



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

Archdiocese of St Andrews & Edinburgh

**St. Cuthbert's Church**  
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**Office Times:** Tue: 11.00 am - 2.00 pm | Thurs: 11.00 am - 2.00 pm | Fri. 3.00 pm - 5.00 pm

## WEEKEND MASS TIMES

### **The Epiphany of the Lord – Year A -**

**3<sup>rd</sup> & 4<sup>th</sup> Jaunary 2026**

**1st Reading:** Isaiah 60: 1-6

**Responsorial Psalm.** All the nations on earth shall fall prostrate before you, O Lord.

**Second Reading:** Ephesians 3:2-3a, 5-6

**Gospel Acclamation:** Alleluia, Alleluia... We saw his star when it rose, and have come to worship the Lord .... Alleluia!

**Gospel:** Matthew 2:1-12

#### **Saturday Vigil Mass**

St Cuthbert's: 6.00pm

#### **Sunday Morning Mass**

St. Cuthbert's: 9.30 am

#### **Sunday Morning Mass**

Our Lady's Curriehill: 11.30 am



**Reflection!!** The annual telling of the Epiphany story could have us take it all for granted: magi from far-away places, guided only by a star, fabulously rich and so on. However, they were gentiles, outsiders, detested by all! Yet they sought out the New-born King when King Herod's religious advisors - who knew all the prophecies about the king being born in Bethlehem - made no move to go and see this wonderful deed of the Lord. Their gifts recognise that the Christ-Child is God (frankincense); that he is a king (gold); that he has come to die for us (myrrh).

## PARISH UPDATES

**Fr Francis Annual Leave** – Fr Francis will be away from 28<sup>th</sup> December for four weeks

**Shalom World** - Shalom World has 400+ hand-picked Christmas TV shows, including inspiring talks, music, children's stories and reflections for all ages. It's completely free - no pay walls or adverts - simply a gift to help families experience Christ this season. Go to [shalomworld.org/christmas](http://shalomworld.org/christmas)

**Catholic Families for Life** - The latest Catholic Families for Life Newsletter from the National Commission for Marriage, Family and Life is now available at [www.marriagefamilyandlife.org.uk](http://www.marriagefamilyandlife.org.uk)

**Justice & Peace** - Justice & Peace Scotland's latest newsletter is now available [www.jandpscotland.org.uk](http://www.jandpscotland.org.uk). Read about the latest advocacy and actions on the situation in the Holy Land, at-home poverty and the disregard for human dignity in the UK's immigration detention practices.

<p><b>St. Cuthbert's Offertory Collections</b> Last Sunday's collection: £574 / Christmas collection £1441</p>	<p><b>Our Lady's Offertory Collections.</b> December 14<sup>th</sup> £308 / December 21<sup>st</sup> £488 / December 28<sup>th</sup> £187 / Christmas Collection £816</p>
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## ST CUTHBERT'S, SLATEFORD

MASS TIMINGS	MASS INTENTIONS	MASS DONOR
Tuesday, January 6 <sup>th</sup> 9.00am	Deceased members of the Nwankwo, Onoh & Rapu families	
Thursday January 8 <sup>th</sup> 9.00am	Deceased members of the Storie, McCue families and John O'Rourke	Jeanette O'Rourke
Saturday January 9 <sup>th</sup> Adoration 9.30am Morning Mass 10.00am <i>(Confessions after mass)</i>	Deceased members of the Mackay, Cant & Orr, Higgins & Knox families	
Saturday Vigil mass 6pm	Ian & Betty MacDonald, Margaret Duke & Margaret Dickson	
Sunday, January 11 <sup>th</sup> 9.30 am	Deceased members of the Dominico & Manda families Anne MacKenzie (RIP)	Jeanette

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**Sunday Breakfasts** – Will resume next Sunday on 11<sup>th</sup> January.

## OUR LADY MOTHER OF THE CHURCH, CURRIE

MASS TIMINGS	MASS INTENTIONS	MASS DONOR
Wednesday, January 7 <sup>th</sup> 10.00am	Deceased members of the Meek, Gillon, Dignan and O'Donnell families	Rob & Margaret Meek
Friday January 9 <sup>th</sup> 10.00am	Deceased members of the Pater, Mandryka, Krawizuk, Czajkowski, Buczak families	
Sunday, January 11 <sup>th</sup> 11.30am	Deanna & Gerry McQue – thanks for their kindness	Nick & Diana (RIP) Richardson

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**Save the Date** – in 2026 we will celebrate the 60<sup>th</sup> Anniversary of Our Lady's at Currie. There will be a special mass attended by Archbishop Cushley followed by a celebratory lunch at the Gibson Craig Hall. The date is 15<sup>th</sup> March 2026. We look forward to seeing the parish come together for the special occasion. More details nearer the time.