

## St Cuthberts & Our Ladys

Parishes of the Archdiocese of St. Andrews and Edinburgh (A Charity registered in Scotland No SC008540)



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## Office Timings:

Tues: 11:00 a.m to 2.00 p.m, Thurs:11:00 a.m to 2.00 p.m & Fri: 3:00 p.m to 5:00 p.m

 $19^{\text{TH}}$  JUNE, 2022. The Solemnity of the Most Holy Body

and Blood of Jesus Christ (Corpus Christi)

First Reading: Gen 14: 18-20

Responsorial psalm: 110: You are a priest for ever,a priest

like Melchizedek of old

Second Reading: 1Cor 11: 23-26

Gospel: Luke 9: 11-17



**Dear Parishioners.** Today gives us an opportunity to reflect on our celebration of the Eucharist in a way that we may not have time for on MaundyThursday. This action is central to who we are as Christians. It defines us and builds up the Church as the Body of Christ in the world so that we can continue Jesus' mission on earth. Let us enter into this celebration giving praise and thanks to God for so great a gift.

Gospel reflection. There is perhaps no more heart-wrenching sight than the malnourished and starving. These sights demand a response from us. We know there is food in abundance; we know we are a nation that generally overeats. We know that often the world hunger problem is tied into politics. We know all these facts. And so when we celebrate this particular feast and hear these readings we are once more prodded to respond. Our own share in God's abundant gifts to us demands that those gifts spill out for those in need. The gospel moves from the practical, tangible level to the mystery of God's abundance and excess; from our being in control to surrendering ourselves so that God provides all we need. (Living Liturgy, p.150)

St Cuthbert's Church		Our Lady, Mother of the Church	
Mass Intentions	Mass Timings	Mass Intentions	
Len Lirkland	Wed. 22 June 10am	Harry & Anne Dempsey (RIP)	
Paul Steven Kathryn Green (RIP)	Fri. 24 June 10am (Reconcilition after Mass)	Mary Montgomery (RIP)	
Helen McGarry RIP			
William Richmon (RIP)	Sun. 26 June 11.30am	Sylvia Campbell (RIP)	
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## Updates:

**First Holy Communion.** Today, the 19<sup>th</sup> of June,2022, we shall have some of our Kids receive the Sacrament of the Holy Eucharist for the first time. Could we kindly keep them in prayers.

**St Cuthbert's Church Hall**: We sincerely thank two of our Parishioners who have volunteered to assist in the management of our Parish hall, we still look forward to about two or three more volunteers. This will facilitate the availability and continuous use of the church hall for family celebrations, community events, social activities e.t.c. Interested persons should kindly meet with Fr francis, Mary Mulliga or Ben Malone.

Peter's Pence. A collection for the annual Peter's Pence will take place in our parishes on Sunday 26 June.

MA in Applied Catholic Theology. The MA in Applied Catholic Theology is being offered by St Mary's University in partnership with the Archdiocese of St Andrews & Edinburgh, at the Gillis Centre in Edinburgh, beginning in September. The course provides a thorough grounding in key aspects of Catholic theology and develops the key skills to apply that theology to the challenges and opportunities of the contemporary world. Teaching is flexible and the programme is suitable for graduates of most academic disciplines. Find out more at www.stmarys.ac.uk/edinburgh

Lourdes: If you're a nurse, please consider taking part in the Archdiocesan Pilgrimage to Lourdes 8-15 July. The pilgrimage committee is looking for a night nurse (full funding available) and nurses to join the medical team. Contact Claire Banks, chief nurse, on 07930 928489 for more info. There is also still space for assisted pilgrims who will have 24hr care on the pilgrimage. Helpers and hotel pilgrims are also welcome. More info at <a href="https://www.edinburgh-lourdes.com">www.edinburgh-lourdes.com</a>

Corpus Christi Procession. As part of the Eucharistic renewal in the Archdiocese this liturgical year, you are invited to take part in a Corpus Christi procession, led by Archbishop Cushley, at St Francis Xavier's in Falkirk on *Sunday 19 June at 3pm*. Gather at the Bandstand in High Street (FK1 1YD) before processing to St Francis Xavier's Parish (around 20 min walk). This is a major event for the Archdiocese and should be a beautiful and prayerful experience (as well as a chance to be a witness to the Eucharistic Christ in public).

Archdiocesan St Vincent de Paul Mass. Renato Lima de Oliveira, International President General of the Society of St Vincent de Paul, will attend the annual Archdiocesan SSVP Mass at St Patrick's Church in The Cowgate, Edinburgh, at 7pm on Friday 24 June. A buffet will be served after Mass. All welcome.

**Family- Afternoon**. A Family Afternoon at the Gillis Centre will take place on *Saturday 25 June, 2.00pm-5.00pm at the Gillis Centre, 100 Stratheam Road, Edinburgh, EH9 1BB.* It will include separate sessions for adults and children, focusing on *The Eucharist: Source of Family Love*, family prayer time in St Margaret's Chapel and family games. This event coincides with the 10th World Meeting of Families taking place in Rome. Details and registration at <a href="https://bit.ly/ArchEventbrite">bit.ly/ArchEventbrite</a>

Justice & Peace event. An event titled Caritas, Justice and Peace – a Synodal Way Forward takes place on Saturday 25 June, 10:00am-3:30pm at Ss John Cantius & Nicholas, Main Street, Broxburn, EH52 5RJ. It's a chance for everyone who sees Caritas, Justice and Peace as integral to their Catholic faith to participate in shaping the agenda of the Archdiocesan Commission for Caritas, Justice & Peace over the next two years. All welcome. Details and registration at <a href="mailto:bit.ly/justiceandpeaceevent">bit.ly/justiceandpeaceevent</a>

**40 Hours' Devotion**. Each parish in the Archdiocese is having 40 hours of Exposition of the Blessed Sacrament to help renew our Faith and love of Jesus Christ. This weekend (*12 June*) it's at The Most Holy Trinity, West Fife, and St Matthew's in Rosewell. See parish websites/social media for dates/times. Full programme for the Archdiocese is at <a href="bit.ly/40hoursschedule">bit.ly/40hoursschedule</a>. Find out more about Eucharistic Adoration: <a href="bit.ly/40HoursPlaylist">bit.ly/40HoursPlaylist</a>

**Fr. Francis will be away** from Wednesday 29 June till the end of July, 2022. In the case of emergencies, Parishioners of St Cuthbert's should kindly contact Mary Mulligan, Jeanette O'Rourke or Ben Malone while parishioners of Our lady's Currie should contact Tony Allan or Val Lawrie.

Offertory Collection for last week:

St. Cuthbert's, £631.50

Our Lady's £303.22

Thank you for your generosity, May God bless and replenish you.