

Last Sunday of the Church Year

Saturday 23rd November

10 - 12.30 Women's Time out (See ad)
11am Burial of Ashes; Gillian Chalmers RIP
1pm Funeral Appointment
4.30 Sacrament of Reconciliation
5.30 Vigil Mass

Sunday 24th November; Solemnity of Our Lord Jesus Christ, Universal King

9am Mass; 11am Mass (children's liturgy)
Tea Bar; 2pm Wedding appointments
5.30pm Mass (Youth Liturgy)

Monday 25th November; St Catherine of Alexandria

10am Parish Mass
10.30 TWMM Breakfast Club at Foodbank
11.30 Funeral appointment

Tuesday 26th November 10am Parish Mass

12 noon - 2.30pm Tuesday Club
4pm - 8pm Administration meeting

Wed 27th November 10am Parish Mass

Thursday 28th November

10.00am Parish Mass
10.30 - 2pm Maccy CaFFY

Friday 29th November; St Cecilia

10am Funeral Mass - Patricia Wylie RIP
10 - 12noon Glasgow Afghan United Group
12 noon Final Committal Sarah Scott Mass
2pm Wedding Rehearsal

Saturday 30th November

Solemnity of St Andrew, Patron of Scotland
9.30 Mens Breakfast (Viking Lounge)

12 noon Wedding Amy Magill & Ross Hickman (Glasgow University Memorial Chapel)
4.30 Confessions & 5.30 Vigil Mass

SEASON OF ADVENT & NEW YEAR

FIRST SUNDAY
of
Advent

COME AND JOIN US FOR A
women's time out
WINTER EDITION
SATURDAY 23 NOVEMBER
10 - 12.30
(TEA AND COFFEE FROM 9.30)
WREATH MAKING
IT'S FREE SO
RELAXATION BRING A FRIEND
THE MACKINTOSH HALLS 15 SHAKESPEARE STREET
FOR MORE INFORMATION OR TO SIGN UP CONTACT IONASCRAIG@GMAIL.COM
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Advent
A Time to Prepare
CONFESSIONS
St Andrew's Cathedral

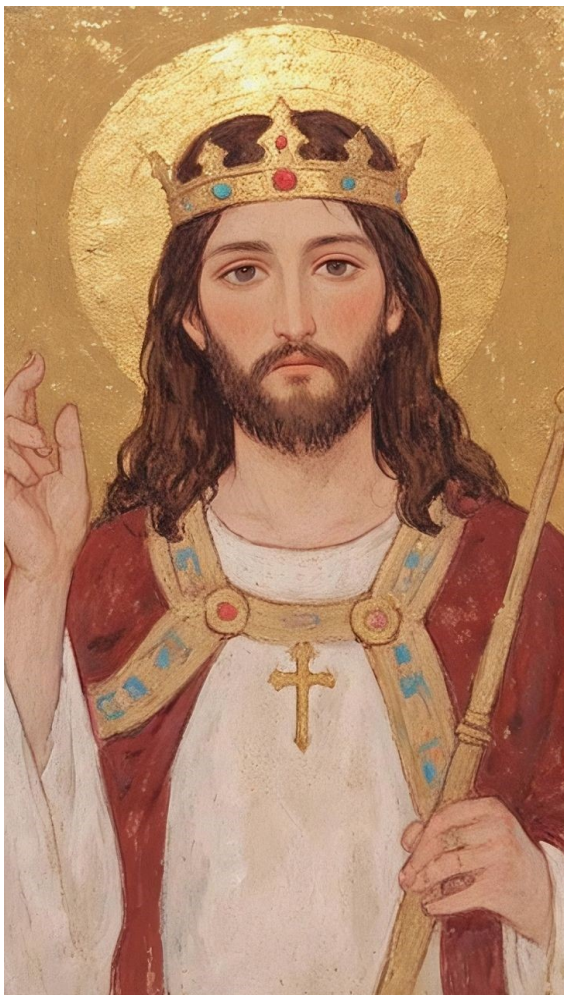
On Tuesday 17 December 2024
priests will be available all day in
Saint Andrew's Cathedral
(from 9.00 am until 5.00pm)
for the Sacrament of Reconciliation.

2025
Parish Pastoral
Calendar
for the Holy Year
of Jubilee 2025
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Serving the community since 1851
In this parish all are welcome - none are judged

Calendar 2025 for Holy Year is at print and
will be here in a week or so; we hope you'll
be as excited about it as we are - and help us
get out there and share the good news!



THE IMMACULATE CONCEPTION, MARYHILL



Next week we begin a new liturgical
year, a Holy year of Jubilee. One pas-
toral target, we seek to improve our
worship - our gift of praise to God

The New Lectionary - now using the
English Standard Version translation
comes in to use for all worship as of
the Vigil Mass on November 30th,
the 1st Sunday of Advent and a new
year. (See inside for more details)

Holy Communion under both kinds.

The option will be restored at Mass
on Sunday and during the week to
receive Holy Communion from the
Host and the Chalice.

The Sign of peace. We invite you to
consider restoring the practice of
shaking hands rather than nodding
at each other! You have the right to
refrain but hand-shaking has re-
turned to normal life - why not Mass?

Altar servers We are still begging for
new servers for all Masses - and to
encourage adults to consider this

Volunteers welcome for all ministries
for cleaning the church to singing
the psalm; Please share yourself!

**Solemnity of Our Lord Jesus Christ,
King of the Universe.**

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"In this parish, all are welcome, none are judged"
2nd Collection today for Catholic Education Service



THE IMMACULATE CONCEPTION Postal 2049, Maryhill Rd, G20 0AA
Tel 0141 946 2071 **Sunday Mass** 5.30 (Vigil) 9am, 11am & 5.30pm
Confession Sat 4.30 - 5.00; on request **Weekday Mass** Mon—Fri (only) 10am
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SOLEMNITY OF CHRIST THE KING, King of the Universe

1st reading: Daniel 7:13 - 14

I saw coming on the clouds of heaven, one like the Son of God..

Psalms 92; response

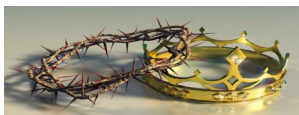
The Lord is king with majesty en-
robed .

2nd reading; Apocalypse 1: 5 - 8

Jesus Christ has made us a line of
kings and priests

Gospel: John 18; 33 - 37

So you are a king? Yes I am a King



The New Lectionary



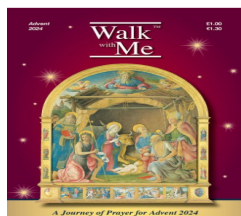
Ministers of the Word (Readers)

Thank you to those who did manage to come to the info meeting on the new lectionary and to the few new volunteers. Michael cannon will mail out to you the updated rota and the practical information sheet for you to look at - any queries, speak to Fr Jim

Light up a life - St Margaret of Scotland Hospice.

Different ways to remember a loved one and donate to keep the sterling and necessary work going. A different kind of Christmas gift! Collect your leaflet.

Walk with Me - preparing for Christmas during Advent . On sale at the back of the church. Just £1 daily reflection for everyday (please put the money in the stall box beside the card rack) ONLY A FEW LEFT



Gaza's children in crisis. War in Gaza is taking a catastrophic toll on children with at least 14,000 reportedly killed, thousands more injured and around 950,000 children internally displaced; info, chance to help; Donate to Gaza Appeal for Children in Crisis - UNICEF UK.

Reasons to be optimistic. The UK government has committed to developing a strategy to end child poverty, a major achievement for campaigners; with 24% of Scottish children living

in poverty, watch CPAG's video about what needs to be done now: <https://act.cpag.org.uk/s/7593236/9XS3Nb34B>.

Better buses for Strathclyde. A new petition demands that the Scottish Government "Accelerates the implementation of bus franchising powers" which have now been delayed by over five years, and supports SPT; hearing 27 November - info etc: <https://>

petitions.parliament.scot/petitions/PE2116.

A Global Plastics Treaty. UK research shows most people want to buy products with sustainable packaging but don't have much of a choice; governments have now started UN negotiations for a Global Plastics Treaty; show support at: <https://action.greenpeace.org.uk/global-plastic-treaty/>

World Children's Day. November 20. Read how over the next quarter century demographic transitions, climate and environmental crises and frontier technologies will impact children's daily experience; World's Children Report: <https://www.unicef.org>.

Local Foodbank Thank you for your practical support for this massive operation down in the Wynford. Can we ask that you keep in mind any donations - practical or cash - festive

Faith in ACTION

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New Year - Holy Year of Jubilee. Next Sunday is 1st Sunday of Advent & new liturgical cycle. Christmas Eve Pope Francis opens the Holy Door, initiating the Holy Year, 2025 - 'Pilgrims of Hope'. We hope this will truly be a Holy Year for us all. Watch out for the parish calendar with our plans!



Wedding Congratulations to Amy Magill & Ross Hickman, married on Saturday at Glasgow University Memorial Chapel. Every blessing for a long happy life together. *This is the last wedding of 2024*

Altar Servers New group serving 11am this weekend. We need to revitalise aspects of our worship - will you help?

Sacraments for children This notice is in the bulletin every week to encourage families & children to come to Mass. Bring your form when you come to your parish **Calvary Memorial Plaque (For new year)** Names to be included. Agnes Brown; Moira Brown; Bobby Stewart; Edith Scullion. There are others we've missed - can you let us know asap?

Parish Pilgrimages 1. Iona only 10 spaces left; booking form in porch.

Deadline is Dec 2nd **2. Lourdes** Please spread the word; only 20 signed up - again deadline is December 2nd. **3. Rome & Assisi** - busy for Holy Year - but have a few options - nothing firm yet. Bear with us - should have proposal early December. **Funerals.(1)** Final commitment of ashes of Gillian Chalmers RIP (Sat 23rd Nov - St Conval's) Patricia Wylie RIP (Fri 29th Nov. 10am) Sadie Scott RIP (Final Committal Fri 29th Nov 12 noon) Remember Mary Frail RIP & family, funeral was last week. Fr Jim forgot at Mass to invite you to donate to The Alzheimer's Society in memory of Mary. Boxes in porch if you'd like to do so.



Funerals (2) We remind you there are no eulogies at a Funeral Mass. We need to let you know there is a professional stipend of £80 each for cantor & for organist.

Around the Diocese

Cardinal Winning Pro-Life Initiative Grand Sale: Sat 30th Nov 11am - 4pm 104 Albert Rd, G42 8DR. All welcome.

Abba's Vineyard: St Andrew's Night for young adults, Sat 30th Nov, 5-9pm at Bl John Duns Scotus, 270 Ballater St, G5 OYT. email: abbasvineyard@gmail.com.

Franciscan Sisters Hall Events: (1) Preparing for Christmas: Sat 30th Nov 10.30am - 4pm, led by Philip McParland. Please bring a packed lunch. Tea, coffee provided. Suggested donation £25.

ADVENT REFLECTIONS



(2) Advent Reflection Evenings - 3 Role Models: All 7pm -8pm. Dec 2nd: *John the Baptist* - by Philip McParland. Dec 9th: *St Joseph*, by Sr. Francesca. Dec 16th: *Mary the Mother of Jesus*, by Canon Peter McBride. Tea, coffee & biscuits. **BOTH EVENTS Franciscan Sisters Hall, 90 Saracen St. Possilpark G22 5AD.** Book: Sr. Francesca: 0 7 7 8 8 7 9 8 7 3 1 email: francescawil7@yahoo.co.uk