LITURGICAL TIMETABLE FOR COMING WEEK

Saturday 8thFebruary Vigil of the 5th Sunday of the Year	4.15pm 5.00pm	<i>St Peter in Chains</i> St Peter in Chains	Confessions Holy Mass	George Wade RIP	
Sunday 9th February <i>Fifth Sunday of the Year</i>	9.30am	Ss John & Columba's	Holy Mass	Pro Populo	
	11.30am	Our Lady of Lourdes	Holy Mass	No Intention	
	4.00pm 5.00pm	<i>Our Lady of Lourdes</i> Our Lady of Lourdes	<i>Exposition</i> Holy Mass	No Intention	
Monday 10th February <i>Memorial of St Scholastica</i>	10.00am	St Peter in Chains	Holy Mass	No Intention	
Tuesday 11th February <i>Memorial of Our Lady of</i> <i>Lourdes</i>	10.00am	Our Lady of Lourdes	Holy Mass	Anna Hain RIP	
	6.00pm 6.15pm 6.30pm 7.00pm	Ss John & Columba's Ss John & Columba's Ss John & Columba's Ss John & Columba's	Exposition Vespers Confessions Holy Mass	Agnes Ash RIP	
Wednesday 12th Feb 5th Week of the Year	10.00am	St Peter in Chains	Holy Mass	No Intention	
Thursday 13th February 5th Week of the Year	6.00pm 6.15pm 6.30pm 7.00pm	Our Lady of Lourdes Our Lady of Lourdes Our Lady of Lourdes Our Lady of Lourdes	Exposition Vespers Confessions Holy Mass	No Intention	
Friday 14th February Feast of St Cyril & St Methodius	10.00am	St Peter in Chains	Holy Mass	No Intention	
Saturday 15th February 5th Week of the Year	10.00am 10.30am	Ss John & Columba's Ss John & Columba's	Holy Mass Confessions	No Intention	
Vigil of the 6th Sunday of the Year	4.15pm 5.00pm	<i>St Peter in Chains</i> St Peter in Chains	Confessions Holy Mass	No Intention	
Sunday 16th February Sixth Sunday of the Year	9.30am	Ss John & Columba's	Holy Mass	No Intention	
	11.30am	Our Lady of Lourdes	Holy Mass	Pro Populo	
	4.00pm 5.00pm	<i>Our Lady of Lourdes</i> Our Lady of Lourdes	<i>Exposition</i> Holy Mass	Tom Mullen RIP	

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FIFTH SUNDAY OF THE YEAR (A/2)

9th February 2020

PARISH COMMUNICATIONS

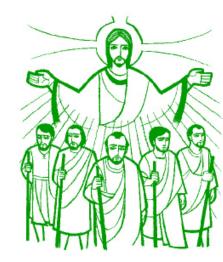
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The four verses of the Gospel of this Sunday (Mt 5: 13-16) are found among the eight Beatitudes (Mt 5: 1-12) and the explanation of how the Law transmitted by Moses is to be understood (Mt 5: 17-19). Then follows the new reading which Jesus makes of the commandments of the Law of God (Mt 5: 20-48). Jesus asks us to consider the purpose of the Law which according to Him is contained in the words: "Be perfect as your Heavenly Father is perfect" (Mt 5: 48). Jesus asks us to imitate God! At the origin of this new teaching of Jesus is found the new experience which He has of God the Father. Observing the Law in this way, we will be salt of the earth and light of the world.

<u>Response to the Psalm:</u> The good man is a light in the darkness for the upright. <u>Gospel Acclamation:</u> Alleluia, Alleluia, Alleluia! I am the light of the world, says the Lord;

anyone who follows me will have the light of life.

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, 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, Sandra Christie, Eleanor Haggett, Bonnie Gauson, Susan Stevenson and Jennifer Imrie *Our Lady, Mother of the sick—pray for them*

Of your charity, please pray for the recently deceased

Parish Safeguarding Coordinators

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.

Church	<u>Gift Aid</u>	Loose monies	Stand Orders	<u>Total</u>
St Peter in Chains	£201.00	£208.452	£121.00	£530.45
Ss John & Columba's	£76.00	£105.30	£372.00	£553.30
Our Lady of Lourdes	£250.50	£427.04	£34.75	£712.29

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*!

Gift Aid: If you no longer pay Income Tax please notify your Gift Aid Co-ordinator as soon as possible. Gift Aid Co-coordinators: Ss John & Columba: Graham O'Connor; St. Peter in Chains: Moira McVey; Our Lady of Lourdes: Mary Irvine.

SS John & Columba SSVP are currently collecting groceries, white goods and double & single beds for those in need. If you can help, please contact David Hunter or any member of the SSVP. *Thank you.*

Mother's Prayers: Our next meeting is on Tuesday 11th Feb after Mass at Olol hall, *all welcome*.

Landings4Men: Too often men don't act on what their heart is telling them and their stability disappears in favour of Street Cred. The anchor slips it's hold and they start to drift into the dangerous waters of a society that sends out mixed messages as to what the role of modern man is to be. The first thing that Catholic men loose is prayer followed by attendance at Mass. They are adrift. When their heart tells them it's time to go home, they doubt the truth and think of all sorts of excuses, most of all that they are not good enough to come home.

You are wrong Guys! The door is always open and provides all the help you need.

Landings for men is an apostolate of welcome where ordinary Catholic guys welcome ordinary guys home to the Catholic Church.

For more information contact Deacon Pat Carrigan by email on <u>obl.columba@gmail.com</u> **Lourdes 2020:** Young adults (16-30) are invited to travel to Lourdes as part of the helper team for the annual Archdiocesan pilgrimage this summer, 10-17th July. Find out more at a meeting after Mass on the Feast of Our Lady of Lourdes, 3pm on Sunday 16th February at St Cuthbert's, Slateford Road, Edinburgh (meeting to begin circa 4:15pm). The pilgrimage is open to people of all ages – find out more at <u>https://www.edinburghlourdes.com/volunteer/</u>

Lent talks: 'Love Lent: The Call to Holiness'. These talks take place at the Gillis Centre on 1st, 15th and 29th March, from 5pm-7pm. They feature three different stories on God's call, from Archbishop Cushley (1st), Sister Mirjam Hugens (15th) and Fr Andrew Garden (29th). The talks will conclude with prayer followed by pizza and a chance to socialise. All events free and there's no need to register.

Concerts in the Cathedral: *Concerts in the Cathedral' - two fantastic shows at St Mary's Cathedral, Edinburgh, on Friday 6th March with musicians Aly Bain & Phil Cunningham and Saturday 7 March with Barbara Dickson. These will be lovely occasions and will also help to raise funds for the Cathedral. Tickets cost £25 per person, available from Eventbrite.*

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Stewardship Reflection: "Let your light shine before others, that they may see your good works and give glory to your Father who is in heaven." (Matthew 5:16) The generosity of being a good steward of your gifts has a positive effect on people, and it is contagious! Good works encourage more good works. Let your light shine! Be careful to recognize that God is working through you and don't put yourself above the people you have been called to help.