

# St. Mary's RC Church

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## Parish Bulletin: 9 November 2025 Dedication of the Lateran Basilica (Year C (I); Psalter: Week 4)

| Date                                         | Details                                                                                                              | Liturgies                                                       | Time                           |
|----------------------------------------------|----------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------|-----------------------------------------------------------------|--------------------------------|
| Saturday 8 November /<br>Sunday 9 November   | <b>DEDICATION OF THE LATERAN BASILICA</b><br>✠ REMEMBRANCE SUNDAY ✠<br>Collection: Royal British Legion Poppy Appeal | Confession / Saturday Vigil Mass<br>Sunday Morning Mass         | 5 pm / 6 pm<br>11.30 am        |
| Monday 10 November                           | St. Leo the Great, Pope, Doctor                                                                                      | Holy Mass                                                       | 10.00 am                       |
| Tuesday 11 November                          | St. Martin of Tours, Bishop                                                                                          | Holy Mass                                                       | 10.00 am                       |
| Wednesday 12 November                        | St. Josaphat, Bishop, Martyr<br>Mass Intention: Brocan Delaney, RIP<br>(Recently Departed)                           | Exposition & Confession<br>Holy Rosary<br>Holy Mass             | 9.00 am<br>9.30 am<br>10.00 am |
| Thursday 13 November                         | <b>FUNERAL MASS OF MARY NESS, RIP</b>                                                                                | <b>REQUIEM MASS</b>                                             | <b>12.00 NOON</b>              |
| Friday 14 November                           | Friday of week 32 in Ordinary Time                                                                                   | Exposition & Confession<br>Chaplet of Divine Mercy<br>Holy Mass | 9.00 am<br>9.45 am<br>10.00 am |
| Saturday 15 November /<br>Sunday 16 November | <b>33<sup>RD</sup> SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME</b>                                                                       | Confession / Saturday Vigil Mass<br>Sunday Morning Mass         | 5 pm / 6 pm<br>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!

**Today: Remembrance Sunday** – today we pray for the repose of the souls of all the members of HM Armed Forces and ancillary services who gave their lives in the pursuit of freedom. We thank them for their sacrifice: “at the going down of the sun and in the morning, we will remember them”. There will be a minute’s silence before the start of our Mass today, and there will be a second collection for the Royal British Legion Poppy Appeal.

**‘Thank you’** to all of you who assisted in cleaning the church and rearranging the items, after the masonry repairs on the cracked wall in the Sanctuary were completed. It requires some six weeks to dry properly before painting. On to the Flower Room and Sacristy next!

**Children’s Liturgy returns** to Sunday Mass after the ‘Tattie Holiday’; please do support this, and encourage your children to attend!

**Highland Foodbank: Reverse Advent Calendar** – this list contains items of food, toiletries, and cleaning products for each day in November. All donations are gratefully received, as always. Copies of the Reverse Advent Calendar are available in the entrance foyer.

**‘What We Believe: The Beauty of the Catholic Faith’** – the **fifth** part of this course, “**The Holy Spirit, the Breath of God**”, will take place in our parish hall on **Monday 10 November at 7.00pm**. All welcome!

**Next Saturday, 22 November: Parish Christmas Fayre 2025 in the British Legion, 10am-12 noon** – **we are desperately short of bottles for the bottle stall; can you help us?!** If so, please hand in any donations to the hall before or after Mass. Thank you.

**Men’s Rosary Group:** meets every Friday morning, at 6.00am onwards. All men welcome.

**90 Club: Next Draw on Sunday 30 November!** Would you also like to take part? Please speak to Elaine.

**SUNDAY COLLECTION on 9 November 2025:**

**£814.00**

**Thank you for your generosity and support.**

### FOR YOUR PRAYERS

**Sick:** Dorothy Ahern, Bruce Lamont, Ann Stewart, Siobhan, Freddie Brown, Shirley Mackay, Giuseppe Balistreri, John Walker

**RIP:** Andrew Stuart, Margaret MacNeil, Irene Butt, Mary Ness, Brocan Delaney

**Anniversaries:** Charlotte Googhall (10 November 1988), Jane Coffield (12 November 1994), Mary Ann Macdonald (12 November 1925), James Grant (13 November 1990)