anniversaries:** Neil Joseph Cullen (2 June 1987), James McBreasty (7 June 1962)