## LITURGICAL TIMETABLE FOR COMING WEEK

Saturday 28th Sept Vigil of the 26th Sunday of the Year	4.15pm <b>5.00pm</b>	St Peter in Chains St Peter in Chains	Confessions Holy Mass	Tom Cosgrove & Matthew Watson RIP
Sunday 29th Sept Twenty-Sixth Sunday of the Year	9.30am 11.30am 4.00pm 5.00pm	Ss John & Columba's Our Lady of Lourdes Our Lady of Lourdes Our Lady of Lourdes	Holy Mass Holy Mass Exposition Holy Mass	Christine Milligin RIP Pro Populo Jim Magill RIP
Monday 30th Sept Feast of St Jerome	10.00am	St Peter in Chains	Holy Mass	No Intention
Tuesday 1st October Memorial of St Therese of the Child Jesus	10.00am 6.00pm 6.15pm 6.30pm 7.00pm	Our Lady of Lourdes  Ss John & Columba's  Ss John & Columba's  Ss John & Columba's  Ss John & Columba's	Holy Mass  Exposition Vespers Confessions Holy Mass	Mairead McKenzie RIP Canon Judge RIP
Wednesday 2nd Oct Memorial of the Guardian Angels	10.00am	St Peter in Chains	Holy Mass	Henry Milne RIP
Thursday 3rd October in the 26th Week of the Year	10.00am 6.00pm 6.15pm 6.30pm 7.00pm	Ss John & Columba's  Our Lady of Lourdes  Our Lady of Lourdes  Our Lady of Lourdes  Our Lady of Lourdes	Holy Mass  Exposition Vespers Confessions Holy Mass	Fr Brendan Smith RIP Martin Wallace RIP
Friday 4th October  Memorial of St Francis of Assisi	10.00am	St Peter in Chains	Holy Mass	No Intention
Saturday 5th October in the 26th Week of the Year	<b>10.00am</b> 10.30am	Ss John & Columba's Ss John & Columba's	Holy Mass Confessions	No Intention
Vigil of the 27th Sunday of the Year	4.15pm <b>5.00pm</b>	St Peter in Chains St Peter in Chains	Confessions Holy Mass	Fr Brendan Smith RIP
Sunday 6th October Twenty-Seventh Sunday of the Year	9.30am 11.30am 4.00pm 5.00pm	Ss John & Columba's Our Lady of Lourdes Our Lady of Lourdes Our Lady of Lourdes	Holy Mass Holy Mass Exposition Holy Mass	Pro Populo Helen Bain RIP Canon Judge RIP

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# THE CATHOLIC PARISH OF THE MOST HOLY TRINITY



## TWENTY SIXTH SUNDAY OF THE YEAR (C/1)

29th September 2019

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The rich man who has everything and who closes himself up in himself, loses God, loses the richness, loses life, loses himself, loses his name, loses everything. The poor man who has nothing, has God, gains life, has a name, gains everything. The poor man is Lazarus; he is "God helps". God comes to us in the person of the poor man sitting at our door, to help us overcome the insurmountable abyss created by the rich who have no heart. Lazarus is also Jesus, the poor Messiah and servant, who was not accepted, but whose death radically changed all things. And in the light of the death of the poor man, everything changes.

The place of torment is the situation of the people without God. Even if the rich man thinks that he has a religion and faith, he does not know how to be with God because he does not open the door to the poor man, as Zacchaeus did (Lk 19:1-10).

## **Response to the Psalm:**

My soul, give praise to the Lord

## **Gospel Acclamation:**

Alleluia, Alleluia, Alleluia!

Jesus Christ was rich, but he became poor for your sake,
to make you rich out of his poverty.

## Please remember in your prayers the sick and infirm

Canon McAllister, Fr Joe Millar, Maureen McLeod, James Morris, Elaine McCormick, Sandra Graham, Ester Wren, Daniel Cornet, Mona Linton, Madge Speed, Ann-Marie Bevan, Patricia Phee, Angie Kempson, Margaret Barratt, Margaret Lynch, Theresa Murphy, Edith Bryant, Elizabeth McVay, Veronica Fogherty, David and Lynnis Dean, Colin Reid, Teresa Lafferty, Martin Lacey, Ann and Bob Schanz, Sandra Christie, Catherine Grover and Jennifer Imrie Our Lady, Mother of the sick—pray for them

## Of your charity, please pray for the recently deceased

Catherine Grover 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 <u>Thursday morning</u> for inclusion in the weekend bulletin.

<u>Church</u>	<u>Gift Aid</u>	Loose monies	Stand Orders	<u>Total</u>
St Peter in Chains	£150.00	£167.92	£121.00	£438.92
Ss John & Columba's	£42.00	£113.70	£372.00	£527.70
Our Lady of Lourdes	£321.00	£393.38	£54.75	£769.13

Thank you for your generosity

# **NEWS & EVENTS**

Welcome to the Parish of the Most Holy Trinity: 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!

October devotions: before the Sunday (including Vigil) Masses we will recite the Rosary followed by the Litany of Loreto. In October there is a plenary indulgence for reciting the Rosary in a Church, family or pious association.

**Mother's Prayers:** Our next meeting is on Wednesday 2nd October, at Olol hall at 11am *all welcome*.

Macmillan Coffee Morning: P7 at St John's Primary School would like to invite parishioners to a Macmillan Coffee Morning! It is on Friday the 4th of October from 9.15am to 10.40am. It is £2 to get in and for that you gets tea/coffee and a cake. There is also going to be a raffle, grid games and more cakes to buy.

Children's Liturgy: A day for Children's Liturgy leaders takes place on Saturday 5th October at Gillis. Registration is online at Eventbrite (search 'Day for Children's Liturgy Leaders'). Alternatively, call 0131 623 8900.

The Beginning Experience is hosting a weekend for those who find themselves suffering bereavement through divorce, separation or widowhood will take place on the 4th-6th October at the Comforti Centre in Coatbridge. For details please contact beginningexperiencescotland@hotmail.com or 0131 665 3383.

Adult Formation Day: This day will take place at the Gillis Centre on 19 October 2019 at 10am. On this day, we will officially launch our partnership with the Maryvale Institute, Birmingham. Maryvale are offering two courses through this diocese, a

Certificate in Catechesis and a Certificate in Parish Mission and Ministry. If you would be interested in these courses, please contact Fr Daniel Doherty

at <u>VEcatechetics@staned.org.uk</u> or 01236 822136.

Rachel's Vineyard: A retreat for spiritual and emotional healing after abortion will be held north of Glasgow from 22nd to 24th October. This retreat is helpful for those affected by their own or someone else's abortion. For more information, please call or text Sr Andrea on 07816 942824 or use the enquiry form at www.rachelsvineyard.org.uk

Mass Intentions: with there now being 2 priests and Holy Mass being celebrated 12 times in a week, there are more opportunities to have Mass offered for a particular intention, be it for a loved one living or dead, for a special occasion/anniversary etc. Mass cards are available for purchase in the piety stalls for a variety of celebrations, that the priests are more than happy to sign. Please complete one the Mass Intention envelopes with the information required. *Thank you* 

Stewardship Reflection: "My child, remember that you received what was good during your lifetime while Lazarus likewise received what was bad; but now he is comforted here, whereas you are tormented. Moreover, between us and you a great chasm is established..." (Luke 16:25-26)

When God created the world He declared that it was good and He gave it to all mankind for us to enjoy. However, over the years we have created a chasm between those who have great gifts and those who do not. In today's Gospel we see that with our own generosity we must bridge that gap between those who have much and those who have little or we may find ourselves on the wrong side of the chasm in the next life.