


**THE CATHOLIC PARISHES OF ST JAMES', ST ANDREWS
&
CHRIST THE KING, PITTENWEEM, WITH MOST HOLY TRINITY, CRAIL**

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DATE	TIME	LOCATION	LITURGICAL DAY	MASS INTENTION
Sat 8 Sep	5.00 pm Vigil Mass Confessions after Mass	St Andrews	Twenty-third Sunday of the Year	Carmelita Mendiri (sick)
Sun 9 Sep	8.45 am Mass Confessions 8.30-8.40am 11.00 am Mass 5.00 pm Mass	Crail St Andrews St Andrews	Twenty-third Sunday of the Year Twenty-third Sunday of the Year	Parishioners
Mon 10 Sep	9.00 am Mass No Mass	St Andrews Crail	Twenty-third Monday of the Year	Thanksgiving
Tues 11 Sep	8.30 am Mass	St Andrews	Twenty-third Tuesday of the Year	
Wed 12 Sep	7.00 pm Mass Confessions 6.30-6.55pm	St Andrews (Canmore)	Twenty-third Wednesday of the Year	Vernica & Fancesca Farah
Thurs 13 Sep	9.00 am Mass	St Andrews	Memorial of St John Chrysostom	
Fri 14 Sep	12.00 noon Mass 5.30 pm Mass	Pittenweem St Andrews	Feast of the Exaltation of the Holy Cross	Agustinian Sisters
Sat 15 Sep	9.30 am Mass Confessions 10.00-10.30am 5.00 pm Vigil Mass Confessions after Mass	St Andrews St Andrews	Memorial of Our Lady of Sorrows Twenty-fourth Sunday of the Year	Martin Gaughan RIP
Sun 16 Sep	8.45 am Mass Confessions 8.30-8.40am 11.00 am Mass 5.00 pm Mass	Pittenweem St Andrews St Andrews	Twenty-fourth Sunday of the Year Twenty-fourth Sunday of the Year	Monica Farm RIP Parishioners

OTHER SERVICES & DEVOTIONS

SERVICE	DAY & TIME	LOCATION
Adoration	Sun 3.30-4.30 pm Mon 6.25-6.40 pm Fri 12.25-12.40 pm	St Andrews Crail Pittenweem
Confessions	Sat 10.00-10.30 am Sat after Vigil Mass Sun 8.30-8.40 am Wed 6.30-6.55 pm	St Andrews St Andrews East Neuk Canmore
Rosary	Sat 4.40 pm Mon 9.30 am Wed 10.00 am Fri 11.30 am	St Andrews St Andrews Pittenweem Pittenweem
Divine Mercy	Thurs 10.00 am Fri 5.10 pm	Pittenweem St Andrews
Prayer Group	Mon 2.00 pm	Pittenweem

SICK & HOUSEBOUND OF THE PARISHES

Please keep in your prayers: Claire Calin, Moira Connelly, Andrew Coyle, Nigel Dobson, Sheila Douglas, Jeanette Dunigan, June Gibson, John Gray, Mary Law, Alfred McCormack, Alexander McKechnie, Mary Miller, Vi Morkis, Cath Russell, Betty Stevens, Annie Sweeney, Eileen Wallace, Neta Wilson.

NEWS ITEMS

Welcome

Please join Fr Galbraith in extending a warm welcome to our new and returning students. If you are new to the university and St James', please do come along to our CathSoc Freshers' events this week (full details on the next page). We have our own Catholic Chaplaincy building - Canmore - which is on the opposite side of the road from St James'. Some committee members of the Catholic Society will be around to welcome you and any parents who wish to visit Canmore. In particular, do come along to our 'Welcome BBQ' which takes place this Sunday at 6.15pm in Canmore or in the grounds of St James' if the weather is good. Membership for CathSoc is priced at £3 during Freshers' Week, £5 the rest of the year.

Joint Parish Ceilidh

Our popular annual joint parish ceilidh will take place at Greyfriars' School hall on Friday 28 September. We will have a great, live ceilidh band and a buffet. BYOB. Tickets are on sale at our Sunday Masses and are priced at £10 per adult, £5 child, £25 family ticket. Please do come along. It's a great way for all of us to come together in one celebration. Students very welcome. Raffle prizes are also most welcome.

*All items to be included in next week's newsletter should reach the parish office by **Thursday, 10.00 am** at the latest.*

PPC Meeting and AGM

The next PPC Meeting (and the AGM) will take place on Thursday, 13 September, 7pm, at St James' hall. All welcome.

Student Befriending

This year we are repeating our successful student befriending programme to welcome and support new and returning Catholic students to the university. Befriending volunteers are needed to meet up with a student a couple of times a semester over a cup of tea or a meal at home. Our students are often a long way from family and friends and the support of local parishioners could make the difference in helping them settle quickly and feel 'at home'. If you are a parishioner and wish to support this programme, or a student who would like to meet a befriender, please take a leaflet from the back of the church. If you require more information, please contact Lorraine Rotchford at pgovan4846@aol.com or Siobhan Patricik at sgp2@st-andrews.ac.uk

Legion of Mary

The Legion of Mary meets every Monday morning, following the 9am Mass. If you have a devotion to Our Blessed Mother, and have a few hours a week to do some outreach work on behalf of the parish, please come and join us. For more information contact Mary Corr (01334 870746) or Debby Harris (07931 891011).

Choir/Student Schola

Are you interested in singing sacred music? Why not join our choir for the 11am Mass or, especially for students, join our Student Schola group which, as of next week, will lead the liturgy at the Sunday 5pm Masses. If interested in joining the choir, please contact Shelagh Lamb: prendylamb@googlemail.com. If interested in joining the Schola, contact Ethan Kim (sk218@st-andrews.ac.uk).

Thank you

A special thank you to the artist, Colin Jack, who has contributed £4,570 over his time exhibiting at Christ the King during the annual Pittenweem Arts Festival.

Teas & Coffees – and helpers needed

Please do join us for refreshments (+bacon rolls in the East Neuk!) after our Sunday morning Masses. In St James' teas & coffees are after 11am Mass in the church hall. Are you able to help with Teas & Coffees in St James'? We could do with more helpers. If you are able to help, please contact Theresa MacKay on 01334 473878.

Parish Collections

Last Sunday's collections were: £744.07 St James' and £207.08 East Neuk. Many thanks for your generosity.

Special Collection

There will be a Special Collection on Sunday 16 September for the Aged & Infirm Clegy Fund.

CANMORE CHAPLAINCY FOR UNIVERSITY CATHOLICS

Today is the beginning of Freshers' Week and CathSoc has organised the following events to which all Freshers are warmly invited:

Sunday 9 September: **Welcome BBQ** – 6:15pm, St James' garden.

Monday 10 September: **Pub Crawl** – 7pm, St Andrews Brewing Company.

Tuesday 11 September: **Ceilidh** – 3pm, All Saints Church Hall.

Wednesday 12 September: **Wine and Cheese** – 7:45pm, Canmore.

Thursday 13 September: **Beach Games** – 3pm, West Sands.

Friday 14 September: **Quiz** – 8pm, Canmore.

Saturday 15 September: **Coastal Walk** – 10am, meet outside Canmore.

Sunday 16 September: **Sunday Supper** – 6:15pm Canmore.

Forthcoming CathSoc Talks

The talks are held most Wednesdays at 7.45pm in Canmore after Mass. They are followed by a short Q&A, Night Prayer in the chapel, then a visit to the Russell Hotel for drinks. All students welcome.

19 Sep: 'Being a Catholic at University', Fr Ross Campbell, Catholic Chaplain to the University of Glasgow.

26 Sep: 'The New Evangelisation', Fr Nick Welsh, Parish Priest of Our Lady & St Andrew, Galashiels.

3 Oct: 'The Vocation of Marriage', Mr David & Mrs Jackie Kerr

10 Oct: 'Blessed Fr Miguel Pro', Fr Michael John Galbraith, Catholic Chaplain, St Andrews

17 Oct: 'Fake News & Public Policy', Austin Ruse, President of the Center for Family & Human Rights.

31 Oct: 'The Vocation to the Religious Life', Franciscan Sisters of the Renewal.

7 Nov: 'The Vocation to the Priesthood', Fr Matthew O'Gorman.

14 Nov: 'Blessed John Henry Newman', Fr Ian Ker.

21 Nov: 'Blessed Pier Giorgio Frassati', Fr Jamie McMorrin.

28 Nov: T.B.C.

Dante Study Group – Dr Rebekah Lamb

Canmore Catholic Chaplaincy is delighted to invite students to join a new Dante Study Group, starting up this academic year at Canmore on Thursdays 7.30-8.30pm. Just bring along a copy of *The Divine Comedy* (no specific translation required), and explore Dante's poetic vision of God's love for us, "the love that moves the Sun and the other stars." The group will be led by Dr Rebekah Lamb. Dr Lamb is the newest member of staff at St Mary's School of Divinity and is a Lecturer in the department of Theology, Imagination and the Arts. We look forward to welcoming you to this exciting new venture. To sign up contact Dr Lamb at r189@st-andrews.ac.uk