# St. Mary's RC Church

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Parish Bulletin: 5 October 2025 27<sup>th</sup> Sunday in Ordinary Time (Year C (I); Psalter: Week 3)

Date	Details	Liturgies	Time
Saturday 4 October /	27 <sup>TH</sup> SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME	Confession / Saturday Vigil Mass	5 pm / 6 pm
Sunday 5 October		<b>Sunday Morning Mass</b>	11.30 am
	Monday of week 27 in Ordinary Time		
Monday 6 October		Holy Mass	10.00 am
Tuesday 7 October	Our Lady of the Rosary	Holy Mass	10.00 am
	Wednesday of week 27 in Ordinary Time	Exposition & Confession	9.00 am
Wednesday 8 October	Mass Intention: 'Private Intention'	Holy Rosary	9.30 am
		Holy Mass	10.00 am
Thursday 9 October	St. John Henry Newman, Priest	Holy Mass	10.00 am
	Friday of week 27 in Ordinary Time	Exposition & Confession	9.00 am
Friday 10 October	Mass Intention: Bridget & Ralph May, RIP	Chaplet of Divine Mercy	9.45 am
	(Anniversary)	Holy Mass	10.00 am
Saturday 11 October /	28 <sup>TH</sup> SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME	Confession / Saturday Vigil Mass	5 pm / 6 pm
Sunday 12 October		Sunday Morning Mass	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!

**Bishop Robert Barron,** What Christians Believe: Understanding the Nicene Creed – copies of this new book, written to mark the 1700<sup>th</sup> Anniversary of the Council of Nicaea, have been ordered from the United States, and are available at our Piety Stall.. for only £2.50 each!

'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!

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). Thank you.

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

90 Club: September Winners! – First Prize: Anne Renton; Second Prize: Nuala Morris; Third Prize: Blair Cruickshank. 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, on behalf of the diocese and parishes:

- 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: <a href="mailto:sally@sjtravelcentre.com">sally@sjtravelcentre.com</a>.

## PARISH FINANCES: SUNDAY COLLECTIONS

28 September 2025: £ 720

## 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: Pat Usher (10 October 2023)