

**SAINT ANDREW'S
Metropolitan Cathedral**

Parish founded in 1792.
Church opened in 1816
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**SECOND SUNDAY OF LENT
(Year C)**

16th March 2025

First reading **Genesis 15:5-12, 17-18**
God enters into a covenant with Abram, the man of faith.

Responsorial Psalm **Psalm 27(26)**
The Lord is my light and my salvation.

Second reading **Philippians 3:17-4:1**
Christ will configure us to his glorious body.

Gospel **Luke 9:28b-36**
'As Jesus was praying, the appearance of his face was altered.'

Cathedral Clergy

Fr. David Wallace
Fr. Frank McKendry
Fr. Justine Dyikuk (In residence)

Cathedral Opening Hours

The Cathedral is open each day from 8am - 6pm

Mass Times

Sunday Masses	Vigil 5.15pm (Saturday) 10am, 12 noon, 5.15pm
Monday - Saturday	1pm and 5.15pm

Sacrament of Reconciliation

Monday - Saturday	12.30 - 12.55pm
Saturday	4.45 - 5.10pm

LENT 2025: Sunday Masses will mostly begin with the litany of Saints, invoking the intercession of the Saints to help us with the commitments we have made as we journey towards the renewal of our baptismal promises.

Stations of the Cross will take place on the Fridays of Lent immediately after the 1pm Mass. If you are able, please join us in this time of prayer as we journey together towards the Cross of Christ.

Each Sunday of Lent (except 4th Sunday) the second collection will be taken up for the Sick and Retired Clergy of the Archdiocese.

OFFERINGS - Sunday 9th March: 1st Collection - £1965.76; 2nd Collection for Sick and Retired Priests - £750.41; Weekday Collections - £2484.66. Thank you for your generosity.

SCIAF LENTEN APPEAL: This Lent, use your WEE BOX to make a BIG CHANGE in the lives of our sisters and brothers overseas, especially children affected by conflict in Colombia. If you don't yet have a WEE BOX at home, please pick one up today, visit sciaf.org.uk/weebox or call 0141 354 5555.

THANK YOU from St. Margaret's Children & Family Care Society for the parish donation of £1026.67 in support of their Christmas Crib Appeal 2024/25. See letter on the notice board.

JUBILEE 2025 — Small Faith Sharing Groups: Faith sharing groups offer us the opportunity to grow not only in our love of God's word, but also in our love for one another. These groups will provide opportunities to worship and pray together and strengthen our relationships with our fellow parishioners. There will be five meetings during Lent starting in week beginning 9th March. The groups (approximately 6-8 people) will meet using materials provided by the Archdiocese. The focus will be on the Gospels of the five Sundays of Lent.

THE CHURCH CELEBRATES ON: Monday 17th - Feast of St. Patrick; Wednesday 19th - Solemnity of St. Joseph.

JESUS YOUTH SCOTLAND: Friday Fellowship for Young Adults: Need a moment to pause, reflect, and reconnect with your faith? Join our Friday fellowship in the Cathedral on Friday 21st March from 7–8.15pm. Open to all young adults – come as you are! For more details contact 07383 895 859 or email jyscotland@gmail.co.uk.

PRO-LIFE MASS: The monthly Pro-Life Mass is on Wednesday, 19th March (Solemnity of St Joseph) at 7.30pm at Holy Cross, 113 Dixon Ave, G42 8ER. Adoration begins at 6.15pm. Tea in the hall afterwards – all welcome. The celebrant will be Fr Joshua Moir.

40 DAYS FOR LIFE VIGIL praying to end abortion. Takes place each day of Lent outside the buffer zone near the Queen Elizabeth University Hospital, at the junction of Hardgate Road and Shieldhall Road (approved by Police). For further info. or to book a time slot, please email Ogilvie1615@outlook.com.

AGAP THEATRE PRESENTS "THE MARGARET SINCLAIR STORY": Marking the 100th anniversary of the death of the Edinburgh factory girl who could be Scotland's next canonised Saint. Various venues from 20th March – 4th April 2025. Visit www.agap.org.uk for details & tickets: £10/£7/£5 (pay what you can – you choose). Flyers available in the Cathedral porch.

A REFLECTION ON THE PASSION: 'Firecloud' will present "Even the Winds", a dramatic reflection of the last days of Jesus at the Immaculate Conception, Maryhill Rd, G20 0AA, Thursday 20th March at 7pm, followed by a light supper in the hall. A free event. There will be a voluntary bucket collection for SCIAF's 60th birthday campaign, Lent 2025. All welcome!

CATHOLIC CHARISMATIC RENEWAL WEEKEND: an opportunity for deepening relationship with Our Lord by journey through season of Lent. At Blessed John Duns Scotus Church, 270 Ballater St, Gorbals, G5 0YT. Friday 21st March, 7-9pm and Saturday 22nd March, 10.30am-4pm. Tea & coffee provided. Bring a packed lunch on Saturday. Contact Minin 07448786569 or glasgow.service.team@gmail.com.

REFLECTION DAY: PRAYING WITH THE WORD with the Ignatians on Saturday 22nd March, 10.30am-3pm at St Aloysius' Church, 25 Rose St, G3 6RE. Includes Mass & lunch. All are welcome. Experience praying with scripture, poetry and art. Time for silence, reflection and community. For more info. or to sign up contact: marianne.lucchesi@iscglasgow.co.uk.

RECONCILIATION AND HEALING SERVICE: Saint Conval's, Haplend Road, Pollok, G53 5NT. Saturday 22nd March, 5.45pm (after 5pm Mass). Holy Mass; Eucharistic Adoration; Talk: The Love of God; Confession; Prayer Ministry and Music. All welcome.

ACIES CEREMONY for all active and auxiliary members of the Legion of Mary in Our Lady and St George's, Penilee on Sunday 23rd March at 3pm. Archbishop Nolan will be the main celebrant and will include Benediction but not Mass. Refreshments in the hall afterwards.

CALL, CHANGE AND GROWTH - An Evening of Reflection: Thursday 27th March, 6.30-8.30pm at the Ignatian Spirituality Centre, 35 Scott St, G3 6PE. As we move into Spring, this is an evening giving an opportunity to reflect on God's constant call to newness and growth. Donations are welcome but don't let finance stop you from coming. To book visit iscglasgow.co.uk to fill in the online form or contact marianne.lucchesi@iscglasgow.co.uk.



AID TO THE CHURCH IN NEED: SCOTTISH CONFERENCE 'COURAGE TO BE CATHOLIC' on Saturday 29th March, Glasgow Royal Concert Hall, 9.30am – 4pm. Bring your friends, family or parishioners and get 5 tickets for £112. ACN are bringing a Bishop from the Holy Land, a Bishop from Nigeria and the Head of Divine Renovation in the UK. Don't miss this first-time event! Scan the QR code or go to www.trybooking.com/uk/EHSR to register.



PLEASE REMEMBER IN YOUR PRAYERS
SICK

**Please note that this list will be removed at the end of each month. In order to keep it up to date, please let one of the priests know of any names which should remain.*

RECENTLY DEAD

James Baillie; Eilis O'Neill; Jessica Lyons; Thomas Murney; Charles Conway; Margaret White; Patrick Boyle

MONTH'S MIND

ANNIVERSARIES

Elizabeth Pressagh; Mary P. McCarthy; Jim Dillon

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