St Patrick's Roman Catholic Church

The Edinburgh Oratory in Formation
and Shrine of the Ven. Margaret Sinclair

Clergy: Fr Ninian Doohan (Moderator), Fr Gerard Hatton & Fr Davide Redaelli

18TH OCTOBER 2026 | (MISSION SUNDAY) TWENTY NINTH SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME

Monday 19th October | Saint Paul of the Cross
5:45 pm: Holy Mass, followed by Devotions in honour of St Philip Neri
6:30 pm: Brothers of the Little Oratory

Tuesday 20th October *(Blessed Jacob Kern, O.Praem.)*
12:30 pm: Holy Mass, followed by prayers for Venerable Margaret Sinclair's Beatification

Wednesday 21st October *(Blessed Charles of Austria)*
12:30 pm: Holy Mass, followed by Perpetual Novena to Our Lady of Perpetual Succour

Thursday 22nd October | Pope St John Paul II
12:30 pm: Holy Mass, followed by weekly devotions in honour of St John Henry Newman

Friday 23rd October | St John of Capistrano
11:30 am: Exposition and Benediction of the Blessed Sacrament
12:30 pm: Holy Mass

Saturday 24th October | St Antony Mary Claret
11:30 am: Exposition and Benediction of the Blessed Sacrament
12:30 pm: Holy Mass

Sunday 18th October | Thirtieth Sunday in Ordinary Time
9 am: Holy Mass *Rosary 8.30am*
11:00 am: Holy Mass *Rosary 10.30am*
4:30 pm: Holy Mass *Rosary 4pm*
5:30 pm: Vespers & Benediction

Every day, confessions are heard from 30 minutes before Mass and during Exposition of the Blessed Sacrament. If there are priests available, they will also be heard during Mass.

Sundays in October: Rosary 30 minutes before each Mass

Today, Sunday 18th October 11am "White Mass" (from the white medical coats) for Medical Professionals, feast of St Luke. The inaugural meeting to **establish a branch of the Scottish Catholic Medical Association in Edinburgh** will meet here at St Patrick's on Friday 20th November at 7.30pm. Thereafter future meetings will take place on the First Friday of the month. Contact: Isla.tierney@icloud.com **Please take the Memento Card home with you in honour of St Luke; extra ones available to bring to others who couldn't come today.**

Scottish Catholic Medical Association Autumn Meeting & AGM: **Sunday 1st November,** University of Glasgow Catholic Chaplaincy (15 Southpark Terrace) from 2pm: 'Magnifica Humanitas & AI' by Mr Naoise Grenham, https://scottishcma.co.uk/scma-autumn-meeting-and-agm-2026/

Every Monday: Brothers of the Little Oratory, meeting at 6.30pm after the Mass to continue prayers in honour of St Philip Neri, a weekly address by one of the men, a sermon by the clergy, and concluding with a meal together in the Parish House. Excellent fraternity for all men, of all ages, encouraged to come regularly or occasionally, always welcome (no meeting 2nd November).

Friday 30th October 10.30am Saint Vincent de Paul Society meets in the Memorial Room. New members most welcome to attend, contact Marion Ben Hamou: marion.bh@btinternet.com

Saturday 31st October, 6pm - 7pm: Holy Hour of Reparation (All Hallows Eve)**.**

Sunday 1st November: All Saints Day - Lottery to receive a saint for the year after each of the Masses. Hospitality after the 11am Mass

Monday 2nd November: All Souls. 12 Noon Visit to and blessing of the graces at Mount Vernon. The 5:45pm Mass this day will be sung. No Brothers that night, nor hospitality.

Wednesday 4th November, 7pm (Church): Annual Requiem Mass for the deceased members of the Knights of Malta, all welcome.

Wednesday 4th November, 7pm (House): "Crash-course in Catholicism" Catechism Class, session 1 of 6, led by Father Ninian Doohan. This can be a refresher for new converts, but is aimed at enquirers to the Faith/those seeking reception, or those who missed out on Confirmation. Takes place in the Rectory, the church house at 5 South Gray's Close next door.

Friday 6th November, 6:45pm: Sung First Friday Mass, Annual Oratorian Requiem.

Spirituality Classes: Beginning 13th November, every 2nd Friday of the month at 7pm.
Led by Father Davide Redaelli, open to everyone to deepen and mature in their Faith Formation.

Sunday 15th November, after all Masses: Edinburgh Italian Alpini Veterans Group to make and sell roasted chestnuts, to raise funds for the Church Building Fund.

Monday 16th November, 5:45pm: Sung Mass for the Feast of St Margaret of Scotland, followed by hospitality.

Friday 20th November, 7:30pm: Inaugural meeting of the Edinburgh Branch of the Scottish Catholic Medical Association (see details on the front page or memento card from today).

Saturday 21st November, 9am: Annual pilgrimage walk from the original resting place of the Venerable Margaret Sinclair in Mount Vernon Cemetery, to her tomb in St Patrick's.

Saturday 21st November, 12:30pm: Annual Requiem Mass for the deceased members of the Equestrian Order of the Holy Sepulchre of Jerusalem, all welcome.

Tuesday 24th November, 5:45pm: Mass for the 101st anniversary of the death of the Venerable Margaret Sinclair. Please come and pray for her Beatification.

Monday 30th November, 5:45pm: Sung Mass for St Andrew, Apostle and Patron Saint of Scotland. Hospitality after Mass provided by Brothers of the Little Oratory.

Advent Rorate Masses (Saturdays): Dawn Candlelit Sung Masses in honour of Our Lady 5th, 12th, 19th December 7.30am. Hospitality by Cowgate Coffee House (our neighbours).

FINANCE

	Cash Collection		Contactless Machines
	Gift Aid	*Non Gift Aid*	
11th October	£265	£495.24	
Building Fund		£61.00	£306.33
Special Collection: SPUC		£646.50	

Reminder that all Card/Contactless payments in the church are for the **Building Fund**.
Notes or coins, please use the wall box at the south (Cowgate) entrance.

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