

St Joseph & St Patrick's Wemyss Bay
28th Sunday of the Year **13th October 2024**

Weekend Masses
Vigil Saturday 5pm
Sunday 10am & 5pm
Weekdays Mass 10 am
Monday Tuesday
Thursday and Friday
Sunday 10am Mass and
weekday Masses live streamed
Parish YouTube channel at
<https://bit.ly/stjstp>

Exposition of Blessed Sacrament
Monday, Tuesday Thursday Friday
9.20-9.50am

You can register online with the parish at
<https://tinyurl.com/parishreg>

Those registered can login to ChurchSuite at
<https://stjosephandstpatrick.churchsuite.com>

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Please remember in your prayers:

Sick:, Derek Fraser, Veronica Sherry, Margaret Enright, Jim and Janette Sorrell,
Recently died: Donald McDonald, Jim Molloy, Alec McGuire
Anniversaries: John Hagan

October is the Month of the Holy Rosary
Please remember the Synod in Rome in your prayers.

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Special Collection next weekend for Mission Sunday
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<p style="text-align: center;">50-50 Club</p> <p>Final draw for this year in the hall after Sunday 10am Mass. Remember to sign up for next year £24 per person.</p> <p style="text-align: center;">Safeguard Training</p> <p>Tuesday 22nd October at 7pm in St. Mary's Hall, Greenock</p> <p style="text-align: center;">Quiz night</p> <p>Friday 25th October in the hall. Tickets now on sale £5 only!!!</p>	<p style="text-align: center;">Parish Registration</p> <p>You can check your details and update any changes on Churchsuite. Any problems email stjosephandstpatrick@gmail.com</p> <p style="text-align: center;"><u>Glasgow Torchlight Procession:</u> <u>Glasgow on Thu 24th Oct.</u></p> <p>The recitation of the Rosary begins in George Square at 6.30pm; the procession to St Andrew's Cathedral begins at 7pm; Holy Mass begins in St Andrew's Cathedral at 7.30pm.</p>
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Diocese of Paisley Podcast - NEW EPISODE!

Our October episode has dropped! Tony Waterston looks at the work of SPRED. Available to listen to on the Diocesan website: <https://www.rcdop.org.uk/podcast> and all the major streaming platforms.

Liturgical Word of the Week

"This week we look at Envy and it's opposite Gratitude.

The theological definition of envy is resentment or sadness at another's good fortune or excellence, with an often insatiable desire to have it for oneself. Envy is more than simple jealousy as it includes the belief that another's excellence or blessings lessens one's own, and it makes one want to destroy another's good fortune. It can be countered with the heavenly virtue of gratitude through which we realise that every aspect of our existence is a gift from God. St. Thomas Aquinas explained that "gratitude is giving a just response of thanks in words and actions to those who benefit us." "

St Gerard Majella: St Gerard is the patron saint of expectant mothers. His prayers are sought for expectant mothers and unborn children. On Wed 16th Oct, his Feast Day, there will be an opportunity to venerate his relic after **9.30am Holy Mass in St James's church, Paisley.** Holy Mass will be preceded by Adoration and Rosary from 9am. All are most welcome. St Gerard, pray for us!

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Friday 15th November Ladies Fashion Show Details later

11th National Divine Mercy Conference – Saturday 26 October 2024:

Friends of Divine Mercy Scotland are hosting this year's conference in St Augustine's Church, 12 Dundyvan Rd, Coatbridge ML5 1DQ. The conference starts at 10 a.m. and finishes with Holy Mass at 4 p.m. If you wish to attend, please register at <https://www.divinemeracy.scot> where you can see the programme for the day or contact Helen Border on 07786097147 to register. Speakers include Fr Hayden Williams, Fr Justine Dyikuk and Professor Stephen McKinney. Holy Mass will be celebrated by Bishop John Keenan.

Parish Prayer Circle

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The Prayer Circle are here to help pray for your intentions. If you would like them to help with your intention, please put the request into the box in the porch. You can also make a request through ChurchSuite at <https://tinyurl.com/jpprayers>. It can be anonymous if you wish.

Fr Berry's Philosophical Corner

There is no such thing as bad weather in Scotland. Only wearing the wrong clothes.


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**Dear St Joseph, Guardian of The Holy Family, watch over our Parish
St Patrick, pray for us**

Tas and Coffee in the hall after Sunday 10am Mass