



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 27/28 JULY, 2024

SEVENTEENTH WEEK IN THE ORDINARY TIME OF YEAR B

1st Reading: Kings. 4:42-44

Response to the Psalm: *You open wide your hand, O Lord, and grant our desires.*

2nd Reading: Ephesians. 4:1-6

Gospel Acclamation: *Alleluia, Alleluia!!!*

Your words are spirit, Lord and they are life, you have the message of eternal life. Alleluia.

Gospel: John 6:1-15

WEEKEND MASS TIMES

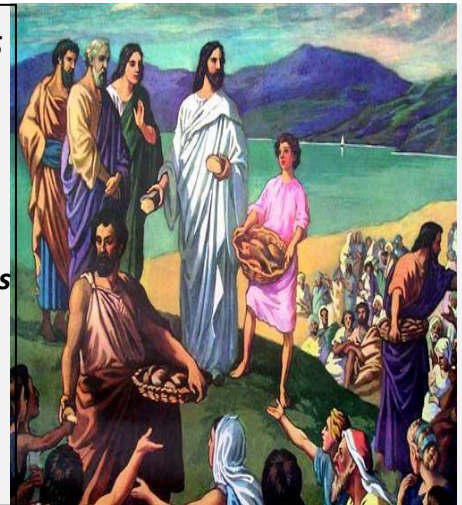
Saturday Vigil Mass
St Cuthbert's: 6.00pm

Sunday Morning Masses

St. Cuthbert's: 9.30 am

Our Lady's Curriehill:

11.30 am



Dear Friends, today's gospel presents us with the story of how Jesus had compassion on the hungry. They had been following him, listening to his message of eternal life. By this act, Jesus teaches us that it is important that we share what we have with those who are less well off, especially those who are starving. Perhaps, we are so blessed in this part of the world that we hardly know the experience of those who suffer hunger and want. Real hunger has the capacity to darken the mind and make an honest person to become a thief. The hungry multitude is still with us, crying out for the basic necessities of life. Truth be said, there is food enough in the world for the basic needs of all people but not enough for people's greed. Lets us join hands in making our world better by being generous and willing to share.

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.

INVITATION TO A RETREAT: St Joseph's Catholic Church, Broomhouse invites all to a two evenings of praise and worship, anointed teaching and healing adoration. Dates: 10 & 11 August. 2pm – 6pm

African/Caribbean mass: The monthly African/Caribbean mass takes place next Sunday (August 4) at St Cuthbert's Catholic Church. Time 2pm. We are all invited.

Archbishop Paul Bakyenga, the Archbishop of Mbarara, in southwest Uganda, died a year ago in his home diocese. He was a former student of the then St. Andrews and Edinburgh diocesan seminary at Drygrange, near Melrose, from 1967-1971. He was the third Ugandan student that studied at Drygrange between 1959-71. He maintained contact with this diocese through several priest friends and parishes he had special contact with. One of the final contacts with the diocese was with St. Mary Magdalene's, Glenrothes, the parishioners of which helped develop a medical centre in the Mbarara diocese. On Saturday 3rd August at 10.00am there will be an anniversary Mass in Holy Cross Church, Bangholm Loan, Ferry Rd., Edinburgh EH5 3AH. All old friends and acquaintances are invited to take part in this Mass to thank God for the life of Archbishop Paul both in Uganda and Scotland.

Up-coming events in the archdiocese. For a full list of forthcoming events in the Archdiocese visit <https://archedinburgh.org/newsevents/>

St. Cuthbert's Offertory Collections.

Last Sunday's collection; 21 July, 2024: £536.40

Special collection {Stella Maris} £335.90

Our Lady's Offertory Collections.

Last Sunday's collection; 21 July, 2024: £376.80

Special collection {Stella Maris} £151.55

ST CUTHBERT'S, SLATEFORD

MASS TIMINGS	MASS INTENTIONS	MASS DONOR
Tuesday 30 July 9.00 am		
Thursday 1 August 9.00 am	Maria & Jac Successful Surgery & Quick recovery	
Saturday 3 August 10.am <i>(Confessions after Mass)</i>	Owen Brannigan (Anniversary)	
Saturday Vigil Mass 6.pm	Joyce Kerr (RIP)	
Sunday 4 August 9.30 am	Phil Rowlinson Anniversary	Susan Rowlinson

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.

Pass-keepers. 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 pass-keepers 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 Malon.

OUR LADY MOTHER OF THE CHURCH, CURRIE

MASS TIMINGS	MASS INTENTIONS	MASS DONOR
Wednesday 31 July 10.am		
Friday 2 August 10.am		
Sunday 4 August 11.30am	John Corr	

Our Lady's 100 Club. We are happy to announce that the parish 100 club will soon be re-started. This club was organised and run by our Gerry Mcque and the late Jim Kane. Both of them did a great job and in fact about £2000 which they generated was part of the money we used in installing the new speakers and modern sound system we now have in the parish. We humbly call on volunteers who would like to assist in organising this club to kindly meet Fr Francis or Val Lawrie.

The most recent copy of Safeguarding Matters is available on the notice board at the back of the Church -please feel free to read and return. It is also available on line. The Church is continually trying to improve its safeguarding practices but needs the help of every parishioner to do so. If you have any worries or concerns or want to know more about the role of the parish safeguarding coordinator please contact Val Lawrie. (Contact details are on the Safeguarding poster at the back of the Church)

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