

This week in Holy Cross:

Sunday: Mass at 10.00am.
Monday: 9.30am Liturgy of Word & Holy Communion.
6.00pm Mass.
Tuesday: 9.30am Mass.
Wednesday: 9.30am Liturgy of Word & Holy Communion. Govanhill Faith Tour will spend time in our Church around 10.30am. It would be nice to offer them a warm welcome.
Thursday: 9.30am Mass (followed by exposition).
Friday: 9.30am Service of Word & Holy Communion.
Saturday: Mass 9.30am.
Next Sunday: 19th Sunday in Ordinary Time A. Mass at 10am.

This week in St Brigid's:

Sunday: Mass at 11.30am.
Monday: Mass at 10am.
Tuesday: No Mass.
Wednesday: Mass 10am
Thursday: No Mass.
Friday: Mass 10am.
Saturday: Confessions 3.30-3.50pm. Vigil Mass 4.00pm.
Next Sunday: 19th Sunday in Ordinary Time A. Mass at 11.30am.

We've been attempting to get access to the parish website and Facebook page, and have made some progress, but hit a snag with trying to verify on Google moving from Fr Byrne's log-in to Fr Allan's. We will probably have to delete the current website, since the domain host has changed and we can't access the new host. Setting up a new website, and possibly new Facebook page, may give us a chance to do something jointly with Holy Cross. If that is something

Parish contacts. One of the lessons of the pandemic Fr Allan learned was just how out of date his parish records were for trying to keep in touch with parishioners during the lockdown. It would be great to have some kind of way of making sure people are OK, and to improve communications between parish and parishioners. For example, if we have your email address we could send you this bulletin, even when you are on holiday! The other worry is particularly if someone takes unwell at Mass, how we contact relatives to let them know.

The idea is to have your name, address, contact phone & email on a parish database, and an optional emergency contact. Obviously, this information would be kept securely and only ever be used for parish business. If this is something you'd agree to, could email these details to either parish

holycross.crosshill@rcag.org.uk or stbrigid@rcag.org.uk

Many thanks to those who already have replied!

Holy Cross Parish, Crosshill. St Brigid's Parish, Toryglen.

2 August 2026
18th Sunday of the Year(A)

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St Brigid's are Parishes of the
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**They all ate
and were satisfied.**

PRAYERS PLEASE: For all who are ill, especially the housebound and those in hospital or care homes. *Please note that we cannot print the names of the sick in the bulletin due to data protection rules. Could you check if Fr Allan knows if your relative isn't able to get to Mass and needs a visit?*

Please Pray for the Repose of the Souls of recently dead:

Joseph McAvoy

Anniversaries: Arthur Haggerty, Evelyn O'Donnell

Eternal Rest grant unto to them O Lord and let perpetual light shine upon them. May they rest in peace, Amen.

Please note these names are from both parishes

GOVANHILL INTERNATIONAL FESTIVAL & CARNIVAL 1–16 August

*Walking in Faith: Govanhill Faith Tour. Govanhill's faith buildings are places of worship, welcome, food, advice and community life. This guided walk, led by Govanhill Housing Association, visits faith spaces across the neighbourhood, offering a chance to listen, learn and share time together, including lunch at the Gurdwara. **Meeting point: 192 Allison Street** **Free tickets** The tour will cover 1–3 miles. Arrives Holy Cross @ 10.30am*

Breaking the Silence of the British Slave Trade, an immersive theatre performance taking place as part of the Govanhill International Festival and Carnival. The performances will be held on: **5 and 6 August 2026 at 6pm** **Queen's Park Govanhill Parish Church**. 170 Queen's Drive, Glasgow G42 8QZ. Tickets can be purchased here: bit.ly/4wNMK4c

There are many other events, details at <https://govanhillbaths.com/>

It is too late to do anything this year, but why don't we aim to take part in the parade and have a stall in the park next year?

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Mass statistics

26/07/2026

St Brigid's Attendance and Collections, details next week, sorry.

Holy Cross

10am:116. £560.09

Thank you for your continued generosity.

St Brigid's QR



AGAP at the Fringe: AGAP Theatre returns to the Edinburgh Fringe with the sell-out show "Gaudi: God's Architect" from 7th-15th August at 8.35pm. Venue 53, Surgeons Hall, Nicholson Street, Edinburgh. **Tickets from www.thespaceuk.com or 0131 510 2384.** The play tells the story of Venerable Antoni Gaudi, the visionary architect behind Barcelona's Sagrada Familia church.

Mass for the Queenship of Mary: The annual Mass for the Queenship of Mary will take place in St Brigid's, 12 Prospecthill Crescent, Toryglen, G42 0JN on Saturday 22 August 2026. The Rosary will begin at 3.30 pm, followed by Mass at 4.00 pm. All welcome.

SCIAF's 'Celebrating Global Stories and Textiles' event, Saturday 22nd August: Join SCIAF for a free community arts event in St Paul's Parish hall, Shettleston, including film, conversation and creative fabric design. SCIAF is delighted to have received funding from National Lottery Awards for All Scotland for Celebrating Global Stories and Textiles - a free community art event celebrating international connections between Scotland and Zambia. The event will explore Zambian chitenge fabric and Scottish tartan as "talking textiles" that can carry stories of identity, values, belonging and community. Open to adults and children aged 10+ with a free crèche available for younger children. Get your free tickets on our website! <https://www.sciaf.org.uk/get-involved/events/973-celebrating-global-stories-and-textiles>

Concert: The Glasgow Phoenix Choir is delighted to be performing a concert in support of a safe-house in Zambia caring for young homeless people – Mercy House Scholarship Fund. This will take place on Saturday 12th September, 2026 in Torrance Parish Church, School Road, Torrance G64 4BZ at 7:30pm. Tickets cost £10.00 (under 12s – free) - contact Dorothy Beaton: 07580 463684/ dorothybeaton@gmail.com or you can get them from WeGotTickets via the choir's website at www.phoenixchoir.org Tickets will also be on sale at the concert.

Stop assisted suicide being legalised. Assisted suicide campaigners have sadly brought back the Leadbeater Bill. This can be stopped if MPs vote down the Bill on 11 September. *Right To Life UK* has launched an *EasyAction* tool to help you email your MP to ask them to vote NO to assisted suicide in the vote in the House of Commons on 11 September.

Please take 30 seconds to email your MP today to ask them to vote NO to assisted suicide: <https://righttolife.org.uk/Sept11vote>