

**PARISH OF THE MOST BLESSED TRINITY
CHURCHES OF ST. STEPHEN AND
ALL SAINTS**

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29th Sunday of the Year, YEAR C

19th October 2025

All Saints

Monday 7.30 p.m. Novena/Mass
Wednesday 9.30 a.m. Mass
Friday 9.30 a.m. Mass

Saturday 4.30 p.m. Vigil Mass
Sunday 10.30 a.m. Mass
Sunday 5.30 p.m. Mass

St. Stephen's

Tuesday 10.00 a.m. Mass
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Saturday 5.30 pm. Vigil Mass
Sunday 12.15 p.m. Mass

FEAST DAYS:

Wednesday 22nd

St. John Paul II

Thursday 23rd

St. John of Capistrano

Friday 24th

St. Anthony Mary Claret

OCTOBER is the month of the Holy Rosary.

Pope Leo encourages Catholics throughout the world to pray the Rosary every day during October to invoke God's gift of peace, **We have Rosary and Exposition before each weekday Mass.**

OCTOBER is also the month of Missio. Missio Scotland is the Holy Father's official charity for overseas mission and is part of a global network serving the church in over 120 countries. Their mission is to share God's word in the remote areas of the world where the church is young or poor.

TODAY IS WORLD MISSION SUNDAY

Today, parishes worldwide celebrate World Mission Sunday. By supporting Missio – the Pope's charity for world mission – we stand united as God's global family, in prayer, solidarity and action. We are called to be 'Missionaries Of Hope Among All Peoples' as everyone deserves to hear that God loves them and to be strengthened by God's Spirit. Please pray for missionaries and give what you can to this vital collection, bringing God's compassion, peace and justice to those in need. To donate, use the Missio envelope, call 020 7821 9755 (office hours) or visit missio.org.uk to give a gift, set up a Direct Debit and Gift Aid your donation if possible.

EVENTS IN THE HALL

Tuesday Club: every Tuesday 10 a.m. till 12.30 pm.

Yoga in the Hall every Tuesday from 1.00 pm---2.00 pm

Bingo, every Thursday in the Hall from 6.30 p.m.

HALLOWEEN DISCO Monday 27th October P1 to P3

6 p.m. till 7.30 p.m., P4 to P7 8p.m. till 9.30 p.m. entry free - must be accompanied by an adult.

NOVEMBER LISTS: "It is a holy and wholesome thought to pray for the dead". November Lists are available at each entrance of the Church.

PARISH NOVEMBER MASS: SOLEMN MASS FOR ALL SOULS AND THOSE WHO DIED DURING THE YEAR will be on **MONDAY 3rd November 2025 AT 7.30 P.M.** with tea in the hall afterwards. This is especially for all those who have died during the year but also for all of us who wish to remember the faithful departed in this month dedicated to the Holy Souls.

DAY FOR LIFE COLLECTION (postponed from June) will be taken up the weekend of 1st/2nd November.

LITURGY GROUP: Tuesday 21st October at 7 p.m. in All Saints' Hall (postponed from 14th October).

CHRISTMAS JUMPER PARTY NIGHT £10

28th November,

CLOCKS CHANGE NEXT WEEKEND. Don't forget !

RCIA is a wonderful way in which to grow in your faith and to explore the many treasures that lie at the heart of our Catholic faith. We will now meet every Thursday in St. Stephen's Church at 7.00 p.m. (You can find all the RCIA course materials on the Parish Website under Groups scroll down to RCIA.)

WELLSPRING MEETINGS: These are our initial meetings, and I would extend a welcome to anyone who would like to join as well as those who are already members of the groups. Fr. Doyle

POVERTY RELIEF GROUP Brief summary of our meeting on 7th October: Monklands Hospital Discharge: Guest

speakers outlined some difficulties being experienced to patients on discharge. Issues such as patient isolation, transport concerns and lack of suitable clothing on discharge were discussed. The group agreed to look at options in relation to the provision of discharge clothing. Access to information on benefits available was also discussed. We will give a donation of £200 for clothing and launch an appeal for donations of new bedwear, slippers pyjamas, nightdresses, dressing gowns, and housecoats.

Future Events Christmas Senior Citizens Lunch proposed date Wednesday 26th November 2025. from 12.00 to 16.00, Christmas dinner and entertainment.. Breakfast With Santa Saturday 13th December 2025 from 10.00 to 12.00. Christmas Fare, Children Christmas Carol Services **HOGMANAY CELEBRATIONS in All Saints' Hall. Please see poster at back of church for details.**

**CELEBRATION FOR 50TH ANNIVERSARY OF THE
OPENING OF ST STEPHEN'S CHURCH**

Here are some of the items we discussed at our recent meeting: Anniversary Mass: Feast of Christ the King 22nd of November 2026, a joint school celebration with the opening of new school, art project with school for icon or stain glass designed by children and artist one in new school and church. New Chalice, Papal blessing. Summer garden party/BBQ. Fundraising for jubilee celebrations. Pilgrimage Rome/Ireland/Poland if enough interest. Prayer Cards, St Stephen's Church Anniversary Brochure (asking for stories, photographs and press cuttings) Spiritual preparations novena, 40 hours, day pilgrimage to Scottish shrine holy site.

CAR PARK FINES I am aware that many parishioners may have received a fine while using the car park across the road when attending Mass. I would ask you if you have received a fine and paid it, please give me the details. If you have received a fine and haven't paid it let me have those details also. I am advised that the legality of these fines are questionable and are open to challenge. Father Doyle

