

discover more about your faith through fun activities, inut and games. There will, of course, be pizza too! This event will run on the first Friday of most months from 16.30-19.00 in Eyre Hall, 196 Clyde Street. See our website www.rcagyouth.co.uk.

SCIAF Emergency Appeal

SCIAF are appealing for your support as they respond to the Indonesian earthquakes and tsunami. If you wish to donate to their appeal, you can do so by visiting www.sciaf.org.uk or by phoning 0141 354 5555.

Artists & Musicians for Mary's Meals

There will be an art exhibition and music recitals in **House for an Art Lover**, Bellahouston Park, Glasgow on **Monday 29 October** from **10.00am** in aid of Mary's Meals. See poster on notice board for full contact details and prices.

Considering Primary Teaching?

There will be an information evening for people considering applying for Initial Teacher Education programmes in **St Patrick's Primary School, 10 Perth Street, Glasgow G3 8UQ** on **Tuesday 6 November** from **6.30-8.00pm**. There will be various representatives present to explain what support is on offer and answer questions. See poster on notice board for details.

Right Side Tour

SPUC will be hosting an event in Glasgow on **Saturday 3 November** as part of their "Right Side Tour". The event will take place at **11.30am** in the **Ogilvie Centre**, Rose Street, followed by Mass at 12.30 in St Aloysius'. See leaflet on the notice board.

Pope Francis' Prayer Intentions (October)

That consecrated religious men and women may bestir themselves, and be present among the poor, the marginalised, and those who have no voice.

Feasts This Week

1 November-Solemnity of All Saints
2 November-Commemoration of all the Faithful Departed

What's On This Week

Legion of Mary—Monday 6.00 to 7.30pm contact Grace (ourladyseatofwisdomglasgow@gmail.com)

Catholic Society—Tuesday 6.00 to 8.00pm in the TV room. For under graduate students. Contact Conor (conorgildea288@gmail.com or Carter (carterlyon@gmail.com).

SSVP—Mondays, fortnightly, contact Lily Kearns (turnbullssvp@gmail.com)

Collections

Sunday 21 October £285.52 (Gift Aid £59.75)

Second Collection £162.57

Last Year £329.13 (Gift Aid £178.93)

Thank you for your generosity. Please consider Gift Aid—we receive back 28p on every £1.

Gift Aid forms available from Rosemary

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Masses
Sunday 9.00am and 11.30 am
6.15pm (during term)
Monday-Friday 1.05pm
Saturday 10.30am

Confessions
Monday/Wednesday /Friday 12.45pm (or any time on request)
Saturday 10.00am

Rosary
Monday-Friday 12.45pm (during term)

Adoration of the Blessed Sacrament
Tuesday 1.30pm-6.00pm finishing with Benediction (during term)

28 October 30th Sunday in Ordinary Time

Jesus leaves Jericho with his disciples and a crowd. These people have seen His miracles; no doubt some of them have personally benefited from His healing power. They have been delighted by what they have seen, and they want more. After fifteen miles or so, they are going to call out for wonders, but before they have even gone one mile, they are faced with the possibility of a striking miracle: Bartimaeus wants Jesus to restore his sight. Whereupon a lot of these people who want more miracles, try to prevent a miracle! By some perverse instinct, they tell Bartimaeus to shut up. Do they suppose Bartimaeus is beyond Jesus' power to heal? Do they begrudge Jesus' generosity? Do they have their own plan for what the day is to bring, so that they are unwilling to let a small miracle delay the uphill journey to Jerusalem where a great victory is imminent? Jesus makes them bring Bartimaeus to Him, and makes him able to see – physically, but also spiritually, because Jesus' approach has evoked faith. Bartimaeus uses his new-found sight to follow Jesus on The Way – his Way of the Cross.

One way to examine our conscience is to ask where we fit into this event. Do we suppose that some person – or some situation – is beyond Jesus' power, so that we do not bother to pray for physical or spiritual healing? Are we reluctant to make space in our parish or congregation for "awkward" people? When we have the chance to help someone grow morally and spiritually, do we hold back because of laziness, or fear – or because it secretly pleases us to remain better than they are? If so, we begrudge Jesus' generosity. Do we guard our own plans for the day, or for the next hour, so jealously that we refuse to let some small need or some small kindness derail us? If we do adjust our plans, do we do so with a bad grace? Are we eager to bring people to Jesus, or do we have to be pushed into doing so? In all such matters, we need tact and prudence, and – especially – the Holy Spirit's personal guidance as he gives us the right instincts for what to guard and what to give up, for what to say and what to leave unsaid. But we need to ask ourselves regularly whether we have been insensitive to the Holy Spirit's promptings, and have needed the Holy Spirit to give us a push.

Or do we occupy Bartimaeus' place in the event? Do we need Jesus to heal us? If so, do we ask Him for mercy? Certainly, Jesus can always evoke greater faith, stronger spiritual sight! Bartimaeus saw the need to follow Jesus to Jerusalem, where Jesus was to bring salvation and reveal – indeed, enact – God's victory over hatred and cruelty, over Satan and death. As we move from hearing the Gospel reading to celebrating the Holy Eucharist, we are called to

“follow Jesus to Jerusalem” and witness His Sacrifice. The Consecration of the Eucharist brings home to us Jesus’ giving of his Body and Blood on the Cross, and charges us to imitate what we celebrate, to live sacrificially. We are asked to see what Bartimaeus saw, the need to enter into Jesus’ Sacrifice. And we who are nourished by his Body and Blood may be filled with the Holy Spirit, who can push, or prompt, or – most often – gently accompany us on The Way.

Fr Richard Conrad O.P.

CATECHIST’S CORNER

The fifth and final Precept of the Church reminds the faithful that they should help to provide for the needs of the Church. Canon Law explains that this is so that the Church has available to it those things which are necessary for divine worship, for apostolic and charitable work and for the worthy support of her ministers (CIC222§1). The faithful comply with their obligations through the weekly Sunday collection and those special collections which occur during the year. The Gospel of Matthew recounts how Jesus provided the sum which He and Peter were required to make in respect of the Temple tax (Matthew 17:24-27) in accordance with God’s instructions to Moses (Exodus 30:13). Jesus by this action gives the faithful an example which they should copy. Although in Exodus God told Moses how much individuals should pay, Jesus gave no such instruction, nor does the Church. However, a useful yardstick is to consider how much one would pay for a cup of coffee or a glass of wine and put that amount, at least, into the weekly collection.

CHAPLAINCY NEWS

Adoration Sign-up Sheet

There is a sign-up sheet on the table at the side of the Chapel. Please sign up to be a guardian of the Blessed Sacrament, as there

must be someone present in the chapel while the Blessed sacrament is exposed on the altar.

Lauds (Morning Prayer)

There will be Sung Lauds (Morning Prayer) every Monday morning at 8.10 in the chapel. Rolls and sausage/bacon will be provided afterwards upstairs by the Knights of St. Columba.

RCIA

RCIA has restarted on Thursdays from **6.00pm until 7.00pm** in the Office. Anyone interested in becoming a Catholic should contact Fr Ross, RCchaplaincy@glasgow.ac.uk for further information.

Catholic Society

The purpose of the society is for young Catholics (and those interested in Catholicism) to socialise, discuss and discover the faith. We meet **every Tuesday after 6.00pm Benediction** at the University Catholic Chaplaincy during the academic year. Our first meeting will be on **Tuesday 18th September**. Open to all young people!

Contact: conorgildea288@gmail.com or carterlyon@gmail.com

GUCA Leaflets

New GUCA leaflets are available for collection at the back and the side of the Chapel.

Holy Day of Obligation

Thursday **1 November** is the Solemnity of All Saints and is a Holy Day of Obligation. Masses in the **chaplaincy** will be at **8.05, 1.05 and 5.05**. there will also be a Mass at **11.10** in the **St Andrew’s Building**.

Vigil for Vocations

There will be a Vigil for Vocations in the Chapel on **Friday 2 November**, beginning with Holy **Mass at 7.00pm**, followed by

Adoration and ending with **Benediction at 9.00pm**

Glasgow Faith Forum

A series of talks for young people aged 16-25. The next talk will be on **Thursday 1 November** in Turnbull Hall at **7.30pm** on the subject of “Penance & Anointing of the Sick: source of growth and healing.” Speaker Fr Scott Deeley. All young people welcome.

SSVP

Dear brothers and sisters the SSVP partake in weekly tea runs for the homeless. Donations of biscuits would be greatly appreciated and can be handed in to any SSVP member during the week. Thank you and God bless.

Choral Mass

The 6.15pm Mass today is a Choral Mass with the University choir providing the music. Cheese and wine in the upstairs hall after the Mass.

Ice Hockey

An ice hockey match is taking place on Wednesday 31 October at 7.30pm between Glasgow Clan and Cardiff Devils. Tickets £5.00 (students) £10.00 (non students). A sign up sheet is on the student notice board.

Mary’s Meals

Mary’s Meals will be here on Sunday 18 November for their annual Textile Collection after the 9.00am and 11.30am Masses. Please note that they only collect clothes, household textiles, shoes, bags etc. They are unable to take bric-a-brac. See poster on notice board.

RCAG Youth LECTIO DIVINA

LECTIO DIVINA is a quarterly event for S5-30 year olds, during which Archbishop Tartaglia will be leading us in the prayerful reading of the Gospels. Afterwards there will be pizza and Compline. It will take place in Turnbull Hall, G12 8LG on Monday 8 December 2018, 11 March 2019 and 20 May 2019.

OTHER NEWS

Faith Winter Session

The Faith winter Session will take place from **27-29 December 2018** in Stonyhurst College, Hurst Green Lancashire BB7 9PZ. A bus is available from Glasgow City Chambers at 10.30 on 27 December. The returning coach will leave Stonyhurst at approx. 13.30 on 29 December. Full cost is **£40.00 (concession £25.00)**. See leaflet on notice board for details.

Mass for Deceased Clergy

Archbishop Tartaglia will celebrate the annual Mass for deceased Clergy of the Archdiocese of Glasgow in **St Andrew’s Cathedral** on Thursday **15 November** at **1.00pm**. See poster on notice board.

RCAG Youth FIND

S5-25? This event is for you! Come along and FIND out about your Catholic faith and meet other young people at RCAG Youth’s ‘FIND’ event. This event will run every Thursday from 16.00-18.30 in Eyre Hall, 196 Clyde Street. See our website for more information; www.rcagyouth.co.uk.

RCAG Youth FORMED

P7-S4? This event is for you! Come along to RCAG Youth’s monthly event FORMED and