

St. Mary's RC Church

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Parish Bulletin: 12 October 2025 28th Sunday in Ordinary Time (Year C (I); Psalter: Week 4)

Date	Details	Liturgies	Time
Saturday 11 October / Sunday 12 October	28 TH SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME	Confession / Saturday Vigil Mass Sunday Morning Mass	5 pm / 6 pm 11.30 am
Monday 13 October	Monday of week 28 in Ordinary Time	Holy Mass	10.00 am
Tuesday 14 October	Tuesday of week 28 in Ordinary Time	Holy Mass	10.00 am
Wednesday 15 October	St. Teresa of Ávila, Virgin, Doctor	Exposition & Confession Holy Rosary Holy Mass	9.00 am 9.30 am 10.00 am
Thursday 16 October	Thursday of week 28 in Ordinary Time	Holy Mass	10.00 am
Friday 17 October	St. Ignatius of Antioch, Bishop, Martyr	Exposition & Confession Chaplet of Divine Mercy Holy Mass	9.00 am 9.45 am 10.00 am
Saturday 18 October / Sunday 19 October	29 TH SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME Mission Sunday Second Collection for Missio Scotland	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!

‘What We Believe: The Beauty of the Catholic Faith’ – This 10-part course, based on videos filmed in the very heart of Catholicism – the Eternal City of Rome – helps us to understand our faith in a deeper and more beautiful way. The first meeting is in our parish hall on **Monday 13 October at 7.00pm**. All welcome!

Saturday 22 November: Parish Christmas Fayre 2025 – if anyone wishes to donate raffle prizes and bottles for the stall, could you please hand them in to the hall before or after Mass, or speak to Julie (raffle prizes) or Garry (bottle stall). Raffle tickets are on sale; see Mary Collier. Thank you.

Christmas Lunch at ‘The Classroom’, Friday 12 December – please study the menu options on the noticeboard, and indicate your choices accordingly on the supplied sheet at the back of the church, or contact Marie Cruickshank directly, on: 07879 295610.

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

90 Club: Next Draw on Sunday 26 October. Would you like to take part, and have the chance of being a winner? Speak to Elaine!

For Your Information.. Pilgrimages in 2026 – the following two pilgrimages are being organised by Fr. Domenico:

- RC Diocese of Aberdeen official pilgrimage to Lourdes – **provisional** date: 17-24 July 2026. Details to follow.
 - ‘Reconquista Spain – a pilgrimage to Seville, Cordoba, & Granada’. Date: 3-10 October 2026.
- If interested, please contact Sally at Spirit Journeys Worldwide; tel. 01463 240467, or e-mail: sally@sjtravelcentre.com.

PARISH FINANCES

Sunday Collection on 5 October 2025: £ 640.00

Bank Statement, as of 29 September 2025: £ 96,390.56

FOR YOUR PRAYERS

Sick: Dorothy Ahern, Bruce Lamont, Ann Stewart, Siobhan, Freddie Brown, Shirley Mackay, Giuseppe Balistreri, Andrzej Ochmanski
RIP: Cathy Fenwick, Carmel Mackenzie, Helen Porter
Anniversaries: John Welsh (15 October 1988), John McNally (16 October 1998)