


# THE CATHOLIC PARISH OF ST JAMES', ST ANDREWS & THE EAST NEUK

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DATE	TIME	LOCATION	LITURGICAL DAY	MASS INTENTION
Sat 6 Apr	<b>5.00 pm Vigil Mass</b> Confessions after Mass	St Andrews	Fifth Sunday of Lent	
Sun 7 Apr	<b>8.45 am Mass</b> Confessions 8.30-8.40am <b>11.00 am Mass</b> <b>5.00 pm Mass</b>	Crail St Andrews St Andrews	Fifth Sunday of Lent Fifth Sunday of Lent Fifth Sunday of Lent	Parishioners Special Intention Cecilia Donan (Anniv)
Mon 8 Apr	<b>9.00 am Mass</b> <b>6.00 pm Mass</b> (Stations 5.30pm)	St Andrews Crail	Fifth Monday of Lent Fifth Monday of Lent	Special Intention
Tues 9 Apr	<b>7.30 am Mass</b>	St Andrews	Fifth Tuesday of Lent	
Wed 10 Apr	<b>7.00 pm Mass</b> Confessions 6.30-6.55pm	St Andrews (Canmore)	Fifth Wednesday of Lent	
Thurs 11 Apr	<b>9.00 am Mass</b>	St Andrews	Fifth Thursday of Lent	
Fri 12 Apr	<b>5.30 pm Mass</b> (Stations 5.00pm)	St Andrews	Fifth Friday of Lent	
Sat 13 Apr	<b>9.30 am Mass</b> Confessions 10.00- 10.30am <b>5.00 pm Vigil Mass</b> Confessions after Mass	St Andrews St Andrews	Fifth Saturday of Lent Palm Sunday of the Passion of the Lord	
Sun 14 Apr	<b>8.45 am Mass</b> Confessions 8.30-8.40am <b>11.00 am Mass</b> <b>5.00 pm Mass</b>	Crail St Andrews St Andrews	Palm Sunday of the Passion of the Lord Palm Sunday of the Passion of the Lord	Special Intention Gill Soo Yoon Parishioners

## OTHER SERVICES & DEVOTIONS

SERVICE	DAY & TIME	LOCATION
Adoration	Sun 3.30-4.30 pm Mon 6.25-6.40pm	St Andrews Crail
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 Crail St Andrews
Stations of the Cross	Mon 5.30 pm Fri 5.00 pm	Crail St Andrews
Rosary	Sat 4.40 pm Mon 9.30 am	St Andrews St Andrews

## NEWS ITEMS

### Passiontide

This Sunday marks the beginning of a small sub-season of Lent known as Passiontide. The mood becomes more sombre and sorrowful in the Church's liturgy with practices such as the veiling of crucifixes and statues.

### Your Spiritual Life in Lent

Just a reminder that we have the extra devotions of Stations of the Cross during Lent and our Tuesday 'penitential' Mass at 7.30am. The four, weekly Confessions times are as advertised above.

### Visiting Confessors

As part of our Lenten Programme, we will have 3 visiting confessors hearing confessions in St James' on Friday 12 April, 5.30pm – 6.30pm. Please do put the date in your diary.

### Launch of the 'St James' 200 Club'

Fliers outlining the details for the exciting launch of our 'St James' 200 Club' in May 2019, as discussed at recent parish council meetings, are available at the back of our churches. By purchasing a ticket, not only will you be helping to raise funds for the fabric of our buildings, you could also be the lucky winner of the monthly draw, a win-win! Please take the flier home with you, look out for the membership packs coming out in early May, and encourage others to join when the packs are available.

### Faith Enquiry

Our Faith Enquiry meetings are held on Mondays, 8pm, in Canmore. Please pray for the 5 people who will be received into the Catholic Church this coming Easter Vigil, one of whom will be baptised.

### Parish Ladies' Group

The next Parish Ladies' Group meeting and potluck lunch will take place on Thursday 11 April, 12.30pm in St James' church hall. All ladies welcome.

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

### **Children's Easter Bonnet Competition**

This year's competition for the children in our parish is to make an Easter bonnet, with judging taking place on Easter Sunday, 21 April. The competition has 4 age categories: 5 years and under; 6-8 years; 9-11 years and 12+ years. Fantastic prizes for the winner of each age category. Please ensure all entries are in the church hall before Easter Sunday 11am Mass. Be creative and get crafting!

### **Holy Week Services**

**Palm Sunday:** 5pm Vigil St Andrews, 8.45am Crail, 11.00am & 5pm St Andrews.

**Holy Thursday:** 5.30pm Crail, 7.30pm St Andrews.

**Good Friday:** 3.00pm St Andrews, 7.30pm Stations and veneration of the Cross, Crail.

**Easter Vigil:** 9.00pm St Andrews.

**Easter Sunday:** 8.45am Crail, 11.00am & 5.00pm St Andrews.

### **Easter Sunday – 11am Mass**

We will once again be erecting a marquee for the Easter Sunday 11am Mass to protect the outside congregation from any combination of sun/rain/snow! Volunteers are required to help with erection and dismantling. This would involve being at St James' at approximately 8am. If you are able to help, please contact Mac at annemcconn@outlook.com

### **Thank you from the Legion of Mary**

To everyone who supported last Tuesday's showing of The Song of Bernadette in Canmore. Your contributions and attendance were very much appreciated.

### **Brass Cleaning for Easter**

Thank you to the volunteers who gave of their time to clean the brasses at St James' last Tuesday. As always, your help is greatly appreciated.

### **Palm Sunday Young Adults Event**

Archbishop Cushley would like to invite the young adults of the Archdiocese of St Andrews & Edinburgh to join him for a celebration on Palm Sunday, 14 April at the Gillis Centre, 100 Strathearn Road, Edinburgh EH9 1BB between 2pm-5pm. The afternoon will consist of a talk by the Archbishop followed by a Palm Sunday procession, Holy Mass and will conclude with social time and food. There will be an opportunity for confession too. All very welcome.

### **Parish Collections**

Last Sunday's collections were: £897.58 St James' and £286.10 East Neuk. Many thanks for your generosity.

### **Teas & Coffees**

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.

### **CANMORE CHAPLAINCY FOR UNIVERSITY CATHOLICS**

#### **Thank You!**

A big thank you to Siobhan Patrick (ex-President of CathSoc) and her committee team who have organised all the CathSoc events this past academic year. The AGM took place on Friday 5 April but the new committee members were not known as of going to print. CathSoc is one of the most active societies on campus with several events every week and numerous other events throughout the year. Please do support that new committee and our future events as best you can. *'Ad maiorem Dei gloriam!'*

#### **Sunday Supper**

Sunday 7 April: 6.15pm (after Mass). Cost is £3 or bring a side/dessert. This Sunday's theme is: Full English Breakfast.

#### **CathSoc Ball – Raffle Donations**

The annual CathSoc Ball will be held on Friday 3 May, with all proceeds from the evening's raffle going to Mary's Meals. Any raffle donations, big or small, would be greatly appreciated. Please speak to Fr Galbraith or email Sorcha Wood slmw2@st-andrews.ac.uk with donation details. Thank you!

#### **Graduation Mass & Garden Party**

Are you graduating this year? We will have our annual Graduation Mass & Garden Party in St James' on Wednesday 26 June, 7pm onwards. Do put the date in your diary and invite your family and friends.

#### **Second semester CathSoc Talks**

Future talks at Canmore are as follows:

10 April: *'Politics: a place for Catholics?'*, Mr Anthony Horan, Catholic Parliamentary Officer for the Bishops' Conference of Scotland.

24 April: *'What is "the joy of Easter"?'*, The Dominican Sisters of St Cecilia, Elgin.

#### **Dante Study Group**

The Dante Study Group continues to meet on Thursdays during term time at 7.30pm, Canmore front room. It is led by Dr Rebekah Lamb of St Mary's College.

#### **SICK & HOUSEBOUND OF THE PARISHES**

**Please keep in your prayers:** Annie Tinto, Eileen Wallace.