

THIS WEEK

Saturday 12th September

11am Funeral appointment
12.45 Internment of ashes; Joe Doherty RIP
4.30pm Sacrament of Reconciliation
5.30pm Vigil Mass

Sunday 13th September.

International Celebration of Diversity.

24th Sunday Ordinary Time. 40 Hours

9am Mass & 11am Mass & children's liturgy
Shared lunch from the ends of the earth

Note; no 5.30pm Evening Mass

7pm Benediction to end adoration

Monday 14th September; 40 Hours adoration

Feast of the Exaltation of the Holy Cross

10am Parish Mass

10am - 2.30pm JPA S1 retreat day (hall)

10 - 2pm Breakfast Club & lunch St Gregorys

7pm Holy Hour - Our Parish Story

Tuesday 15th September; 40 Hours adoration

Feast of St Ninian

10am Parish Mass

1pm Final Committal; Christine Howard

2.15 Final Committal; Bridget Docherty

Tuesday Club 11.30—3pm

7pm Evening Prayer and Benediction



Wednesday 16th September

10am Parish Mass

10am—2.30pm JPA S1 retreat day (hall)

Thursday 17th September

10am Parish Mass

Maccy CaFFY 10.30 - 2pm

7pm RCIA open house (Chapel house)

7pm New Bereavement group (hall)

Friday 18th September

10am Parish Mass

10am - 2.30pm JPA S1 retreat day (hall)

Saturday 19th September

4.30pm Sacrament of Reconciliation

5.30pm Vigil Mass



Put Education Before Debt. In Malawi the government spends more on unjust debt repayments than education, less than half the children complete primary school; email your MP to put debt justice at the top of G20 agenda; info: <https://act.debtjustice.org.uk/back-to-school-assignment>.

Tax Wealth Now. Call on the Chancellor to introduce a 2% annual tax on net wealth above £10 million to raise £24 billion every year to fund the just transition & climate finance: <https://www.oxfam.org.uk/get-involved/campaign-with-oxfam/uk-chancellor-tax-wealth-now>.

Challenge Poverty Week. 5th to 11th October; highlight injustice of poverty in Scotland, & show that collective action based on justice & compassion can create solutions; call for a just & equal Scotland; info & sign-up: <https://www.povertyalliance.org/cpw/>.

Support Palestinian Producers. Zaytoun, a non-affiliated, independent organisation supports the resilience of Palestinian communities through fair trade, selling products that are ethically sourced and sustainably grown with profits reinvested; buy at Oxfam shops and <https://zaytoun.uk/products/>.

Environmental Scorecard Launched. Collates data on performance - in 2025 just 3% of protected sites were inspected by NatureScot & 25% of rivers & 4% of lochs by SEPA; farm funding spent directly on environmental outcomes fell to 3.6% etc: read up and access: <https://www.scotlink.org/>.

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Sunday Mass 5.30 Vigil, 9a.m, 11am (children liturgy)
5.30pm (Youth worship)

Confession Saturday 4.30 - 5pm or request

Monday - Friday 10am (No Mass on Saturday)

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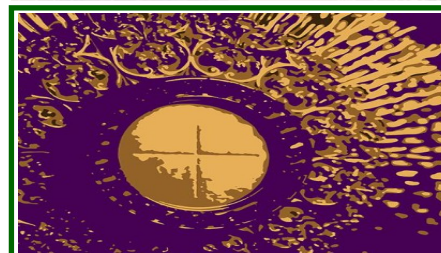
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INTERNATIONAL MASS



40 Hours adoration of the Blessed Sacrament 13th - 15th Sept. Theme is "In the One Eucharist we are one". Evening prayer Sun 13th at 7pm; Holy Hour celebrating the parish story, Monday 14th, 7pm. Tuesday 15th 7pm Benediction and evening prayer to end adoration. Candles are in the porch with last few labels if you've not had a chance yet. Leave a wee donation for the foodbank?

24th Sunday in Ordinary Time
*"In this parish, all are welcome,
none are judged"*

To all visitors! Wherever you've come from, we hope you feel welcome here. Please collect a complimentary brochure about our parish from the porch.



24TH SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME YEAR A

1st Reading; Sirach 27:30-28

Forgive your neighbour and your sins will be forgiven

Responsorial Psalm 103

The Lord is compassionate and gracious, slow to anger and rich in mercy

2nd Reading: Romans 14:7-9

Alive or dead we belong to the Lord

Gospel; Matthew 18:21-35

You must forgive seventy times seven!

The Feast of the Exaltation of the Cross



is this Monday - based on the legend that St Helena discovered the Cross in archaeological dig in Jerusalem, the feast proclaims Jesus saves us by his cross

Marshall Rushill Church

1826 - 2026



Please join us in a service of worship

celebrating 200 years in Marshall

Sunday 20th September

11am

A light lunch will follow

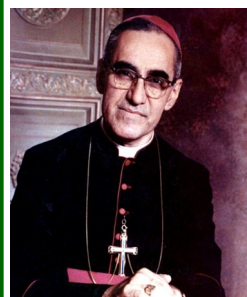
SCIAF is launching Young Caritas Scotland a new movement for young adults who want to put faith into action & build a better world. This movement is about making a real difference - solidarity & community - connect with young people across Scotland & across the world. Turn frustration into something hopeful. More info & details of how to join at www.sciaf.org.uk/youngcaritas



National Youth Pilgrimage 2026 | Saturday 26th September | S1-35: Join young people across Scotland on a pilgrimage to Pluscarden Abbey. Registration & info: www.tinyurl.com/rcagnyp26

The Beginning Experience: a weekend for those suffering bereavement via divorce, separation or widowhood. 16th - 18th Oct, Conforti Centre, Coatbridge. Contact Maggie on 07786 687631

St Jude Lourdes Pilgrimage 2027: Info/to book contact Margaret; 07712582661



Romero Lecture "From Romero to Gaza—Living by our Principles" Sponsored by the Romero Trust, Pax Christi, Justice & Peace Scotland, SCIAF and the Newman Association. The Immaculate Conception October 22nd, 7pm. Followed by cheese & wine reception with info from J&P Scotland, Pax Christi, The Romero Trust and Pauline Multimedia will be selling relevant books etc in the hall after.

Family Conference: Married couples and families are invited to a day at St Augustine's, Coatbridge, 24th October 2026! Please book your place at <https://bcos.org.uk/NFC26>

Nightfever Fri 25 Sept 2026 7-10pm The doors of St Aloysius Church, Garnethill are wide open and young people & adults invite passers-by around Sauchiehall St to come in, light a candle, listen to music, read a Bible passage, receive a blessing, maybe talk to a priest or celebrate confession. Adoration of the Bl. Sacrament. Benediction at 10 p.m.

GPDC - Glasgow Pastoral Deaf Community: has a new website. www.catholicdeafglasgow.org/

RCIA - Rites of Christian Initiation of Adults - The journey starts again! Open house at the Chapel House Thursday 17th at 7pm. Rock up for a cuppa and a chat - no commitment. If you know anyone bring them alone!



Sacramental programme for children 2026/27 The Archbishop confirm our older children on November 19th (at 7pm). If your child is not at St Mary's or St Blanes, please collect a registration form & return asap. 1st Confession will be March 2027, 1st Communion May 2027 but dates TBC in our parish calendar. **Has your child just started PI & not yet baptised? See Fr Jim asap.**

Our new outreach worker delighted to tell you is Ryan Long! From Colorado, he's married to Erin & have 3 children. He has rich experience in ministry here and in other countries, has specific peace-building skills and also in youth work. We look forward to you getting to meet him as we enter an exciting new chapter in our partnership, for new creative ways to be a parish & build the kingdom of God



Congratulations! John Paul Academy has a new Headteacher. And she is one of our parishioners, Mrs Orla Ritchie. We're delighted and congratulate her & her family as JPA enters an exciting new chapter.



John Paul Academy S1 retreats For 6 days we will welcome S1 from John Paul Academy to have some time to be still & reflect, making new relationships in their first year. Monday, Wednesday Friday this week and next w/c 14th September and 21st September. We'll provide food & snacks

Funerals. There are 3 final committals arranged for Christine Howard, Bridget Docherty & Emily Wilkinson. None are church-funerals; details in schedule. Please keep these and their families in your prayers

Improving our worship. We now have an adult volunteer to enable us to improve our Sunday 11am Mass. We will move on this soon & aim to start celebrating "with greater solemnity" late September.

SPRED Collection last week was £1100 - thank you all so much



Newman Association: Building peace in Babel -Burma's future after five years of conflict - A talk by Dr Michael Marett-Crosby.

CEO Suu Foundation: Parish Hall, Immaculate Conception, 7.30pm 1st Oct 2026 . Free event - but option to donate to the Newman All welcome. Refreshments provided.

Young Adults Mass & Worship; Can you sign up? Would like Sunday 5.30pm evening to be even more 'youth led'. Would you read? Help with stewarding/collection? Eucharistic ministers? See sign up in the porch

THIS WEEK Bereavement support group; get a flyer in the porch meets every 2nd Thursday from this week - 7pm 17th September 2026 in the Hall. Confidential informal group facilitated by trained listeners, open to all with or without a church connection. All welcome no matter when the bereavement happened. Info text/phone Helen Paterson 07941 670613; email helenmorrow@gmail.com



Home to Rome Geraldine McFaul's book on her pilgrimage (£12.99) % of profits to Dementia UK & Marys Meals. Copies in porch

Thank you! Grateful for a gift of £10,000 to the parish from a recent visitor who liked the welcome of the parish and who wanted to support the work we are doing. What a lovely affirmation and generous gift

