

LITURGY OF THE WORD

Exodus 17:8–13 As long as Moses kept his hands raised up, Israel had the better of the fight.

2 Timothy 3:14—4:2 The one who is dedicated to God is ready for any good work.

Luke 18:1–8 Be persistent in prayer, especially in the pursuit of justice.

From the patriarchs to the early apostles, God comes to the help of all those who ask. Moses raises his staff to elicit God's help when Joshua engages his opponent in battle. Paul tells Timothy that God is with him in proclaiming the word. Jesus assures his disciples that God will respond if they are persistent. Let us be assured that we can continue to seek help from God today.

CALENDAR

Tuesday, 22nd October

Optional Memorial of St John Paul II

BOOKSTALL

St Andrew's Cathedral Guide Book. 32 pages of stunning colour photos and informative text telling the story of the Cathedral and guiding the visitor on a tour of its awe-inspiring features. Only £2.

St Thérèse of Lisieux merchandise available in the shop including rosary beads, statuettes, large icons and a commemorative brochure.

We also have some Christmas stock including cards and Nativity sets, as well as a selection of Catholic newspapers and magazines, CTS books and devotional items.

OFFERINGS

The second collection today will be for Missio Scotland.

Regular worshippers, please consider making your offerings by standing order. Details from the Cathedral Office (address on front page).

Gift Aid: If you are a parishioner, a regular or even an occasional visitor please consider using gift aid for your donations. This adds 25% to your contribution, as we can reclaim the tax you pay to HMRC. To do this, you should fill in a Gift Aid form (available in the sacristy) and obtain some of our Blue regular GA envelopes. If you require more envelopes, please speak to Fr. Sharkey. To make a one off donation, please use a yellow Gift Aid envelope, available in the pews, and fill in the details required on the front. If you have questions please speak with Canon Sharkey or email the parish office, cathedral@rcag.org.uk.

STREAMING

Watch Cathedral services online—see link at www.cathedralG1.org



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SAINT ANDREW'S METROPOLITAN CATHEDRAL

Parish founded in 1792. Church opened in 1816

20th October 2019

**TWENTY NINTH SUNDAY
IN ORDINARY TIME**

MISSION SUNDAY

*“Proclaim, convince, reprimand,
encourage through all patience
and teaching.”*

2 Timothy 4:2



SUNDAY MASS	Vigil 5.15pm, 10.00am, 12.00 noon, 5.15pm
MASS MON—SAT	8.15am, 1.00pm and 5.15pm
CONFESSIONS	Weekdays, 30 minutes before Mass also Saturday 12.00—1.00pm; 4.00—5.00pm
PRAYER & DEVOTION	Charismatic Prayer, Wednesday 6.00—7.00pm Holy Hour for Vocations to the Priesthood, Friday 4.00—5.00pm
CATHEDRAL CLERGY	Canon Gerald Sharkey, Fr Joseph Walsh, Fr Augustine Abayomi
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WORLD MISSION SUNDAY 2019

Extraordinary Mission Month and World Mission Sunday offer you the chance to support missionaries and the Church in proclaiming the Gospel throughout the world, particularly where the Church is young or poor. Your donations and prayers make a vital difference to our work in mission countries and territories and are a concrete way in which you can support the universal Church. For more information about the work of Missio Scotland, visit www.missioscotland.com

CATHEDRAL NEWS

October—Month of the Holy Rosary: Pope St. John Paul said the Rosary was his favourite prayer. The Rosary is usually recited after our 1pm Mass. A selection of Rosary beads are available in the stall.

For anyone thinking of becoming a Catholic: Our meetings continue on Mondays after the 5.15pm Mass. If you are interested, please contact the Cathedral Office as soon as possible (details on the first page of the bulletin) or speak to Fr. Sharkey after Mass today. Although our meetings have begun, we'll do our best to help you.

SPUC Annual Torchlight Procession on Thursday 24th October. Gather at George Square, Glasgow from 6pm, Rosary 6.30pm and Procession at 7pm to St Andrew's Cathedral for Mass at 7.30pm.

Mary's Meals: 'Rags to Riches Appeal' and raffle tickets (£1 each) on sale to support the work of Mary's Meals at Masses on weekend of Saturday 26th and Sunday 27th October. A van will collect donations of unwanted clothing (inc belts, bags & shoes) or household textiles (inc curtains/bedding/soft toys) from the Cathedral after Sunday morning Masses only. NO BRIC-A-BRAC, DUVETS OR PILLOWS! Items will either be sold in their shops or recycled to generate money to feed hungry children. For more info about their work visit marysmeals.org.uk. See poster.

November Lists: are now available. Once completed, you can give them to the priests, hand it in to the sacristy or place it in the collection at Mass. It is customary to include a donation to support the priests who offer Mass in November for your deceased loved ones.

Spanish/English Conversation Group: one of our choir members is looking for anyone in the parish who is Spanish and would have time to meet occasionally for coffee and conversation. Contact Emma on 07974-953-455 or emma.oneill4@gmail.com.

Helping in the Liturgy. We are always looking for people willing to assist at Mass as readers, servers, passkeepers on Sundays or weekdays. Contact the Cathedral Office, speak to one of the priests or ask the current ministers for information.

AGAP NOTICES (ARCHDIOCESE OF GLASGOW ARTS PROJECT)

If you are over the age of 16 and would like to act in future AGAP theatre productions, an open auditions evening will take place on Monday 28th October at 7pm. To attend or to arrange an audition, see contact details below.

Applications are being sought from artists wishing to participate in the annual *Art Exhibition for Lentfest 2020*. The theme is "The Sea". Guidelines and Application Forms can be downloaded from the AGAP website or from 0141 552 5527 or info@agap.org.uk. (Deadline for applications is Friday 8th November)

NOTICES

Divine Mercy: see notice board for information about National Conference in Coatbridge on 26th October and film screening in Paisley on 28th October.

Marian Action, a group which for the last 40 years has been dedicated to bringing the joy of Jesus and Mary to Glasgow's homeless are holding their annual Thanksgiving Mass on Thursday 24th October at 7.30pm in St. Simon's, Partick Bridge St. For info contact marianaction@rocketmail.com or John on 07547734668.

St Robert Bellarmine Church Renovation Project: Evening of Choral Music by the St Andrew's Cathedral Choir on Thursday 24th October at 7.30pm in St Robert's Church, 310 Peat Rd, Glasgow, G53 6SA. Entry is free and there will be a collection in aid of the Renovation Fund. Refreshments will be served after the concert.

National Pro-Life Conference on Saturday 26th October: Join SPUC Scotland at their Annual Conference! This year's subject is "Whatever Happened to the Hippocratic Oath?" The day commences with registration from 9.15am and ends at 4pm. Includes refreshments throughout the day and a hot buffet lunch. Cost: £30 / £25 student. BOOK TODAY: 0141 221 2094 or michael@spucscotland.org.

Artists for Mary's Meals on Monday 28th October at House for an Art Lover, Bellahouston Park. All day events beginning at 10am. See notice board or pick up a flyer from the bookstall. All tickets and bookings phone/text 07753 614167 or 07957 820026, or e-mail caritas150@googlemail.com. Like us on Facebook, website www.artistsformarysmeals.com.

Newman Association: "*The Scottish Sectarian Divide—Perception and Reality in our confusing times.*" A talk by Dr Michael Rosie at The Ogilvie Centre, St Aloysius' Church, Rose Street, Glasgow 6RE at 7.30 pm on Thursday 31st October. All welcome. Non-members: admission £3 (includes refreshments).

Catholic Gaelic Society: If you are interested in joining and/or would like to attend the *Catholic Gaelic Conference in Tainuilt* from 30/11—1/12/19, see poster.