

Westhill Catholic Parish Bulletin



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26th Sunday in Ordinary Time 26th September 2021

MASS TIMES

Thursday 30th September

Mass at **10am**. Adoration from 9am, with Rosary from 9:35am. The Rosary Cenacle Prayer Group meet after the Mass. Mothers Prayers Group meet after the Mass.

Saturday 2nd October

Vigil Mass at **5pm**.

Sunday 3rd October

Mass at **9am**.

The Sacrament of Reconciliation is available before Saturday Vigil Mass or by appointment with Fr Emmet.

UPCOMING EVENTS

Sunday School for First Confession and First Holy Communion

Online classes begin on Sunday 26th September, 10am to 10:45am. If you are interested, please email Bronwyn (bronwyn.d@vidson.me).

Children's Liturgy on Sunday 26th September

We will be using the large hall to allow better social distancing and enable us to split the children into younger and older groups, depending on numbers. Children's Liturgy is open to all children from toddlers up to around Confirmation age.

Pilgrimage of Healing and Hope, 29th September to 2nd November

We embark on a new virtual adventure! This October we invite you to travel through the Holy Land on a virtual pilgrimage of healing and hope, inspired by Mary Magdalene. Visiting the sites where Jesus healed. For more information and to register: <https://www.magdala.org/pilgrimage-october-2021/>

NOVENAS IN OCTOBER

Here is a link to some Novenas coming up in October, which may be helpful for your personal prayer (<https://catholicnovenaapp.com/list-of-all-novenas/#>).

- St Teresa of Avila Novena (starts October 6th)
- St Gerard Majella Novena (starts October 7th)
- St Margaret Mary Alacoque Novena (starts October 7th)
- Pope St John Paul II Novena (starts October 13th)
- St Jude Novena (starts October 19th)
- Novena for the Holy Souls in Purgatory (starts October 24th)

PARISH GROUPS

The Legion of Mary, weekly meetings in the Prayer room, on Monday evenings at 6pm.

Contact: Eugene Ogosi (Tel: 07983125904). Meetings consist of prayers (including the rosary), a sermon, reports and discussions. You could also consider becoming an Auxiliary member by supporting the Legion through your prayers. For more information see the Parish website <https://westhill.rcda.scot/legion-of-mary/>

The Rosary Cenacle Prayer Group, weekly meetings on Thursdays after 10am Mass.

Contact: Bronwyn (bronwyn.d@vidson.me) All are very welcome. We pray especially for our priests, the Pope and for our families. For more information see the Parish website: <https://westhill.rcda.scot/cenacle-of-prayer/>

Mothers Prayers Group, weekly meetings on Thursdays after 10am Mass. The 'Mothers Prayers' prayer group was begun by mothers in England in 1995. These mothers felt that they should bring all the pain and the worries they had for their children to Christ and to trust in His words 'Ask and you will receive.' Since then, it has spread rapidly, and Mothers Prayers is now in over 100 countries around the world. For more information see the Parish website: <https://westhill.rcda.scot/mothers-prayers-group/>

SUPPORTING OUR PARISH

You can support the work of our parish financially either in the **Offertory Collection Basket** at the door, or you can set up a **Standing Order** so that money will be donated to the parish every week or month.

If you set up a standing order and you pay tax, we can claim **Gift Aid** for every donation that you make.

This means that we receive a further 25p for every £1 you donate, at no extra cost to you.

To register for **Gift Aid**, or to set up a **Standing Order**, please speak to Fr Emmet either directly before or after Mass or by phone/email and he will give you the details.

Thank you to all of you.