



SUNDAY BULLETIN



ST MATTHEW'S and OUR LADY OF MOUNT CARMEL

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Liturgy	Sunday 11th June, 2023 The Most Holy Body and Blood of Christ – Solemnity - A
Psalm Response	<i>O praise the Lord, Jerusalem!</i>
Gospel Acclamation	<i>Alleluia, alleluia! I am the living bread which has come down from heaven, says the Lord. Anyone who eats this bread will live for ever. 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.

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The Welcoming Prayer

Welcome, welcome, welcome.

| welcome everything that comes to me today
because | know it is for my healing.

| welcome all thoughts, feelings, emotions, persons, situations and conditions.

| let go of my desire for power and control.

| let go of my desire for affection, esteem, approval and pleasure.

| let go of my desire for survival and security.

| let go of my desire to change any situation, condition, person or myself.

| open to the love and presence of God and God's action within.

Amen

Mary Mrozowski

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

Mass and Eucharistic Service Schedule for the Forthcoming Week

Sunday 11th June	9.30am Mass at St. Matthew's	11.00am Mass at Our Lady of Mount Carmel	<i>John</i> 6:51-58
Monday 12th June	9.30am Rosary at St. Matthew's	10.00am Mass at St. Matthew's	<i>Mark</i> 5:1-12
Tuesday 13th June	9.30am Prayer before the Blessed Sacrament at Our Lady of Mount Carmel	10.00am Mass at Our Lady of Mount Carmel	<i>Matthew</i> 5:13-16
Wednesday 14th June	10.00am Mass at St. Joseph's	10.30am Rosary at St. Joseph's	<i>Matthew</i> 5:17-19
Thursday 15th June	9.30am Prayer before the Blessed Sacrament at St. Matthew's	10.00am Mass at St. Matthew's	<i>Matthew</i> 5:20-26
Friday 16th June	9.30am Rosary at Our Lady of Mount Carmel	10.00am Mass at Our Lady of Mount Carmel	<i>John</i> 4:7-16
Saturday 17th June	9.30am Prayer before the Blessed Sacrament at Our Lady of Mount Carmel	10.00am Mass at OLMC	6.00pm Vigil Mass at St. Joseph's <i>Mark</i> 4:26-34
Sunday 18th June	9.30am Mass at St. Matthew's	11.00am Mass at Our Lady of Mount Carmel	<i>Mark</i> 4:26-34

SACRAMENTS

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: *Luca Van Bui*
May all our departed rest in peace.

Anniversaries:

People who are ill: *Eimear Callaghan, David O'Callaghan, Michelle Hanlon, Mary Gibson, Michelle Dunne, Leona McAllister, Mary Hasson, Donald Gibon, Frank Mullen, Helen O'Donnell., Mary McLaughlin, May Hollywood, Frances O'Neill, Helen McClure, James Hughes, Max McLean, Peter Herral, Terry Bailey, Mary Rea, Stuart Mason Carolanne Gallagher and Margaret Paton.*

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Liturgy Ministry Rota for 11th Sunday of the Year - A

<i>Exodus</i> 19:2-6	<i>Psalm</i> 99	<i>Romans</i> 5:6-11	<i>Matthew</i> 9:36-10:8
Venue	Readers	Ministers	
Our Lady of Mount Carmel	B Murphy B Abbott	L Hefron	
St. Matthew's	Sister Juliet Kenny Ainsworth Veronica Kelly	Anne Gillion Martin Dempster	

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NOTICES

Feasts This Week	Sun 4th – Trinity Sunday; Mon 5th – St Boniface; Fri 9th – St Columba; Sunday 11th – Body & Blood of Christ
Do This in Memory of Me	Welcome TODAY to all the Children at St. Matthew's & Our Lady of Mount Carmel who in recent weeks received their First Communion. May God continue to bless you and your families
OLMC Parish Pastoral Council	This will take place on Thursday, 15th June at 7pm. All parishioners are welcome.
Renewal of Vows	The Sisters will renew their Vows during Mass this Friday, 16th May.
OLMC Gift Aid	OLMC GIFT AID I am pleased to advise that we have just received £7288.29 from HMRC for our parish gift aid claim. Thank you so much for your generosity. If you pay tax then please consider gift aiding your weekly donations. It is very easy to do and is literally your signature on a form which I will complete, so please speak to me after mass. This is a very valuable asset to our parish so please consider gift aid envelopes or even easier, pay by standing order monthly. Thank you, Frances,
Sisters Celebration Mass	Sisters Rose, Mabel and Juliet belong to the Sisters of the Immaculate Heart of Mary, Mother of Christ. Their Feast Day this year is Saturday 17th June and there will be a Celebration Mass that day at 10am in Our Lady of Mount Carmel Church. We will welcome friends from each of the Kilmarnock parishes and beyond. Please come along and pray God's blessing on our Sisters and on our Parishes. There will be refreshments afterwards in the Norbert Room.
Dementia Awareness Day	Katrona Templeton, Mission Pioneer, invites us all to attend a Dementia Awareness information evening on Monday, 19 June, from 7 to 9 p.m. at Kay Park Parish Church.
Pilgrimage to Scalán at the Braes of Glenlivet, 2nd July	At the Reformation, the Penal Laws were passed which prohibited the Mass being celebrated in Scotland, priests were forbidden to be in our country at all, and clearly, preparing people for the priesthood would also be against the law. Seminaries had to be set up abroad in territories. However, various seminaries were established in Scotland and one was set up at Scalán on the Braes of Glenlivet. It ran from 1716 until 1799. It remains a place of pilgrimage and prayer and each year there is a National Pilgrimage. The pilgrimage this year take place on Sunday 2nd July. A minibus will leave from St Joseph's Church at 10.00 am, stopping en-route to eat a packed lunch. We will then join the celebration of the annual Scalán Mass at 4.00 pm (Note: there is approximately a 10-minute walk from the car park to the Mass). The minibus will then return to Kilmarnock, stopping en-route for fish and chips (probably in Pitlochry), and arriving at St Joseph's at approximately 10.00pm. The cost per person for the bus is £15. Please bring a packed lunch. To sign up, please contact Fr. Stephen: 01563 521832 or stephen.mcgrattan@gallowaydiocese.org.uk
Golden Wedding	Many congratulations to Breege & Owen Abbott who celebrated 50 years of happy marriage on 9th June. May they have many more years of love & happiness
OLMC Lourdes Helpers	Thank you to all who helped to make our recent Bingo Night such a success. We raised a total of £490.00
Lourdes Prayers	If anyone wishes to have special intentions taken and said at the Grotto then please put your petitions into an envelope (no money please) and hand them to Mary McCulloch, Agnes Clark or Suzy Hollywood before 3 rd July
A Choired Taste Summer Concert	'Voices and Violins': A performance by A Choired Taste and Ayrshire Fiddle Orchestra will be held in the Grand Hall, Kilmarnock on Thursday 29 th June at 7.30pm (doors open at 6.45pm). Cost per ticket is £8.00 and can be purchased from Agnes Clark, Josephine McCrossan or Sarah Hall
Father Martin Writes	<i>I am very sorry to have given you the news last Sunday that I will be leaving as your Parish Priest at the end of the month. Over these last 14 years we have had some great, fun times together. We have also stood together in faith through tough moments. For all of that I say thanks to God. When I was asked to move, I began to realise that, having encouraged you all to say 'yes' to God over many years, I should also begin – myself – to say 'yes' to God. And so, I agreed to step out in faith to take the next challenges that await in Troon confident that the God who gave us such great times in these years will not abandon neither you nor me and will continue to bless us for the years ahead. God bless us all. Martin</i>
<p>GOD UNDERSTANDS OUR PRAYERS EVEN WHEN WE CAN'T FIND THE WORDS TO SAY THEM</p>	



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