St. Mary's RC Church

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Exaltation of the Holy Cross (Year C (I); Psalter: Week 4)

Date	Details	Liturgies	Time
Saturday 13 September / Sunday 14 September	THE EXALTATION OF THE HOLY CROSS	Confession / Saturday Vigil Mass Sunday Morning Mass	5 pm / 6 pm 11.30 am
Monday 15 September	Our Lady of Sorrows	Holy Mass	10.00 am
Tuesday 16 September	St. Ninian, Bishop (Feast)	Holy Mass	10.00 am
Wednesday 17 September	St. Hildegard of Bingen, Virgin, Doctor Mass Intention: 'Private Intention'	Exposition & Confession Holy Rosary Holy Mass	9.00 am 9.30 am 10.00 am
Thursday 18 September	Thursday of Week 24 in Ordinary Time	Holy Mass	10.00 am
Friday 19 September	Friday of Week 24 in Ordinary Time	Mass	10.00 am
Saturday 20 September / Sunday 21 September	25 TH SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME	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!

15-16 September: Relics of St. Carlo Acutis in our Diocese! – The relics of our newest saint will be visiting St. Mary's Catholic Cathedral in Aberdeen. They will be welcomed into the Cathedral at 6.00pm on Monday, and will thereafter be available for adoration.

This Tuesday, 16 September – Feast of Saint Ninian: to mark the Feast of this Scottish saint, there will be a talk on the life and legacy of Saint Ninian, and his connection to Nairn. The talk, which begins at 7.00pm, will be given by Eric Hanna. who writes and publishes on Scotland's Saints in the magazine 'St Moluag's Coracle'. The half-hour talk in the hall will be followed by the litany of Saint Ninian, in the church, and will end with Vespers by 8.45pm. All welcome.

Monday 22 September at 7.00pm: Parish Christmas Fair Meeting – this is for all people involved in the organisation and running of the Parish Christmas Fair.

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

90 Club: Next Draw on 28 September. Would you like to take part, and have the chance of being a winner? Please speak to Elaine!

PARISH FINANCES

6 / 7 September 2025: £ 722.00

Bank Statement, as of 29 August 2025: £ 98,934.01

FOR YOUR PRAYERS

Sick: Dorothy Ahern, Bruce Lamont, Ann Stewart, Siobhan, Freddie Brown, Shirley Mackay, Giuseppe Balistreri, Andrzej Ochmanski, Carmel Mackenzie

RIP: Marena McBride, Helen Porter, Cathy Fenwick

Anniversaries: Dolce Maria Speir (18 September 2005), Helen Mackenzie (19 September 2002), Alexander MacKellaig (19 September 1004)

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