

## LITURGICAL TIMETABLE FOR COMING WEEK

<b>Saturday 18th May</b> <i>Vigil of the 5th Sunday of Easter</i>	<i>4.15pm</i> <b>5.00pm</b>	<i>St Peter in Chains</i> St Peter in Chains	<i>Confessions</i> Holy Mass	<i>Michael Larkin</i> RIP
<b>Sunday 19th May</b> <i>Fifth Sunday of Easter</i>	<b>9.30am</b> <b>11.30am</b> <b>5.00pm</b>	Ss John & Columba's Our Lady of Lourdes Our Lady of Lourdes	Holy Mass Holy Mass Holy Mass	<i>Holy Souls</i> <i>Mairead</i> <i>McKenzie RIP</i> <i>Holy Souls</i>
<b>Monday 20th May</b> <i>Memorial of St Bernardine of Siena</i>				
<b>Tuesday 21st May</b> <i>Memorial of St Christopher Magallanes &amp; Companions</i>	<i>6.00pm</i> <i>6.30pm</i> <i>6.35pm</i> <b>7.00pm</b>	<i>Ss John &amp; Columba's</i> <i>Ss John &amp; Columba's</i> <i>Ss John &amp; Columba's</i> Ss John & Columba's	<i>Exposition</i> <i>Confessions</i> <i>Rosary</i> Holy Mass	
<b>Wednesday 22nd May</b> <i>Memorial of St Rita of Cascia</i>	<i>9.35am</i> <b>10.00am</b>	<i>St Peter in Chains</i> St Peter in Chains	<i>Rosary</i> Holy Mass	
<b>Thursday 23rd May</b> <i>in 5th Week of Eastertide</i>	<i>9.35am</i> <b>10.00am</b>	<i>Our Lady of Lourdes</i> Our Lady of Lourdes	<i>Rosary</i> Holy Mass	<i>Mairead</i> <i>McKenzie RIP</i>
<b>Friday 24th May</b> <i>in 5th Week of Eastertide</i>	<i>9.35am</i> <b>10.00am</b>	<i>St Peter in Chains</i> St Peter in Chains	<i>Rosary</i> Holy Mass	
<b>Saturday 25th May</b> <i>Vigil of the 6th Sunday of Easter</i>	<b>11.00am</b> <i>4.15pm</i> <b>5.00pm</b>	Our Lady of Lourdes <i>St Peter in Chains</i> St Peter in Chains	Holy Mass <i>Confessions</i> Holy Mass	
<b>Sunday 26th May</b> <i>Sixth Sunday of Easter</i>	<b>9.30am</b> <b>11.30am</b> <b>5.00pm</b>	Ss John & Columba's Our Lady of Lourdes Our Lady of Lourdes	Holy Mass Holy Mass Holy Mass	



### 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**



**FIFTH SUNDAY OF EASTER (C/1)**

*19th May 2019*

### PARISH COMMUNICATIONS

*Parish Priest:* Rev Fr Kevin A. Dow

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### Something to reflect upon from the Gospel:

*Judas leaves, and Jesus announces that the moment has come for God's power to be made manifest. This is unexpected at a moment of imminent betrayal. Have there been times for you when the power of God was made manifest in strange circumstances?*

*'I shall not be with you much longer.' Jesus announces a parting of the ways. There are places we have to go in life, where others cannot come with us. There are places others have to go and we cannot accompany them. When have you experienced this going on alone as necessary for a fuller life for yourself, or for someone else?*

*Jesus proclaims love as the distinguishing characteristic of his followers. Have there been times when reaching out to others has heightened your sense of walking in the footsteps of Jesus?*

### **Response to the Psalm:**

*I will bless your name for ever, O God my King.*

### **Gospel Acclamation:**

*Alleluia, Alleluia, Alleluia!*

*Jesus Said: 'I give you a new commandment: love one another, just as I have loved you.'*

**Please remember in your prayers the sick and infirm**

Canon McAllister, Maureen McLeod, James Morris, Elaine McCormick, Sandra Graham, Ester Wren, Daniel Cornet, Mona Linton, Madge Speed, Ann-Marie Bevan, Patricia Phee, Angie Kempson, Marjory Curie, Margaret Barratt, Margaret Lynch, Theresa Murphy, Elizabeth McVay, Vhairi Harding, Veronica Fogherty, David and Lynn 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**

**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			£121.00	
Ss John & Columba’s	£42.00	£118.60	£372.00	<b>£532.60</b>
Our Lady of Lourdes	£356.50	£320.27	£67.25	<b>£744.02</b>

*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!*

**IMP Lourdes:** please be assured of Fr Kevin’s prayers whilst he is in Lourdes attending the 61st International Military Pilgrimage.

**Special Collection** last weekend for the Ecclesiastical Student Fund raised **£616.14**

**This weekend** a special collection will be taken for annual deanery Missionary appeal, by the Mill Hill Fathers, who will also be covering the weekend Masses.

**Special Collections:** as announced last weekend, the following collections will be taken on the following weekends:

*25/26 May: Aged & Infirm Clergy*

*1/2 June: Communications Sunday*

*8/9 June: Day for Life*

**Ss J& C 200 Club:** congratulations to the May winners - Muriel O’Donnell; Pauline Livingston & Julie Webber.

**First Holy Communions:** we pray for all our young parishioners as they prepare to receive our Blessed Lord for the first time in Holy Communion. *May their lives be enriched by this experience and come to love the Lord more in their lives by frequent reception of our Lord, and by the example of their parents in attendance at Mass.*

**1st Holy Communions take place**

**Our Lady of Lourdes**-Sat 25th May, 11am;  
**Ss John & Columba’s**-Sat 22nd June, 10am;  
**St Peter in Chains**-Sat 22nd June, 5pm.

**Holy Day of Obligation:** Solemnity of the Ascension of the Lord, takes place on Thursday 30th May. Masses in our parish will be as follows:

**Vigil (Wed) at 7pm in St Peter in Chains 10.00am in Ss John & Columba’s 7pm in Our Lady of Lourdes**

**Archdiocesan Lourdes Day 2019:** The annual Archdiocesan Lourdes Day will take place on Sunday 26 May at the Gillis Centre in Edinburgh between 3pm and 5pm. The event aims to recreate the spirit of Lourdes within the Archdiocese and will consist of a Marian procession, Solemn Benediction and the Blessing of the Sick. It is organised by organised by The Edinburgh Lourdes Hospitalité and Youth for Lourdes. *All very welcome.*

**Lourdes Appeal for Medical Staff:** The Archdiocese of St Andrews & Edinburgh Pilgrimage to Lourdes is appealing for more medical staff – and especially nurses – to join them on this year’s pilgrimage, 5 - 12 July 2019. Some funding is available for those interested. Could that be you? If so, contact Claire Banks on 07930 928489.

**St Margaret’s Pilgrimage 2019:** The annual summer pilgrimage in honour of St Margaret will take place on Sunday 2 June in Dunfermline. Itinerary: Ecumenical prayers at Dunfermline Abbey, 11am; Guides available for historic tours, 12 noon onwards; Public procession of relics, 2.15pm; Holy Mass with Archbishop Cushley as main celebrant, 3pm. It should be a great day. *All are very welcome.*

**A Facilitator’s Training Day for Prepare-Enrich** will take place on Saturday 8<sup>th</sup> June 2019 from 10am till 5pm in St Albert’s Catholic Chaplaincy, 24 George Square, Edinburgh, EH8 9LD. The Facilitator’s Training equips participants to take couples through the programme and facilitate their learning. Both individuals and couples are welcome to train as facilitators. Further details can be obtained from [www.prepare-enrich.co.uk](http://www.prepare-enrich.co.uk) or phone 07979142905.