


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

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DATE	TIME	LOCATION	LITURGICAL DAY	MASS INTENTION
Sat 7 Sep	5.00 pm Vigil Mass	St Andrews	Twenty-third Sunday of the Year	
Sun 8 Sep	8.45 am Mass	Crail	Twenty-third Sunday of the Year	Tom Lawson (Anniv)
	Confessions 8.30-8.40am	St Andrews	Twenty-third Sunday of the Year	Parishioners
	11.00 am Mass 5.00 pm Mass	St Andrews	Twenty-third Sunday of the Year	
Mon 9 Sep	9.00 am Mass	St Andrews	Twenty-third Monday of the Year	John Docherty RIP
	6.00 pm Mass	Crail	Twenty-third Monday of the Year	Walter Thomson (Anniv)
Tues 10 Sep	8.30 am Mass	St Andrews	Twenty-third Tuesday of the Year	Jackie Powell (sick)
Wed 11 Sep	7.00 pm Mass Confessions 6.30-6.55pm	St Andrews (Canmore)	Twenty-third Wednesday of the Year	
Thurs 12 Sep	9.00 am Mass	St Andrews	Twenty-third Thursday of the Year	
Fri 13 Sep	5.30 pm Mass	St Andrews	Memorial of St John Chrysostom	
Sat 14 Sep	9.30 am Mass Confessions 10.00-10.30am	St Andrews	Feast of the Exaltation of the Holy Cross	
	5.00 pm Vigil Mass Confessions after Mass	St Andrews	Twenty-fourth Sunday of the Year	
Sun 15 Sept	8.45 am Mass	Crail	Twenty-fourth Sunday of the Year	Jack & Pat Thomson (Anniv)
	Confessions 8.30-8.40am	St Andrews	Twenty-fourth Sunday of the Year	Morris Johnston (Anniv)
	11.00 am Mass 5.00 pm Mass	St Andrews	Twenty-fourth Sunday of the Year	Parishioners

OTHER SERVICES & DEVOTIONS

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

NEWS ITEMS

Welcome

We extend 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.

Star vaults in St James' - dedication of stars

To help cover the cost of the final decorations, we will soon be offering the opportunity of 'dedicating a star' in memory of your loved ones or for a special intention. More information to follow.

The St James' 200 Club September Draw

This month's lucky ticket was number 152. The anonymous winner was a parishioner from St Andrews who won £840. The next draw will be made on Sunday 6 October. In its first 3 months, the 200 Club has raised over £2,400 for the redecoration of St James'. Thank you to all who have signed up.

Parish Ceilidh

Our hugely popular annual parish ceilidh will take place at Greyfriaris Primary School on Friday 27 September. We will have a great, live ceilidh band and

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a buffet (bring your own bottle). 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 would also be most welcome.

Parish Pastoral Council (PPC) & AGM

The next meeting of the PPC combined with the AGM will take place on Thursday 19 September, 7pm in St James' church hall. An agenda will be emailed ahead of the meeting.

Altar Servers' Day – Guild of St Cuthbert

The enrolment for the new guild will take place at the Altar Servers' Day on Saturday 21 September at the Gillis Centre, Edinburgh (11am-3pm), at which altar servers will be presented with their medals. Please let Fr Galbraith know if your child intends to come. He will be driving there along with another PVG'd adult and will hire a people carrier/minibus if need be.

Parish Ladies' Group

The next Parish Ladies' Group meeting and pot-luck lunch will be on Thursday 12 September, 12.30pm, St James' church hall. All ladies in the parish welcome.

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.

Volunteers required

Would you like to be involved more in the life of our parish? We would greatly appreciate volunteers to help with our 11am Sunday choir, with teas & coffees after the 11am Sunday Mass, and students who wish to join our Schola for the Sunday 5pm Mass. Please contact Fr Galbraith if you are interested.

Parish Collections

Last Sunday's collections were: £995.38 St James' and £171.20 East Neuk. Thank you for your continued generosity.

Special Collection

There will be the second of the two Special Collections for the Aged & Infirm Clergy Fund on Sunday 15 September (the first collection was taken up in May 2019).

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 8 September: Welcome BBQ, 6.15pm, St James' Church Garden

Monday 9 September: Ceilidh, 7-9pm, All Saints Church Hall

Tuesday 10 September: Pub Crawl, 8pm, start at Whey Pat

Wednesday 11 September: Wine and Cheese, 7.45pm, Canmore Chaplaincy, 24 The Scores

Thursday 12 September: Jannetta's Trip, 4pm, Jannetta's Gelateria (meet at Canmore)

Friday 13 September: Quiz, 8pm, Canmore Chaplaincy, 24 The Scores

Saturday 14 September: Coastal Walk, 10am, (meet outside St James' Church)

Sunday 15 September: Sunday Supper, 6.15pm, Canmore Chaplaincy, 24 The Scores.

Forthcoming CathSoc Talks

An exciting series of talks is planned for the coming semester on the basics of the Catholic faith. 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.

18 Sep: *'Being a Catholic at University'*, Mr Alessio Marcetti.

25 Sep: *'Does God exist?'*, Fr Michael John Galbraith.

2 Oct: *'What makes human beings unique?'*, Fr Kevin Douglas.

9 Oct: *'Revelation: How does God speak to us?'*, Fr Paul Denney.

16 Oct: *'The Disaster of Sin'*, Sr Andrea Fraile.

30 Oct: *'Jesus Christ: Who is He?'*, Fr David Barrett.

6 Nov: *'Why the Church?'*, Mgr Patrick Burke VG.

13 Nov: *'The Moral life'*, Fr Nicholas Monaghan.

20 Nov: *'The Life of Prayer'*, Sr Birgit Dechant FSO.

27 Nov: *'Mary and the communion of saints'*, Fr Jamie McMorrin.

Newman Study Group – Dr Rebekah Lamb

This October, blessed John-Henry Cardinal Newman will be canonised. To honour the life and legacy of Newman, Canmore Catholic Chaplaincy is delighted to invite students to join a new Newman Study Group, starting up this academic year at Canmore on Thursdays 7.30-8.30pm. First meeting 26 September. Further information on the Study Group on facebook. Any questions can be directed to Dr Rebekah Lamb, who will be leading the group (email: rl89@st-andrews.ac.uk).

SICK & HOUSEBOUND OF THE PARISHES

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