

Pope Francis is calling a Synod meeting in 2023. Synod means 'journeying together' and he wants to hear from us, the Church, about the church and as members of the living body of Christ. In the weeks and months ahead, we will hear more about the process and how we might get involved. A small group within our parish will coordinate our response and invite your participation in a number of ways. Amongst these will be series to listen to each other, to pray and reflect, during the Season of Lent. If you'd like to be involved, please, at this stage, keep Tuesday evenings of Lent free in your diary!

Towards the Synod 2023:

The Bishops Conference of Scotland (BCOS) will host a conference, 'Synodality in the Life & Mission of the Church' at 2pm on Saturday 12 February. The keynote speaker will be Cardinal Mario Grech, General Secretary of the Synod of Bishops. This online event will be streamed on the BCOS YouTube channel at bit.ly/BCOSYouTube

We remember all those who are sick,

We remember those who have died recently:

Beattie Marshall; Jackie Scullion; Kevin Lundie; Margaret Watson; Paul Carlin;

And the month's mind of: John McIlroy

And those whose anniversaries occur at this time:

Theresa McIlroy; John Connaughton; Terry Connaughton; Betty Gallacher; John Gallacher

If you would like to have an intimation included in this short weekly newsletter, please email the details to ollourdes@rcag.org.uk by Thursday.

Welcome to Our Lady of Lourdes Parish

The week ahead:

Sunday Masses:

Vigil Mass: Saturday 5.30 p.m.

Sunday 9.30, 11.30 (live streamed) & 6 p.m.

Weekdays (live streaming continues this week):

Monday 7 p.m.

Tuesday-Thursday 10a.m.

Friday (Parish Feast): Rosary 10 a.m. Mass 7 p.m.

Saturday 12 noon

The Sacrament of Reconciliation remains available to you during this time. To arrange a time for this, contact Fr. David at the parish house where we can celebrate the Sacrament at the front door with suitable privacy and social distancing.

5th Sunday of Year C

6th February 2022

Today's readings:

Isaiah 6:1-8

Here I am, send me.

Response to the psalm: Before the angels I will bless you, O Lord

1 Cor 15:1-11

I preach what they preach, and this is what you all believed

Luke 5: 1-11

They left everything and followed him.

Parish Feast Day: Friday 11th February. Join us for Rosary at 10 a.m. and for Mass at 7 p.m. to celebrate this wonderful feast and our parish!

The bishop of Galloway, Bishop William Nolan, has been appointed by Pope Francis as Archbishop of Glasgow. A priest of Motherwell diocese, his last parish was Our Lady of Lourdes, East Kilbride, before becoming a bishop seven years ago. He will be installed as Archbishop on Saturday 26th February. Please pray for our Archbishop elect!

Question of the week:

Adults: What do you do when a message you are trying to deliver "falls on deaf ears"?

Children: Are there times when you have not listened as well as you could to what someone was telling you? Why didn't you?

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