



ST CUTHBERT'S CHURCH & OUR LADY MOTHER OF THE CHURCH.



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Weekend of 30/31 March, 2024

2ND SUNDAY OF EASTER (DIVINE MERCY).

YEAR B

1st Reading: Acts of the Apostles. 4.32-35

Response to the psalm: Give thanks to the lord for he is good, for his love has no end.

2nd Reading: 1st letter of St John. 5. 1-6

Gospel Acclamation: Alleluia, Alleluia!!!

Jesus said: You believe because you can see me. Happy are those who have not seen and yet believe. Alleluia.

Gospel: John 20: 19-31

WEEKEND MASS TIMES

Saturday Vigil Mass

St Cuthbert's: 6.00pm

Sunday Morning Masses

St. Cuthbert's: 9.30am

Our Lady's Curriehill: 11.30am



**Humanity will not find peace until it turns trustfully to divine mercy.*
(St. Faustina's Diary p. 132)*

Dear Parishioners, Today, we are reminded that, there is no greater demonstration of faith in action, than the love of others which is the most challenging and in human terms demands giving of ourselves. As we celebrate the "divine mercy" of God this weekend, we are showcased that, the love of God which is all about self-giving is seen in His giving His only begotten son for our salvation. What are giving to our families, our Parish, our communities and our world?

PARISH UPDATES. Gift aid boxes for the new tax year. This has just begun on 6 April (this weekend). Gift aid boxes are now available at the back of the church. Please discard any remaining envelopes from last year, and kindly use only the new ones. If you donate, using the standing order with your banks, we still recommend that you get box for the special collections envelopes which allow your special collection donation to attract gift aid during the year. If you are a tax payer and you are interested in becoming a gift-aider, kindly meet the following persons; **Kay or Anthony (for our Lady's) And Stuart Harley, Mary Mulligan or Jeanette O'Rourke for (St. Cuthbert's).**

Act now to stop DIY abortion up to birth Diana Johnson MP has tabled an amendment (New Clause 1) to the Government's Criminal Justice Bill, which is coming up for Report stage in Parliament in early March. This amendment seeks to change criminal law so that "no offence is committed by a woman acting in relation to her own pregnancy" at any gestation. This means that a woman who induced her abortion at home using pills (or any other method) at any stage of pregnancy, including just before natural birth, would commit no offence. This is dangerous for women and lethal for unborn babies. Please contact your MP urgently, asking them to oppose this extreme and barbaric proposal. You can do this using SPUC's easy to use webtool, at <https://www.spuc.org.uk/abortionamendments>. Please pray for the defeat of this amendment, for protection of unborn babies, and help and comfort for mothers in need.

Parish Hall is available for rent. This is to inform us that the St Cuthbert's Hall is available to parishioners. You can book for family birthdays, weddings, parties etc (Parishioners will enjoy some discounts). It is also open to the community. For more information call **07711953146**.

St. Cuthbert's Offertory Collections.

Last Sunday's collection; 31 March, 2024: **£1191.40**

Our Lady's Offertory Collections.

Last Sunday's collection; 31 March, 2024: **£684.20**

ST CUTHBERT'S, SLATEFORD

MASS TIMINGS	MASS INTENTIONS	MASS DONOR
Tuesday 9 April 9.00 am	Penelope & Derek Bryce 30 Yrs.(Pearl Wedding Anniversary)	
Thursday 11 April 9.00 am		
Saturday 13 April 10.00 am (Confessions after Mass) Saturday Vigil Mass 6.00pm		
Sunday 14 April 9.30 am	Safe arrival of baby Isaac	Janice & Brian

Adoration of our Lord in the Blessed Sacrament holds on Saturday at 9.30am before the 10am. Mass We are all invited to be part of this.

200 Club winners: The following numbers are the luck winners for the month of March: 27, 96 and 55. Congratulations to them. You can also be a lucky winner by registering with Catherine.

Special collection: There will be a diocesan special collection (Lenten Alms) next weekend (14 April). We are encouraged to donate generously.

Catechism classes resumes next week at 4pm, Candidates for the sacrament of confirmation are advised to be punctual as usual, as they have only two more weekends of classes to round off their session.

Catechism classes for the candidates for the first Holy communion will commence on the 27 of April. Parents and Guardians are encouraged to register their Children as soon as possible.

OUR LADY MOTHER OF THE CHURCH, CURRIE

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Wednesday 10 April 10.00 am		
Friday 12 April 10.00 am		
Sunday 14 April 11.30 am		

Children's Liturgy is on-going. We encourage all our Children in the parish to come and be part of the great experience in the Children's liturgy every Sunday. Children of all ages are welcome; however we kindly ask parents whose children are below the ages of 5 to come along with children.

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Blessings to you, your families and those who are dear to you in Jesus' name, Amen. ~ Fr Francis