



SUNDAY BULLETIN



ST MATTHEW'S and OUR LADY OF MOUNT CARMEL

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| Liturgy | Sunday 13th November, 2022 33rd Sunday of the Year - C |
| Psalm Response | <i>The Lord comes to rule the peoples with fairness</i> |
| Gospel Acclamation | <i>Alleluia, alleluia! Stay awake, praying at all times for the strength to stand with confidence before the Son of Man. Alleluia!</i> |
| SUNDAY MASSES: 9.30am at St. Matthew's & 11am at Our Lady of Mount Carmel | |

Please, ask your child(ren) to return to you immediately after the Children's Liturgy if you do not wish them to be captured on the live-stream recording.
LIVESTREAM MASSES: [YouTube St Matthew's & Our Lady of Mount Carmel Kilmarnock](#) and [YouTube St Joseph's Church Kilmarnock](#)

Philippians 4:4-9

Celebrate God all day every day. I mean, revel in him! Make it as clear as you can to all that you meet that you're on their side, working with them and not against them. Help them see that the master is about to arrive. He could show up any minute!

Don't fret or worry. Instead of worrying pray. Let petitions and praises shape your worries into prayers, letting God know your concerns. Before you know it, a sense of God's wholeness, everything coming together for good, will come and settle you down. It's wonderful what happens when Christ displaces worry at the centre of your life. Summing it all up, friends, I'd say you'll do best by filling your minds and meditating on things true, noble, reputable, authentic, gracious - the best not the worst, the beautiful not the ugly, things to praise not to curse. Put into practice what you learned from me, what you heard and saw and realised. Do that, and God, who makes everything work together, will work you into his most excellent harmonies.

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PARISHES OF OUR LADY OF MOUNT CARMEL AND ST. MATTHEW'S

Mass and Eucharistic Service Schedule for the Forthcoming Week

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| Sunday 13th November | 9.30am Mass at St. Matthew's | 11.00am Mass at Our Lady of Mount Carmel | <i>Luke</i> 21:5-19 | |
| Monday 14th November | 9.30am Rosary at St. Matthew's | 10.00am Mass St. Matthew's | <i>Luke</i> 18:35-43 | |
| Tuesday 15th November | 9.30am Private Prayer before the Blessed Sacrament at Our Lady of Mount Carmel | 10.00am Mass at Our Lady of Mount Carmel | <i>Luke</i> 19:1-10 | |
| Wednesday 16th November | 10.00am Mass at St. Joseph's | 10.30am Rosary at St. Joseph's | <i>Matthew</i> 25:31-46 | |
| Thursday 17th November | 9.30am Private Prayer before the Blessed Sacrament at St. Matthew's | 10.00am Mass at St. Matthew's | <i>Luke</i> 19:41-44 | |
| Friday 18th November | 9.30am Rosary at Our Lady of Mount Carmel | 10.00am Mass at Our Lady of Mount Carmel | <i>Luke</i> 19:45-48 | |
| Saturday 19th November | 9.30am Private Prayer before the Blessed Sacrament at St. Matthew's | 10.00am Mass at St. Matthew's | 6.00pm Vigil Mass at St. Joseph's | <i>Luke</i> 20:27-40 |
| Sunday 20th November | 9.30am Mass at St. Matthew's | 11.00am Mass at Our Lady of Mount Carmel | <i>Luke</i> 23:35-43 | |

SACRAMENTS

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| Marriage | By arrangement with Fr. Martin. The Diocese of Galloway requires that couples give a minimum of six months' notice of their intention to marry |
| Baptism | By arrangement with Fr. Martin. |
| Reconciliation | Available on request at suitable times |

Please remember the following in your prayers:

Recently Deceased: David McConnell and Terry McAllister
May all our departed rest in peace.

Anniversaries: Harry Merrick, Hughie Gray, Tom Meehan, Catherine Carolan and William Mitchell

People who are ill: Willie McCann, Eimear Callaghan, David O'Callaghan, Michelle Hanlon, Mary Gibson, Michelle Dunne, Leona McAllister, Mary Hasson, Donald Gibon, Frank Mullen, Helen O'Donnell, Nathalie Feeney, Mary McLaughlin, May Hollywood, Frances O'Neill, Helen McClure, James Hughes, Max McLean, Peter Herral, Agnes Morrison, Terry Bailey, Mary Rea and Frankie Forsyth
(Please alert the Parish co-ordinator of any changes)

Community Support

A Donation's box is located at the Church entrance. Thank you for your continuing generosity. 'Bags for Life' are always welcome.

Ecuador 200 Club

Register through
theecuadortrust200club@hotmail.com
Or Ecuador Trust Facebook page

OLMC SSVP Conference

All donations are most welcome and needed. Please use the Donations Box as you leave the church

Liturgy Ministry Rota for

Our Lord Jesus Christ, King of the Universe - Solemnity Year - C

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| <i>2 Samuel</i> 5:1-3 | <i>Psalm</i> 121 | <i>Colossians</i> 1:11-20 | <i>Luke</i> 23:35-43 |
| Venue | Readers | | Ministers |
| Our Lady of Mount Carmel | C Lamberth D Shearer | | M McGuire |
| St. Matthew's | Kenny Ainsworth Veronica Kelly Maureen Walsh | | Louise Johnston Philip Brown |

Collection Totals. Thank you for your generosity

| Our Lady of Mount Carmel | | | |
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| 1st | 2 nd | Ecuador | Missions |
| £ | £ | £ | £ |
| St. Matthew's | | | |
| Weekly | Ecuador | Community box | Youth Hub |
| £279.58 | £16.60 | £1.00 | £241.75 |

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| Feasts This Week | Sun 13 th – 33 rd Sunday of Year C; Wed 16 th – St Margaret of Scotland; Thu 17 th – St Elizabeth of Hungary; Sunday 20 th – Solemnity of Christ the King. |
| Community Lunch | All are welcome to share / help at TODAY'S LUNCH beginning at 12.45pm Homemade soup, chicken and surprise pudding by Fran Boyle. |
| Synod | At last, a resume of Our Lady of Mount Carmel and St. Matthew's responses to the questionnaire which we completed before the summer. The content reflects how we see ourselves as a parish - areas of success and areas requiring attention. Post Covid we have already taken some steps to improve and hopefully we will continue in a positive direction. |
| Fr Martin | Is Vocations Director for the Diocese of Galloway working with people thinking about a Vocation to priesthood and religious life. From Friday 18 th -Sun 20 th he will be leading a Vocations weekend for prospective seminarians. We thank Frs Eddie and Kevin who help celebrate Masses next weekend. |
| Do This in Memory of Me | The next 'Do this in Memory of Me' Sunday will be next Sunday, 20 th November at the 9.30am and 11am Masses. Please bring along your Prayer Candle |
| Foodbank Plea | Bags for life crisis sorted for now, thanks to all who responded. The generosity of the parishes is much appreciated. Donations are always welcome. Times are getting worse but together with our friends from St Kentigern's our two parishes are making a difference. Thank you! |
| St. Matthew's Parish Council | A meeting will take place on Thursday, 24 th November at 7.00pm. All welcome |
| St. Margaret's Cathedral Ayr | St. Margaret's parish community in Ayr are celebrating the 200th anniversary of their foundation as a parish this year with a celebration Mass on St. Margaret's Day, November 16th, at 7pm followed by a Reception in the Hall. If anyone would like to join in the Celebration Mass you would be most welcome. Please contact Fr. David Borland (01292 263488) so that he can work our seating etc. |
| Education Sunday | This will be marked in our Parishes on Sunday 27 th November when there will be School representatives at Mass. There will also be a SECOND COLLECTION that day which will go towards the work of the Church in the field of Education. |
| November Lists | These lists and envelopes are available at the back of the church. Please fill them in so that the intentions can be placed on the altar during each November Mass. |
| SCIAF Real Gifts | As in previous years, SCIAF are encouraging people to think about giving a Christmas gift that makes a real difference for people living in some of the world's poorest places. Please look at these gifts at www.sciaf.org.uk/realgifts |
| Mount Carmel Primary Christmas Fayre | Our Christmas Fayre will return on Friday 2nd December at 6.30pm. Lots of Christmas stalls, gifts, raffle and even a visit with Santa will be available on the night. Entry is £2.50 for adults (children free) all proceeds going back into support school activities. We would appreciate any donations for tombola, raffle and bottle stall. These can be handed into the school or after mass on Sundays to Marion in the repository shop. |
| St Kentigern's Ceilidh | Our friends in St Kentigern's have invited St Matthew's and OLMC parishioners to a ceilidh in St Kentigern's Church Hall on Saturday 3rd of December. All are invited - adults and children. It will start with a buffet at 6.30pm and finish about 9.30pm. Admission is free but you can make a donation on the night if you would like to contribute. Please put your name on the list in the porch at St Matthew's or call Margaret on 07765 715798 if you would like to go. |
| Bishop Maurice Taylor | Please pray for Bishop Maurice who has recently moved into Dundonald Care Home, Dundonald. He is in poor health |
| Canon McSorley | Fr. Martin received this message from Canon Pat this past week: <i>"Many thanks for your kindness in sending me the list of signatures and messages from Kilmarnock parishioners. For me, Kilmarnock is a special place from which I carry many happy memories. This list will certainly help me to remember faces and places that were so much part of my life. I will always remember them fondly. So again, thank you very much for your kind gift. God Bless you all."</i> |
| Be Busy Be Friend | Helping people who are at risk of isolation or loneliness keep in touch. A phone call or a personal visit once a week can make such a difference. Volunteers are needed; if you are able to help, call 0787 339 4005. |
| Hillhouse Christmas Project | Support is much needed again this year so if you are able to donate pyjamas for a boy or girl age 0-16 years we would be beyond grateful. Please don't wrap them before placing them in the box in the porch as we have a team of volunteers who take on this task. |
| Free Natural Family Planning Clinics | The Billings Ovulation Method® of Natural Fertility Regulation is a successful family planning method for couples having difficulty conceiving or simply wanting to plan a family safely and naturally. It is proven to be 99% effective in spacing pregnancy with no side effects. Interested in sharing this knowledge with others? Apply for our flexible, online Teacher Training Course to become an accredited teacher today! For further information – or for details of a tutor in your area – please contact Fertility Care Scotland at info@fertilitycare.org.uk . |



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