

LITURGICAL TIMETABLE FOR COMING WEEK

DATE	TIME	LITURGICAL ACT	PRESIDER	MASS INTENTION
Sunday 12th April <i>Easter Sunday</i>	10.00am	Holy Mass	<i>Fr Kevin</i>	<i>An end to the Corona-19 Virus</i>
Monday 13th April <i>in the octave of Easter</i>	12.30pm	Holy Mass	<i>Fr Kevin</i>	
	<i>2.45pm</i>	<i>Exposition & Divine Mercy Devotions</i>	<i>Fr Kevin</i>	
	<i>6.00pm</i>	<i>Evening Prayer</i>	<i>Deacon Pat</i>	
Tuesday 14th April <i>in the octave of Easter</i>	12.30pm	Holy Mass	<i>Fr Kevin</i>	
	<i>2.45pm</i>	<i>Exposition & Divine Mercy Devotions</i>	<i>Fr Kevin</i>	
	<i>6.00pm</i>	<i>Evening Prayer</i>	<i>Deacon Pat</i>	
Wed 15th April <i>in the octave of Easter</i>	12.30pm	Holy Mass	<i>Fr Kevin</i>	
	<i>2.45pm</i>	<i>Exposition & Divine Mercy Devotions</i>	<i>Fr Kevin</i>	
	<i>6.00pm</i>	<i>Evening Prayer</i>	<i>Deacon Pat</i>	
Thursday 16th April <i>in the octave of Easter</i>	12.30pm	Holy Mass	<i>Fr Kevin</i>	
	<i>2.45pm</i>	<i>Exposition & Divine Mercy Devotions</i>	<i>Fr Kevin</i>	
	<i>6.00pm</i>	<i>Evening Prayer</i>	<i>Fr Kevin</i>	
Friday 17th April <i>in the octave of Easter</i>	12.30pm	Holy Mass	<i>Fr Kevin</i>	
	<i>2.45pm</i>	<i>Exposition & Divine Mercy Devotions</i>	<i>Fr Kevin</i>	
	<i>6.00pm</i>	<i>Evening Prayer</i>	<i>Deacon Pat</i>	
Saturday 18th April <i>in the octave of Easter</i>	10.00am	Holy Mass	<i>Fr Kevin</i>	
Sunday 19th April <i>Divine Mercy Sunday</i>	10.00am	Holy Mass	<i>Fr Kevin</i>	<i>Pro Populo</i>
	<i>2.45pm</i>	<i>Exposition & Divine Mercy Devotions</i>	<i>Fr Kevin</i>	

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THE CATHOLIC PARISH OF
THE MOST HOLY TRINITY



EASTER SUNDAY (A)

12th April 2020

PARISH COMMUNICATIONS

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*"Set your minds on things that are above,
not on things that are on earth."
(Colossians 3:2)*

Do you put God first in all things?
Possessions, money, power, ego can
easily become gods to many of us.
Do a quick check of what is important to
you. Is God at the very top of the list?
If not, your priorities need to be
re-adjusted. Don't let earthly things
become a god before God. This is also the
first commandment – I am the Lord your
God, you shall not have any strange gods
before me.

Response to the Psalm:

This day was made by the Lord: we rejoice and are glad.

Gospel Acclamation:

Alleluia, Alleluia, Alleluia!

*Christ, our Passover, has been sacrificed:
let us celebrate the feast then, in the Lord.*

Please remember in your prayers the sick and infirm

Canon McAllister, Maureen McLeod, James Morris, Elaine McCormick, Sandra Graham, Ester Wren, Daniel Cornet, Ann-Marie Bevan, Patricia Phee, Angie Kempson, Margaret Lynch, Edith Bryant, Elizabeth McVay, Veronica Fogherty, David and Lynn Dean, Colin Reid, Martin Lacey, Sandra Christie, Eleanor Haggett, Bonnie Gauson, Susan Stevenson, Elizabeth Byrne and Jennifer Imrie

Our Lady, Mother of the sick—pray for them

Of your charity, please pray for the recently deceased

Elizabeth McNeely RIP and those who have died of Covid-19

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 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			£372.00	
Our Lady of Lourdes			£34.75	

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!*

Parish Activities: as you can expect, all parish activities, clubs, services etc are currently on hold. We do not know when the government will allow us to resume normal activities, and so please bear with us. Let us pray that the all clear may come soon, and that the virus does not claim anyone from our parish community.

During this trying time, both Deacon Pat and Fr Kevin have taken to social media to try and keep some form of parish activities on going. The timetable on the back of the newsletter, tells you of when and what we are doing. All of these Masses and services are being ‘live streamed’ through the parish Facebook pages: “**The Catholic Parish of the Most Holy Trinity**” and “**Most Holy Trinity Parish-Our Lady of Lourdes Church.**” If you have Facebook and you have not already ‘liked’ these pages (*why wouldn’t you have already?!!*), then please do so and keep in touch with the parish.

During this time of trial, as we have said before, if you are in need of anything, shopping, prescription etc, please do get in touch.

Although the obligation has been lifted for Catholics to attend Mass on Sundays, the obligation to keep Sunday as the Lord’s day has not been. We encourage you as a household, to take some time on Sundays to stop and read through the Mass readings together, and to reflect upon the Word of God. It is a good and pious act to make a Spiritual Communion.

A Spiritual Communion fir use when not able to receive our Lord physically:

My Jesus,
I believe that You
are present in the Most Holy Sacrament.
I love You above all things,
and I desire to receive You into my soul.
Since I cannot at this moment
receive You sacramentally,
come at least spiritually into my heart.

I embrace You as if You were already there
and unite myself wholly to You. Never permit
me to be separated from You.

Amen.

Parish finances and coronavirus: We have been asked how people can continue to support their parish when we cannot put money in the plate at church. If your income has been impacted by the crisis, please do not feel obliged to contribute at this time. If your income is secure and you wish to contribute, the best option would be to set up a standing order if you have not already done so. If you have online banking you can set this up quickly using the parish sort code and account number (if your circumstances change this can be amended/cancelled). We also have standing order forms available which you can complete, sign and post to your bank (using the branch address on your cheque book or bank statement).

Alternatively you can donate using electronic banking. The Parish account details are:

Sort Code: **833300**

Account Number: **19119778**

Account name: **Archdiocese of St Andrews & Edinburgh The Most Holy Trinity – Fife**

(Please include your name as the payment reference).

Please excuse the American spelling.....

Easter Word Search



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|-----------------|-------|--------------|-----------|
| Angel | Holy | Messiah | Savior |
| Cross | Hope | Resurrection | Third Day |
| Crown of Thorns | Jesus | Risen | |
| Easter | King | Sacrifice | |
| Empty Tomb | Love | Salvation | |
| Good Friday | Mary | Sunday | |



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The Bishops' Conference of Scotland has issued the following Easter Message.

"As we celebrate Easter this year we cannot escape the suffering inflicted upon us by the Covid-19 Virus. The pandemic is afflicting the whole world and we pray for all those who have caught the virus, their loved ones and those caring for them.

"Our lives are greatly restricted and on Easter Sunday, the holiest day of the Christian calendar, we will not be able to go to church. It is hard to find hope in the present situation, but as Christians, we know that the risen Lord is our hope. His suffering death and resurrection give us hope that we will recover, that life will get better and that our nation will feel the peace and love of the risen Christ.

"We also have hope in the ingenuity and the generosity of humanity. Though many uncertainties lie ahead, our hope and our determination to recover the lives we once lived is strong.

"We are grateful to all those who work in healthcare and supply the essential services we rely on. We especially give thanks for the commitment and compassion of our medical professionals and we pray that all their decisions will respect the lives of the most vulnerable, entrusted to their care.

"We pray too for the researchers around the world working to develop a vaccine and for our political leaders who must make difficult decisions.

"May God bless you all and our world this Easter."

Bishop Hugh Gilbert

Bishop John Keenan

Bishop Brian McGee

Archbishop Philip Tartaglia

Archbishop Leo Cushley

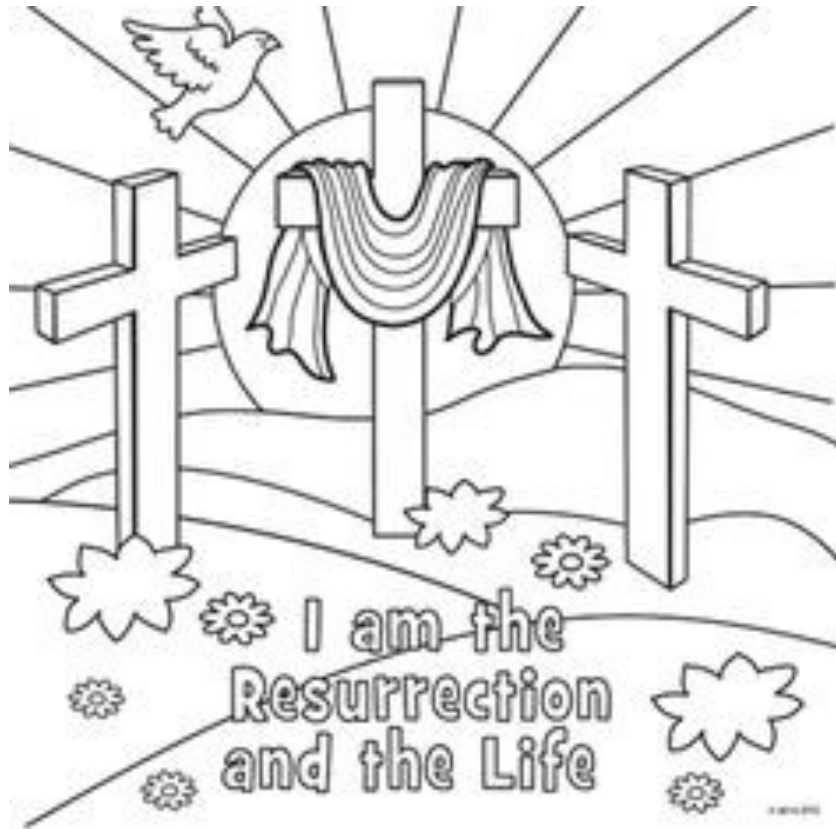
Bishop Joseph Toal

Bishop William Nolan

Bishop Stephen Robson

On behalf of Fr Nicholas, Deacon Pat and myself, may I wish a happy and holy Easter, and we look forward to when we can gather together again as the children of God and celebrate His great love for us in person. God bless you and your families, until then, stay safe.

Fr Kevin



A picture for you to
colour in.....

True or False Quiz

1. Very early Sunday morning, Mary Magdalene and two women went to the tomb to take spices and found the huge stone rolled away.
2. The guards told them that Jesus was alive.
3. The women looked inside the tomb and Jesus was not inside.
4. The women ran and told two disciples that Jesus' body was gone and that they were told that Jesus was alive.
5. Paul and John ran to the tomb to see if Jesus' body was gone.
6. John got there first, but did not go in until Paul went inside.
7. They found inside the tomb, the cloths Jesus had been wrapped in.
8. They thought someone had stolen Jesus' body.
9. When Paul was at the tomb later by himself, Jesus came to talk to him.
10. Jesus rose from the dead.
11. Jesus was resurrected on the third day.
12. John told the disciples that he had seen Jesus and that he had spoken to Him.
13. Mary Magdalene was the first person to see Jesus.
14. Two disciples saw Jesus on the road to Emmaus.
15. At first, the disciples did not recognize him and thought he was a stranger.
16. Jesus appeared to the disciples suddenly in a locked room.
17. The disciples thought that Jesus must be a ghost.
18. They believed it was Jesus when they saw his wounds on His hands and feet.
19. Paul was not with present when Jesus appeared to his followers.
20. Peter would not believe that Jesus was alive until he saw the marks of the nails on Jesus' hands and feet, and touched the wound in Jesus' side.