

# St. Mary's, Inverness

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## The Parish Bulletin

21 July 2019

Sixteenth Sunday of the Year

Mass Readings.

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1<sup>st</sup> Reading: Genesis 18: 1-10

Psalm: 14: 2-5

2<sup>nd</sup> Reading: Colossians 1:24-28

Gospel: Luke 10: 38-42

Date	Details	Service	Time
<b>Sunday</b> <b>21 July</b>	<b>Sixteenth Sunday of the Year</b> <b>Second collection: Fabric</b>	<b>Mass</b> <b>Polish Mass</b> <b>Mass</b>	<b>11.00</b> <b>13.00</b> <b>18.30</b>
Monday <b>22 July</b>	St Mary Magdalene	Mass Mass	10.00 18.00
Tuesday <b>23 July</b>	St Bridget	Mass Mass	08.00 10.00
Wednesday <b>24 July</b>	Memorial of St Sharbel Makkluf	Mass	10.00
Thursday <b>25 July</b>	St James	Mass	10.00
Friday <b>26 July</b>	St Joachim and St Anne	Mass	12.30
Saturday <b>27 July</b>	Sixteenth Week of the Year	Mass Vigil Mass	10.00 18.00
<b>Sunday</b> <b>28 July</b>	<b>Seventeenth Sunday of the Year</b> <b>Second collection: Fabric</b>	<b>Mass</b> <b>Polish Mass</b> <b>Mass</b>	<b>11.00</b> <b>13.00</b> <b>18.30</b>

~~FOR YOUR PRAYERS~~

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+ Christopher Brown + Mary Cumming + Kate Fraser + George Taylor + Maureen Rattray + Florian Alvaran +  
+ Ian Cameron + Leslie Allan + Evelyn Farry + Catharine Stewart + Louise Hendry + Hilary Smith +  
+ Mary Grant + Leslie Murray + Sabrina MacAllen + Margaret Dow + James Connelly +  
+ Ruth & John Huggett + Claude & Hilary Hayward + Joyce Connelly + Margaret Carr +  
+ Agnes MacLean + Emmy MacNicol + Louise Bestau + Ann and Drewie Cameron + Margaret MacLennan +  
+ Roddy MacKenzie + Rita Regan + Winifred Kelly + Margaret Harrison + Roddy Corbett +  
+ Tommy Robertson + Brian and Margaret Lamond + Hazel Collins + Lynne Williams + Marjory Trace +  
+ Mary Davis + Anna Thomson + Fr James +

### +Anniversaries+

+ William Ward + James Elliot + Mary Morris + Alexander MacDonald + Maria Cavanagh +  
Tadeusz Ozga + Maria McGavin + Francis McConnell + Donald Macaskill +  
+ Allister MacDonald + Samuel Thomson + Alexina Robertson + Patricia Reat +  
+ Edirh Osborne + Roderick MacEwan + Eileen Webb + Ellen Grant + Catherine MacGregor +  
+ Annie Ahearn + John Brennan + Frances Skivington + Mary Robertson +  
+ William MacDonald + Margaret McDonell +

**Monday 22 July at 7.30pm: Classical Concert** at St. Andrew's Cathedral, Inverness, Chamber Philharmonia Cologne are offering a classical concert, including pieces from Vivaldi, Mozart, C.P.E. Bach, Saint-Saens, and Borner. Tickets available at Inverness iCentre, 36 High Street (Tel. 252401). Tickets also available at the door one hour prior to the concert (cash sales only).

### **Visit of Relic of St. Therese of Lisieux**

The relics will arrive at St. Mary's on Wednesday 11<sup>th</sup> September with Mass at 7.00 p.m., followed by an overnight Vigil with Exposition of the Blessed Sacrament, Rosary and other devotions, and will depart St. Marys on Thursday 12<sup>th</sup> September at 12 Noon following Mass with the school children at 10.00 a.m. and the Angelus at 12 noon.

### **Medugorje Pilgrimage**

Pilgrimage to the *Parish of all nations*, place of prayer, reconciliation and Eucharistic Adoration, inspired by the profound experience of the presence of our Heavenly Mother, the Queen of Peace: **September 18 – 25<sup>th</sup>, flying out of Inverness with BA, cost £600 B&B, flight and transfers included.**

First time pilgrims warmly welcomed – contact Fr Niski for more details and to book a place: niski.a@gmail.com; 07749732781

### **Appeal for new Altar Servers**

If you have made your First Communion and would like to become an Altar Server Please see Deacon Patrick or leave your details with Marvia or the Parish Office.

### **A day with Our Lady – A Marian Retreat a day with Our Lady Saturday 17 August 2019**

A series of reflections by Fr. James Bell on Our Lady, with Musical reflections on the Clarinet by Fr Andrew Harden.

The programme is as follows:  
10:00a.m. Register  
10:30a.m.–4:30 p.m. Marian Hymns, Reflections, Exposition of the Blessed Sacrament, Angelus, Confessions, Mass, Rosary Walk, Exposition, Litany & Benediction. All welcome!

### **Highland Foodbank**

There will be a box available in the Hall during the Sunday teas for you to place any donations for the foodbank. You may also continue to hand any donations into the Parish office. Your donations help to provide emergency food and support to local people in crisis. During these months, we would be grateful for the following **Canned items**: Potatoes, Tomatoes, Fruit and Ham. Thank you for your generosity!

### **“THE BRIAN APPEAL”**

I wish to express my gratitude to everyone, parishioners, visitors, friends and members of my family who donated so generously to the 'Brian Appeal' we raised a total of £620, a tremendous effort, thank you all so much! The great news is that Maryvale have granted Brian a bursary to make up the shortfall, so his final year of study is assured. Please pray for him on 24th July as he sits his 4th year exams. (Jane)

## Monastic Experience Weekend

### Pluscarden Abbey 2-5 August 2019

The monks of Pluscarden Abbey are offering a special opportunity to experience at first-hand what monastic life is about, during the weekend of Friday 2<sup>nd</sup> to Monday 5<sup>th</sup> August 2019. There will be no charge for the weekend. The invitation is extended to single young men, Catholics who practise their faith, age 18 to 35. Anyone interested is invited to contact: Fr. Benedict Hardy OSB email: [novicemaster@pluscardenabbey.org](mailto:novicemaster@pluscardenabbey.org)  
[www.pluscardenabbey.org](http://www.pluscardenabbey.org)

### St Columba's Culloden

#### Pilgrimage to the Holy Land 2020!

See the Gospel come to life by following the footsteps of Jesus in the Holy Land. From Galilee to Jerusalem, you will find yourself immersed in spirituality and culture. The full itinerary promises to bring the faithful pilgrim an unforgettable experience, including a non-stop return flight from London Luton to Tel Aviv airport (there is also a departure option from Manchester), a touring coach and professional local guide throughout, as well as en-suite accommodation at the 4\* Rimoni Hotel in Nazareth and 3\* Star Hotel in Bethlehem. **Dates: 23rd – 30th April 2020 (8 Days / 7 nights).** Depart: London Luton (there is also an option to depart from Manchester). **Cost: from £1,094** per person, *Half Board*. To book your place, please phone 01793 608844. **To secure your place at this special price of £1,094, book by 31st July 2019. Speak to Fr. Domenico for further details.**



**Faith is a gift that keeps alive a profound and beautiful certainty: that we are God's beloved children.**

*Pope Francis Twitter Pontifex*

**Please continue to pray for vocations to the Priesthood;**

**Malachy Eze, Christopher Doig,  
Aidan Matheson**

## PARISH GROUPS

### EXPOSITION OF THE BLESSED SACRAMENT AND ROSARY WITH CENACOLO PRAYER GROUP:

Every Monday after the 6:00 pm Mass in St. Mary's Church. All welcome.

### THE DAUGHTERS OF DIVINE LOVE Tuesdays *Tea/coffee Marian Room with Sisters:*

*Open to Everyone*

10.45 am – 12.30 pm: Feel free to bring your crafts along

**Prayer Time (in Sisters' Oratory):**

6.00 pm – Exposition and silent Adoration, then from 6.30 pm – 7.20 pm: Rosary and Vespers

**Lectio Divina Second and Every two weeks**

**Wednesday 3.00 pm – 4.30 pm**

**St. Vincent de Paul Society (SVDP) meets every fortnight, next meeting Sunday 21 July 2019, in the Marian Room at 10.00 am. New volunteers of all nationalities welcomed.**

Requests for assistance and support can be made by contacting Mark Jones in confidence or any SVDP member or by dropping a note in the SVDP collection box. Mobile number: **07988 670 997**

Visit [www.ssvpscotland.com](http://www.ssvpscotland.com)

### Rosary Group DDL

*"Give me an army saying the Rosary and I will conquer the World" Pope Pius IX*

Join us every Saturday at 11.00 a.m. at St Mary's Parish, Inverness Marian Room for Rosary Group Prayers.

*"The power of the Rosary is beyond description" Bishop Fulton Sheen*

**Prayer & Praise Music Group** meet every Thursday in the Lady Chapel at St. Columba's Culloden after 7.30 p.m. Mass.

