

LITURGICAL TIMETABLE FOR COMING WEEK

Saturday 30th March	4.15pm 5.00pm	<i>St Peter in Chains</i> St Peter in Chains	Confessions Holy Mass	<i>Fr Joe Portelli</i> RIP
Sunday 31st March <i>Fourth Sunday of Lent - C</i>	9.30am 11.30am 4.00pm 5.00pm	Ss John & Columba's Our Lady of Lourdes <i>Our Lady of Lourdes</i> Our Lady of Lourdes	Holy Mass Holy Mass <i>Exposition</i> Holy Mass	<i>Canon Andrew</i> <i>Reen</i> RIP <i>Darren Brandi</i> RIP <i>Pro Populo</i>
Monday 1st April <i>in the 4th Week of Lent</i>	7.00pm	Ss John & Columba's	Mission Mass	<i>Eddie O'Brien</i> RIP
Tuesday 2nd April <i>in the 4th Week of Lent</i>	10.00am 7.00pm 7.00pm	Ss John & Columba's Ss John & Columba's Our Lady of Lourdes	Funeral Requiem Mass Mission Mass	<i>Madge Brogan</i> RIP <i>Alan Thomas</i> RIP <i>Michael Brogan</i> RIP
Wednesday 3rd April <i>in the 4th Week of Lent</i>	7.00pm	St Peter in Chains	Mission Mass	<i>Agnes Cooper's</i> <i>Birthday Int</i>
Thursday 4th April <i>in the 4th Week of Lent</i>	6.25pm 6.30pm 7.00pm	<i>Our Lady of Lourdes</i> <i>Our Lady of Lourdes</i> Our Lady of Lourdes	<i>Stations of the</i> <i>Cross</i> Confessions Holy Mass	<i>Brian Boyle</i> RIP
Friday 5th April <i>in the 4th Week of Lent</i>	09.25am 10.00am	<i>St Peter in Chains</i> St Peter in Chains	<i>Stations</i>	<i>Drew McGarry</i> RIP
Saturday 6th April <i>Vigil of the 5th Sunday of Lent C</i>	4.15pm 5.00pm	<i>St Peter in Chains</i> St Peter in Chains	Confessions Holy Mass	<i>Peter Boner</i> RIP
Sunday 7th April <i>Fifth Sunday of Lent - C</i>	9.30am 11.30am 4.00pm 5.00pm	Ss John & Columba's Our Lady of Lourdes <i>Our Lady of Lourdes</i> Our Lady of Lourdes	Holy Mass Holy Mass <i>Exposition</i> Holy Mass	<i>Pro Populo</i> <i>Salvo Divito</i> RIP <i>Mgr Robert</i> <i>McDonald</i> RIP



Prayer to Saint Michael

St Michael the Archangel, defend us in the day of battle. Be our safeguard against the wickedness and the snares of the devil. May God rebuke him, we humbly pray, and do thou, O prince of the heavenly hosts, by the power of God, cast into hell Satan, and all the evil spirits who prowl throughout the world seeking the ruin of souls. Amen

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THE CATHOLIC PARISH OF
THE MOST HOLY TRINITY



FOURTH SUNDAY OF LENT (C/1) (Laetare Sunday)
31st March 2019

PARISH COMMUNICATIONS

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Like many a parable, our Gospel story today makes its point in what seems to be an unfair way: the spendthrift son is rewarded and the elder son is hurt and angry. Jesus is telling us that both sons failed to recognise the free gift of love offered by their father. Love is a free gift, not something we earn by our goodness. When you have experienced this truth in the love you have received from others? When has the experience of human love prompted you to reflect upon God's love for you?

Take the time over the next few days of the parish mission to come closer to God and his love for you.

Response to the Psalm:

Taste and see that the Lord is good.

Gospel Acclamation:

*Praise to you, o Christ, king of eternal glory!
I will leave this place and go to my father and say:
'Father, I have sinned against heaven and against you.'*

Please remember in your prayers the sick and infirm

Canon McAllister, Maureen McLeod, James Morris, Elaine McCormick, Sandra Graham, Ester Wren, Daniel Cornet, Margaret Burns, Madge Speed, Mairead McKenzie, Ann-Marie Bevan, Patricia Phee, Angie Kempson, Marjory Curie, Margaret Barratt, Margaret Lynch, Theresa Murphy, Elizabeth McVay, Vhairi Harding, Sandy Moffat, Veronica Fogherly, David and Lynniss Dean, Colin Reid, Teresa Lafferty, Sean Dundon
Our Lady, Mother of the sick—pray for them

Of your charity, please pray for the recently deceased

Madge Brogan *RIP (Rosyth)*

Parish Safeguarding Officers

Maureen Ritchie & Patricia Watt (*PiC*); Lisa Quinn (*J&C*); Jane Imrie & Margaret Hall (*OLoL*)

Baptisms & Marriages

Arrangements for weddings (for which six months notice is required) and Baptisms should be made by appointment with one of the clergy.

Sacrament of the Sick / Hospital Visitations

Those who require the Sacrament of the Sick at home should contact the Parish Office to arrange for Fr. Dow to visit. The Anointing of the Sick should ordinarily be arranged prior to any prolonged hospital visit. The Catholic Chaplain to the Victoria Hospital is Fr Gowans of St Marie’s Kirkcaldy (Tel: 01592 592111). In cases of emergency where you or a family member require the pastoral assistance of the Catholic Chaplain (*emergency cover is provided by the various priests in Fife*) please request this from the nursing staff at the hospital. For patients in Queen Margaret Hospital please contact Fr Chris Heenan at St Margaret’s (625611)

Please note that a patient/family request must be made before the clergy can visit.

Names for sick list

Names can only be added by the person themselves or by a member of the family.
Please advise the Parish Office of any name to be added or removed.

Mass Intentions

Please try to have any intention that is required to be said on a particular date in a month before hand. *On occasion when a funeral takes place, the stated intention will be moved to the next available date.*

Hall Bookings

Please contact (*for St Peter’s Hall*) Mrs Pat Reid on 417214 or Mary Irvine at the Parish Office (*for Our Lady of Lourdes Hall*) for availability.

Bulletin Notices

All notices should be with the Parish Office by Thursday morning for inclusion in the week-end bulletin.

Church	Gift Aid	Loose monies	Stand Orders	Total
St Peter in Chains	£184.00	£223.30	£121.00	£528.30
Ss John & Columba’s	£51.00	£93.60	£372.00	£516.60
Our Lady of Lourdes	£380.10	£343.94	£29.75	£753.79

Thank you for your generosity

NEWS & EVENTS

Welcome: If you are a visitor to the parish, we want you to know how welcome you are – whether you have come from another part of the country, from across the world or simply from another parish.—*welcome!*

Happy Mother’s Day! *We all need our mummies—even God...*

Special Collection this weekend for Papal & Episcopal Charities.

Parish Mission/Rekolekcje Parafialne: a Parish Lenten retreat will be preached by Fr Jaroslaw Kwiecien, a priest of the Diocese off Koszalin-Kołobrzeg (Poland), this week.

Please take this opportunity to invite family and friends, especially those who have drifted away from God and His Church.

Fr Jarek will preach at the weekend Masses in all 3 churches on the same subject and then give different talks on the Monday at 7pm in Rosyth, Tuesday at 7pm in Dunfermline and Wednesday at 7pm in Inverkeithing.

After the Wednesday evening talk in St Peter’s, there will be a cheese and wine social in the hall, thanks to the Ladies Group.

Niedziela 31 Marca o godz. 1300 Msza św. z nauką (po polsku), a po niej spotkanie przy wspólnym posiłku w domu parafialnym (hall) przy kościele Our Lady of Lourdes.

St. John’s primary school will be celebrating 100 years of education at an open evening and Holy Mass on Tuesday 30th April.

Open evening from 5.45pm at St. John’s School and processing to Ss John & Columba’s Church for Holy Mass at 7pm with Archbishop Cushley.

If you have a connection to St. John’s primary school then you are warmly invited to join us.

#faith #respect #kindness #achievement

St PiC Ladies Group will NOT now meet as published in the last Newsletter, since on Wednesday 3rd April there will be Cheese & Wine in the hall after the final Mission session.

Teas & coffees available in St PiC’s church hall from 10.30 am next Sunday, 7th April and on the first Sunday of each month.

Entertainment Evening on Thursday 25th April at 7:30pm in OLOL Church Hall hosted by OLOL Women’s Group. Entertainment by Derek Muir. Tickets £3 will be on sale in all churches from Sunday 31st March. Finger buffet, tea and coffee will be provided and a raffle will be held. *All welcome.*

Lost Rosary beads: have been found on the street in Mellor ourt/King’s Place Rosyth, and have been handed into Fr Kevin. If they are yours (in a brown pouch), please collect from the sacristy.

OLOL Gift Aid envelopes for the new financial year (next weekend) are available for collection from the Church porch. If you would like to sign up for the Gift Aid scheme or learn more about it, please speak to Mary Irvine.

Statue of Our Lady Of Fatima: If anyone would like to have the Statue of Our Lady in their house during lent please fill in your details on the sheet at the back of OloL church. *Thank you.*

Safeguarding Audit: The Archdiocese of St Andrews & Edinburgh has been chosen to be reviewed by an external audit team from the Social Care Institute for Excellence (SCIE)/Children in Scotland from 26 – 28 March 2019. The audit team would like to hear from anyone who has disclosed abuse, shared concerns of unsafe people or practice and also from survivors of non-recent Church-related abuse, their families and friends. *Copies of a notice containing further information and contact details for the SCIE are available at the back of the church.*