



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



Archdiocese of St Andrews & Edinburgh

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Office Timings: Tue: 11.00 am - 2.00 pm | Thurs: 11.00 am - 2.00 pm | Fri. 3.00 pm - 5.00 pm

Weekend of 11/12 May, 2024

SEVENTH SUNDAY OF EASTER YEAR B

1st Reading: Acts of the Apostles 1:15-17.20-26

Response to the psalm: *The Lord has set his sway in heaven.*

2nd Reading: First letter of St. John 4:11-16

Gospel Acclamation: *Alleluia, Alleluia!!! I will not leave you orphans, says the Lord; I will come back to you, and your hearts will be full of Joy. Alleluia.*

Gospel: John: 17:11-19

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**



Dear Parishioners, Jesus promises us that he will be with us and not leave us orphans. He understands that following him especially in our contemporary world was going to come with challenges and even persecutions. As Pentecost approaches, we are encouraged to prepare and wait patiently with our minds open for the coming of the Holy Spirit. Jesus encourages us to remain true to our Christian roots- to be consecrated to the truth. This means that we are to have value system, not dictated by the prevailing spirit of the age or the trends of the society, but based on the gospel message.

PARISH UPDATES. Mass Booking; We are reminded that the booking of mass for our special intentions, wedding anniversaries, Birthday thanksgiving, Death anniversaries of our loved ones and general prayers is highly recommended. The mass stipends (Donations) are part of our contribution towards the good of the church and support of your priest.

No Mass from the 6th to the 9th of May. As a result of the on-going Canonical visit of the SMMM Superior General, Fr Francis will be away for important meetings from Monday 6th of May to Thursday 9th of May. Mass resumes on Friday 10th of May at Our Lady's.

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**.

Charity Afternoon Tea. This Sunday 12th of May from 1 pm, there will be Afternoon tea at St. Cuthbert's hall. There will be afternoon tea, raffle, bingo, tombola; in aid of parish projects. Tickets are available £10.

Special Collection. There will be an Archdiocesan special collection (Communication) next weekend.

Pentecost Sunday: Next Sunday is Pentecost and it will be awesome to hear us pray in different languages. We kindly request for about six volunteers who are willing to lead in the prayers of the faithful to kindly write down their names and contacts.

<p>St. Cuthbert's Offertory Collections. Last Sunday's collection; 28 April 2024: £530.80 Special Collection: Ecclesiastical students £330.40</p>	<p>Our Lady's Offertory Collections. Last Sunday's collection; 28 April, 2024: £338.26</p>
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ST CUTHBERT'S, SLATEFORD

MASS TIMINGS	MASS INTENTIONS	MASS DONOR
Tuesday 14 May 9.00 am	Patrick Mcherry (RIP)	
Thursday 16 May 9.00 am	Josephine & Michael Mulligan Death Anniversary	Mary & John Mulligan
Saturday 18 May 10.00 am (<i>Confessions after Mass</i>)	Willie & Evette Simon (Death Anniversary)	Ernie
Saturday Vigil Mass 6.00pm	Mark Momodu (Special Intention)	
Sunday 19 May 9.30 am		

Parish Health and Safety Fire Safety Team. It is very important that anyone who comes to church, visits the house or uses the hall is safe. The Archdiocese has asked that we provide a record of checks to do with fire safety and general health and safety. **We need a small group of people to oversee this process so if you could give a little of your time to help with this please speak to Fr Francis as soon as possible.** No previous experience is necessary, help and support will be provided.

Passkeepers Each week when we come to church there are a small group of people ready to welcome us. They are available during mass should you need help. They would like more people to join them as passkeepers so if you feel you could give a little of your time before, during and after mass please speak to Jeanette O Rourke or Ben Malone.

May Altar Flowers. During the month of May, on each Sunday, we shall reintroduce the custom for parishioners to bring along simple bunches of flowers from their garden or similar to adorn the May altar in honour of Our Lady. The flowers will be gathered up by the children at the beginning of Mass. All floral contributions would be welcome.

200 club winners for April. The lucky numbers for the month of April are: **4, 155 and 199.** Congratulations!

OUR LADY MOTHER OF THE CHURCH, CURRIE

MASS TIMINGS	MASS INTENTIONS	MASS DONOR
Wednesday 15 May 10.00 am	Theresa Tartaglia Death Anniversary	
Friday 17 May 10.am		
Sunday 19 May 11.30 am	Barbara Somerville Post humus birthday	

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.

Our Lady's Currie; May Altar Flowers. During the month of May, on each Sunday, it has been the custom for parishioners to bring along simple bunches of flowers from their garden or similar to adorn the May altar in honour of Our Lady. The flowers will be gathered up by the children at the beginning of Mass. All floral contributions would be welcome.

Postponement of tea & Coffee. Our Lady's Coffee morning after mass on Sunday 12th May is postponed until the following Sunday - 19th May. This will allow people to attend the Afternoon Tea at St Cuthbert's on the 12th May.

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