




# Most Holy Trinity Parish

A parish of the Archdiocese of St Andrews & Edinburgh 

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## Mass schedule

<b>Sunday 26 April</b>	5:00pm (Saturday) Vigil in St Peter in Chains; 9:30am St John & St Columba; 11:30am and 5:00pm Our Lady of Lourdes
<b>Monday 27 April</b>	9:30am St Peter in Chains ( <i>Kathleen Keenan</i> )
<b>Tuesday 28 April</b>	9:30am Our Lady of Lourdes ( <i>Nessie Brown RIP</i> )
<b>Wednesday 29 April</b>	No Mass
<b>Thursday 30 April</b>	10:00am St John & St Columba <i>Funeral of John Ash</i> 7:30pm St John & St Columba ( <i>Cathy McMahon RIP</i> )
<b>Friday 1 May</b>	9:30am St Peter in Chains ( <i>Brian &amp; Anne Lawlor</i> )
<b>Saturday 2 May</b>	10:00am St John & St Columba ( <i>Michael McHale RIP</i> ) 5:00pm Vigil, St Peter in Chains ( <i>Winnie Cassells</i> )
<b>Sunday 3 May</b>	9:30am St John & St Columba ( <i>Margaret Glancey RIP</i> ) 11:30am Our Lady of Lourdes ( <i>George Cockburn</i> ) 5:00pm Our Lady of Lourdes ( <i>People of the Parish</i> )

**Confessions:** St John & St Columba: Thursday 6:45pm, Saturday 10:30am; St Peter in Chains: Saturday 4:15pm. Our Lady of Lourdes: Sunday 4:15pm.

**Eucharistic Adoration:** Thursday 6:30pm & Saturday 9:00am in St John & St Columba.

**Holy Rosary:** Recitation starts 30 minutes before every Mass, *except* Thursday (Divine Mercy Chaplet), Saturday Vigil and 11:30am Sunday Mass.

**Please pray for those who are sick:** Elaine Cormack, Celia Murphy, Ann Marie Hepburn.

**Please pray for those who have recently died:** John Ash, Agnes Brown, Paula Simpkins. *May they rest in peace.*

## Readings at Mass

**First Reading:** Acts 2:14a, 36-41 - 'God has made him both Lord and Christ.'

**Responsorial Psalm:** Ps 23(22) - 'The Lord is my shepherd; there is nothing I shall want.'

**Second Reading:** 1Peter 2:20b-25 - 'You have returned to the Shepherd of your souls.'

**Gospel Acclamation:** 'Alleluia, alleluia. I am the good shepherd, says the Lord. I know my sheep and my own know me. Alleluia.'

**Gospel:** John 10:1-10 - 'I am the door of the sheep.'

### Confirmations

His Grace Archbishop Leo Cushley will be confirming the children of the parish at the 5:00pm Mass in Our Lady of Lourdes today, (Sunday 26<sup>th</sup> April). Please keep the children in your prayers. Come Holy Spirit!

### Thank You!

Thank you to all who contributed and supported the St Peter in Chains parish fundraiser on the 15<sup>th</sup> April, a tremendous amount of £1,270 was raised.

### Special Collection

*World Day of Prayer for Vocations* to the priesthood and religious life is today. We give thanks for the men and women in the Archdiocese who have generously answered God's call to serve His Church. We particularly pray for Fr Paul and thank him for his service to the parish. Please pray for vocations to the priesthood and religious life, that more hearts may be open to responding to the Lord's call. There is a special collection for Ecclesiastical students at Mass this weekend. Prayer cards available at back of the church.

### Funeral

The family of former St John & St Columba parishioner Cathy McMahon would like to invite all friends to her funeral at 10:00am on Tuesday 28<sup>th</sup> April 2026 at St Margaret's Church, South Queensferry. May she rest in peace.

### Newsletter

To submit items for this parish newsletter please email them to office.holytrinitydunfermline@staned.org.uk **by 12 noon on Thursday.**

### Facebook

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### The Gillis Centre

The Archdiocese has announced that The Gillis Centre, which has long served as its administrative home, will be placed on the market for sale later this year. This follows a long process of review and time of reflection and discernment about how best to support the mission and future needs of the Archdiocese. The Gillis Centre holds a special place in the life of many, and Archbishop Cushley asks us to keep this transition in our prayers. The Curia team will continue their work there for now and will move to new premises in due course. Further info at [archedinburgh.org/news](http://archedinburgh.org/news)

### Dates for your Diary

- **Wednesday 29 April:** Mother's Prayers - Our Lady of Lourdes 11:00am.
- **Saturday 6 June:** First Holy Communion at Our Lady of Lourdes 11:00am Mass.
- **Sunday 7 June:** Archdiocesan Corpus Christi Procession, Galashiels.
- **Sunday 14 June:** St Margaret's Pilgrimage, Dunfermline.

### Parish Collections

Thank you for all your contributions and support of the parish. Last week's collection raised £834.35 (offertory), £330.15 (building). Standing Orders: £576.59.\* Standing Orders Building Fund: £119\*.

*\*Average figure for weekly donations.*

### Society of St Vincent de Paul

Contact number for Our Lady of Lourdes conference: 07565 013107. St John & St Columba conference: 07745 516770.