

ST. ALOYSIUS & THE SACRED HEART



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12TH OCTOBER 2025

Welcome to our parish community. If you are a visitor (or a regular) we hope you are made feel welcome. We ask you to respect the peaceful atmosphere of our churches, where people come to find God. We do not, however, expect the impossible of small children!

Toilets are located in the hall foyer in St. Aloysius' (through the door at the rear of the Church), and at the front right in Sacred Heart. You will also find the stall in the hall

ST. ALOYSIUS

MONDAY 13TH OCTOBER

Mass at 7pm

TUESDAY 14TH OCTOBER

October Devotions at 7pm

WEDNESDAY 15TH OCTOBER

Mass at 10am

FRIDAY 17TH OCTOBER

Mass at 10am

SATURDAY 18TH OCTOBER

Mass at 10am

Vigil Mass at 5.30 pm

SUNDAY 19TH OCTOBER

Mass at 10am

*Rosary 30 minutes before weekday Mass
Exposition of Blessed Sacrament before
weekday Mass.*

HALL BOOKING

St Aloysius: please contact Peter Fairlie on 07769877198;
Sacred Heart: please contact Laura McPake on 07387405559

THE POPE'S INTENTIONS

Each month, the Holy Father asks for our prayers for a specific intention each month - this is usually fulfilled in the prayers at the beginning of the Rosary. During October we pray particularly:

For collaboration between different religious traditions

Let us pray that believers in different religious traditions might work together to defend and promote peace, justice, and human fraternity.

SACRAMENT OF RECONCILIATION

St Aloysius: Saturday at 9.30am & 5pm, Monday at 6.30pm

Sacred Heart: Sunday at 11.40am.

Confession is also available by appointment.

ACCESS RAMP UPDATE

As you will be able to see, the foundation has been excavated and poured for the new ramp. Bricklayers/stonemasons should begin their work on Monday. Hopefully this week we will have some timescales for finish.

I imagine that when they begin to break into the porch area of the Church, there may be some disruption to our Worship - but I will ensure these are kept to a minimum.

NOVEMBER LISTS

November will be available for collection this weekend and over the next few weeks. Please hand them back in whatever way is most suitable.

THE SACRED HEART

TUESDAY 14TH OCTOBER

Mass at 10am

THURSDAY 16TH OCTOBER

Mass at 10am

SUNDAY 19TH OCTOBER

Mass at Noon

Reconciliation: Sunday 11.40am

Rosary 30 minutes before weekday Mass

COLLECTION: 5TH OCTOBER

Non-Gift Aid: £ 583.60

Gift Aid: £ 917.00

Many thanks for your generosity!

MASS FOR THE DEAD

The parish Mass for the dead will take place on: Monday 17th November in St Aloysius & Thursday 20th November in The Sacred Heart.

MISSIO

Next Sunday is Mission Sunday when we are called by Pope Leo to be “missionaries of hope”. We can do this by being part of the Church’s missionary efforts, supporting missionary priests/sisters/brothers/lay catechists who provide hope to those most in need. Let us pray for the Church’s missionary work and offer our financial support through Missio Scotland. There will be a second collection

PARISH VOLUNTEER NIGHT

There will be a Parish Volunteer Night to thank those who contribute to the life and running of the Parish on Saturday 25th October in the St Aloysius Church Hall beginning at 7pm. I have been trying to get around everyone but I have probably missed some people - if that applies to you, please accept my apologies! This is for all who help out in any way around both Churches. If you are able to join us (which I hope you can) please let me know you are coming asap in order to sort catering. Many thanks!

PARISH QUIZ NIGHT

Planned for the Saturday 29th November in St Aloysius Hall. Tickets on sale soon. All proceeds will go to Access Fund.

NATIONAL FAMILY CONFERENCE

Will be held in St Brides Hall, Motherwell on Saturday 25th October from 10am and ending with Vigil Mass. If you are interested in attending this (or looking for more information) please speak with Fr Mark.

STALL

The stall now has Christmas stock on sale. Cards, calendars, candles cribs etc. The stall also carries a number of religious books, pamphlets, prayer cards, medals, rosaries.

OCTOBER DEVOTIONS

Devotion to Our Lady Untier of Knots will continue Tuesday, 14th October at 7pm in St Aloysius.

JUSTICE & PEACE: GAZA

A United Nations Commission of Inquiry has recently concluded that “Israeli authorities and Israeli security forces have committed and are continuing to commit acts of genocide against the Palestinians in the Gaza Strip”. Justice & Peace Scotland is urgently inviting all Catholics in Scotland to take part in a simple but powerful response of prayer and advocacy.

We are asking people to write to their MPs, urging the UK Government to do more to end the violence and ensure humanitarian aid reaches those in desperate need. A template letter is available to download and personalise on the J&P Scotland website or follow the link on the below QR code:

www.justiceandpeacescotland.org.uk/Light-a-Prayer-for-Peace



THE MEMORARE

Remember, O most gracious Virgin Mary,
that never was it known
that anyone who fled to thy protection,
implored thy help, or sought thy
intercession,
was left unaided.

Inspired by this confidence I fly unto thee,
O Virgin of virgins, my Mother.

To thee do I come, before thee I stand,
sinful and sorrowful.

O Mother of the Word Incarnate, despise
not my petitions, but in thy mercy hear
and answer me. **Amen.**

Please Pray for those who have died :

Anne McGuinness. Stephen Higgins, Elizabeth Prunty, Raymond Cosgrove, Laura McLeish,

Please Pray for the Months Minds and Anniversaries of:

Agnes Fairlie, John Corrigan, Matilda McGuinness, Michael & Mary Russell, Therese & John Forsyth, Mary Armstrong (nee McAlpine/Coyle), McAlpine Family, Desmond McAleer, William Merrick, Betty Timmons, John Paul Timmons, Ann Lindsay, Christopher Lindsay, Arthur Smith, Robert Smith, John Smith, Philip & Catherine Reilly, Theresa Ramsey, John Reid, Bertha Reid.

Please Pray for the Sick and Housebound:

Teresa McPake; Teresa Martin; Janette Cairney; Margaret Timmons; Cathy Creilly; Elizabeth Stallard; Anne Dobbin; Eddie Feeley; Teresa Robertson; Christine Morgan; Angela Higgins; Patricia Kiggins; Teresa Smith; Fr Bill Bergin; Christiane Mingram; Josephine Parker; Kristine Weir; Irene Henderson; Scott McGuire; George McKenna; Anne Marie Greig; Tony & Doriss Bonett (Malta); Agnes Malley; Betty Whittarer; Veronica McCluskey (Alloa Clackmananshire); Dorina Emanuelli (Gloucester); Ayley Crawford; Jude McGuire; Phillis McGuire; Baby Skyler McGrath; Laura McLeish; Tony Laird; Jack Donnelly; John Murray; Louise Cordiner; John Gray; Paula Kirkwood; James McIntosh, Harrison Carlin; Cameron McIlwriath, Bernadette McGuire, John Turnbull, Pauline Curran, Eileen McGroarty.