THE PARISHES OF ST JOHN THE EVANGELIST AND ST MARY MAGDALENE

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(Office Hours: Tuesday, Wednesday, Thursday: 10.00am to 3.00pm & Friday 11.00am to 4.00pm)

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5 NOVEMBER 2023 THIRTY-FIRST SUNDAY OF THE YEAR

You must call no one on earth your father, since you have only one Father, and he is in heaven.

Nor must you allow yourselves to be called teachers, for you have only one Teacher, the Christ.

The greatest among you must be your servant. Anyone who exalts himself will be humbled, and anyone who humbles himself will be exalted.'

(Matthew 23:9-12)

We continue to pray for the people of Gaza and Israel. St John's Church is open each day from 9.15am to 4.00pm for anyone who might like to pop in and sit quietly holding them in their heart.

Service of Consolation – Today, Sunday 5 November – 4.30pm – St John's

Alongside our two November bereavement Masses, this year we are introducing a 'new' service, a Service of Consolation, open to all, but particularly focusing on those who have lost a child or grandchild – whether it be through death (e.g., miscarriage, stillbirth, cot death, accident) or through separation and loss of contact.

The service is also for those experiencing the loss that childlessness is so often experienced as.

The service will not be a Mass and will be very gentle, with reading and hymns, probably lasting around 45-50 minutes. There will be opportunities to light a candle in someone's memory and/or to write a name on a card (or even a letter to the person) - and also a chance to talk and/or pray with a counsellor, spiritual guide, priest, deacon, or experienced retired midwife (and pastoral assistant).

Tea and coffee will be available in the Hall afterwards for those who wish.

NOVEMBER BEREAVEMENT MASSES

Our two November Bereavement Masses will take place this Thursday 9 November at 7.00pm at St Mary Magdalene's and on Monday 13 November at St John's, also at 7.00pm. These are gentle and beautiful candlelit Masses in which we remember our dead - and have the opportunity to light a candle for them...

Forms are now available from the back of both churches for you to complete with the names of those you would like remembered and read out. (To ensure the Masses don't take too long the suggestion is that we limit to 6 names – the last of which might be – 'the Deceased Members and Relatives of the NN family').

The completed forms should be placed in the boxes provided at the back of both churches. Alternatively, please email the same information to Chris Jones, who is kindly collating the lists chrisjones442@hotmail.com

This Monday at 2.30pm in St John's, Fr Jim and Fr Jock will celebrate our Monthly Healing Mass with the sacrament of the sick. All Welcome.

This Wednesday at 7.00pm in St John's our monthly Holy Hour and Benediction takes place... Deacon Eddie writes: 'We are holding Holy Hour a week later this month due to the clash with All Saints Day. This month is traditionally a month in which we hold the memories of departed loved ones in our hearts, giving thanks for their love and praying for the repose of their souls. However, given all that is happening in our world, we will also pray for peace around the world, especially in the Middle East and in Ukraine. Please join us at 7pm on Wednesday.

Anyone willing to read at the service, please let me know.'

Next Sunday, at 7.00pm in St John's Hall, there will be the second St John's OPEN PARISH MEETING of the year – please do come to hear about important new initiatives and to have a chance to contribute to the development of the parish – everyone most welcome...

Please do read the handout accompanying this week's newsletter in which **Fr James Martin** recounts what happened at the recent **Synod on Synodality in Rome.**

THIS WEEK

Saturday 4 November

9.30am-1.30pm – St John's Hall – **Pamoja Fashion Sale**

6.30pm – St John's – **Vigil Mass** – livestreamed

Sunday 5 November (31st SUNDAY OF THE YEAR)

9.30am - St John's - Mass - livestreamed

11.15am – St Mary Magdalene's – **Mass** – livestreamed

2.00pm – St Cuthbert's, 104 Slateford Rd EH14 1PT – Mass with the African and Caribbean Community

4.30pm – St John's – **Service of Consolation** – livestreamed

Monday 6 November

2.30pm – St John's – **Healing Mass** - livestreamed

7.00pm – Zoom – **Gospel Sharing** – please click HERE (or type https://bit.ly/3QBOewn in your browser)

Tuesday 7 November

11.00am – Parish House – Meeting of a group set up to look at how better to welcome new parishioners

7.00pm – Prayer Room – **Mass** – livestreamed

7.45pm – Parish House – **RCIA Enquiry evening 5**

Wednesday 8 November

9.15am-9.50am – St John's – **Exposition of the Blessed Sacrament**

10.00am – St John's – **Mass** – livestreamed

11.00am – Parish House – **Fabric Team Meeting**

7.00pm – St John's – **Holy Hour with Benediction** (Deacon Eddie) - livestreamed

Thursday 9 November - 7.00pm – St Mary Magdalene's – **Bereavement Mass** – livestreamed

Friday 10 November

9.15am-9.50am - St John's - Exposition of the Blessed Sacrament

10.00am - St John's - Mass - livestreamed

Saturday 11 November

12.30pm – St John's – **Baptism of Aila Graham**

6.30pm – St John's – **Vigil Mass** – livestreamed

Sunday 12 November (32nd SUNDAY OF THE YEAR)

9.30am - St John's - Children's Mass (with a focus on P3 and the Signing of the Cross) - livestreamed

11.15am – St Mary Magdalene's – **Do This In Memory P4 Mass** – livestreamed

7.00pm - St John's Hall - St John's OPEN PARISH MEETING

View the **links for the Masses** by visiting our webpage https://bit.ly/StJStMM

or by scanning the QR code $\rightarrow \rightarrow \rightarrow \rightarrow$

Contact details for the Society of St Vincent de Paul (SVP):

By phone or text: 07752682213 - email: sypedineast@gmail.com



IN THE COMING WEEKS

Monday 13 November

1.00pm – Seafield Crematorium – Funeral Service for Alice Robb

7.00pm – St John's - Bereavement Mass - livestreamed

Thursday 30 November

10.00am – St John's – Requiem Mass for Evelyn Buckley

7.00pm – St John's Church – St Andrew's Night Concert, in aid of the SCIAF Appeal

in response to the Israeli/Palestinian crisis

Date		*** St John's Eucharistic Ministers rota ***		
November	4	John Lawler	Jim Roarty	Pat Whyte
	5		Bernie Gallagher	Penelope McLellan Hawkes
	11	Chris Vinestock	Pauline MacInnes	Bozena Tansey
	12		Charlotte Lauder	Marie Sinclair

From Archbishop Leo's Weekly 'Ad Clerum'

Job vacancy - The Archdiocese of St Andrews & Edinburgh is seeking to appoint an Administrator to provide support to the Chancery and Catechetics departments in the Archdiocesan offices at The Gillis Centre, Edinburgh. A full job description is available at archedinburgh.org/news-events To apply, please send CV and a cover letter to recruitment@staned.org.uk by Wednesday 8 November. Interviews scheduled for Friday 17 November.

World Day for the Poor - A special Collection for the World Day for the Poor takes place on Sunday 19 **November.** The money will go to the **Fife Furniture Project**, which is run by the Society of St Vincent de Paul. It has helped hundreds of people across the Archdiocese, many in desperate situations, by providing basic furniture and white goods for their home. Please note that the annual collection for the Scottish Catholic Education Service will take place the following Sunday (26 November).

Archdiocesan Youth Day! - A day of faith and fun for P4-7s on Saturday 25 November. Join us as we unpack Jesus the King of the Universe and explore how we can prepare to meet our King this Christmas. Games, talks, sweets, confessions, Mass and more! 10:30am to 3:30pm at the Gillis Centre, 100 Strathearn Road, Edinburgh. Speak to the parish priest to register.

SAINT OF THE WEEK 1

St. Hilda of Whitby - Abbess (610-680) - 5 November

"All that knew her called her Mother." - St. Bede



St. Hilda was one of the great lights of the early Anglo-Saxon church. According to Bede, whose **History** is the principal source for her life, she was the great niece of St. Edwin, king of Northumbria. With the rest of her family, she was baptized by St. Paulinus when she was thirteen. Says Bede, "She spent thirty-three years most nobly in secular occupations" before deciding to "serve God alone." Hilda spent time in a number of monasteries in East Anglia before returning home to found a new monastery at Whitby. This would remain her home for the rest of her life, and under her leadership it would become an important centre for the spread and consolidation of the Christian faith in England.

Whitby was a double monastery - that is, one comprising both men and women who lived separately but gathered together to chant the office. In the tradition of Celtic monasticism, in which Hilda was formed, it was not unusual for a woman to preside over such a mixed

community. Hilda set a standard for holiness, wisdom, and scholarship, promoting through her example "the observance of righteousness, mercy, purity, and other virtues, but especially in peace and charity." Bede observes that in her monastery "no one there was rich or poor, for everything was held in common, and none possessed any personal property."

Hilda also served as a spiritual director, serving not only her monastic children but the wider community. "So great was her prudence that not only ordinary folk, but kings and princes used to come and ask her advice in their difficulties." Five of her monks went on to become bishops. She was also influential in encouraging the gifts of St. Caedmon, the cowherd and poet who became a monk of Whitby.

As a reflection of the prestige of Whitby, the monastery was chosen as the site for the important church synod of 664. The synod was called, ostensibly, to resolve disagreements about the correct day for observing Easter. But this issue was symptomatic of deeper tensions between those favouring the Roman model of authority, rooted in the episcopal hierarchy, and those inclined to the more monastic model characteristic of the Celtic church. Hilda favoured the latter, but the synod decided otherwise.

Hilda's last years were spent in painful illness. She never retired from her office, nor did she ever fail to give thanks to God. By her own example she instructed her flock "to serve God rightly when in health, and to render thanks to him faithfully when in trouble or bodily weakness." Her last counsel to her community was to "maintain the gospel peace among yourselves and with others." She died on November 17, 680, and her feast is observed on that date.

See: Bede, A History of the English Church and People (Baltimore: Penguin, 1955).

SAINT OF THE WEEK 2 – A SCOTTISH (NEAR)-SAINT

Blessed John Duns Scotus (about 1265-1308) - 8 November

The term "Scot" was applied equally to the Irish in the Middle Ages, but John did come from Scotland, being born at Duns, near Berwick-upon-Tweed. Little is known about his early life, though he is supposed to have joined the Franciscans at the age of fifteen and to have studied at their house in Oxford. He is known to have been ordained as a Franciscan priest in Northampton on 17 March 1291, when he was about twenty-five years old. He then went to the university of Paris to study for a master's degree in theology but seems to have left without one. He returned to Oxford and lectured there and at Cambridge. The standard theological textbook of the time was the Sentences of Peter Lombard (about 1100-60), and John commented on these, refining his views from one course to the next.

After four years based in Oxford he returned to Paris, where he was caught up in a dispute between the king and the pope and forced to leave for a while for failing to support the king. He obtained a letter of recommendation

from the minister general of the Franciscans, Gonsalvus Hispanus, who had taught him in Paris from 1293 to 1296. Hispanus referred to his "most subtle genius" in the letter, which led to his later being known as doctor subtilis, the "subtle doctor." He finally obtained the degree of "ruling master" from the university in 1305 and spent the next two years lecturing there. In 1307 he aroused controversy with his views on what has subsequently become the dogma of the Immaculate Conception: he was one of the first to propound the now orthodox teaching that the redemption had been applied in advance to Mary. In the words of Gerard Manley Hopkins' poem "Duns Scotus' Oxford," he "fired France for Mary without spot." Hopkins called his insight "not rivalled," but France (or at least the university of Paris) was fired with anger as well as enthusiasm, and John was forced to leave and move to Cologne. He lectured there for a year before his early death on 8 November 1308.



His greatness can be seen only in his works, not in the outward events of his life. He lived and worked at a time when philosophy and theology in the West were developing in response to the discovery of Aristotle through great Islamic scholars such as Avicenna (died 1037) and Averröes (died 1198). Thomas Aquinas (died 1275) had been condemned for over-reliance on Aristotle by the more conservative elements in the university of Paris while Scotus was still a boy. He worked on a new synthesis these were times when theologians/philosophers could still try to encompass the whole of human knowledge - using the works of St Paul, St Augustine, his Franciscan predecessors Alexander of Hales and St Bonaventure, and Avicenna, though he confined his use of him to what did not conflict with orthodox Christian teaching. The essence of his theology is that God is love and that this love spreads from God through the whole of creation, so that human beings, thanks to the Incarnation, can love God in return. His teaching on Mary, which earned him the title *doctor Marianus*, stems from this doctrine of universal love.

He was buried in the Franciscan church in Cologne, where his body still lies, and immediately venerated as a saint, though official progress toward his beatification was particularly slow: it was not until 1906 that his cult was confirmed for the Franciscans, who were then allowed to venerate him as "Blessed," and it was 1993 before Pope John Paul II extended this to the universal Church.

(Taken from Paul Burns': Butler's Saint for the Day - 2003)

NOTICEBOARD

St Andrew's Night Concert – in aid of SCIAF's Israeli-Palestine Appeal with Raffle Prizes - 30 November 2023 – 7.00pm - St John's church

A message from the Justice & Peace Group: 'Following the success of last year's concert starring the St John's School choir and other musical stars, we have decided to hold another this year.

Last year's concert raised a significant sum of money which we split between the Wilson Memorial Food Bank and the Pakistan Floods appeal (the school's chosen charity). This year it is proposed to support SCIAF in its urgent Israeli-Palestine appeal (you can also donate here: https://bit.ly/3FwaWj2).

An important part of the fundraising effort (particularly as *admission to the concert is free, but donations will be appreciated!*) is the raffle and we would be grateful for any donations of raffle prizes. These can be given to any member of the Justice & Peace Group or handed in to the parish house. Thank you.'



(St John Henry Newman)

Newman Association Meeting

21 November 2023 - Mayfield Salisbury Church - 7.30pm

Bernadette Campbell writes: 'We are delighted to forward details of our November 2023 meeting, "Ecumenism and the Synodal Church". Our speaker, **Mgr. Philip Kerr** was previously the Archdiocesan Vicar Episcopal for Ecumenism and presently is the Vice-President of the Bishops' Conference Office for Ecumenism.

Our meeting will take place on Tuesday evening, 21 November 2023 at 7.30pm at our usual venue, Mayfield Salisbury Church of Scotland, 18 West Mayfield, Edinburgh EH9 1TQ. All are welcome.'

A Prayer by Rabbi Sheila Weinberg at a recent prayer vigil for Israel-Gaza.

Two peoples, one land, Three faiths, one root, One earth, one mother, One sky, one beginning, One future, one destiny, One broken heart, one God. We pray to You: Grant us a vision of unity. May we see the many in the one and the one in the many. May You, Life of all the Worlds, Source of all Amazing Differences Help us to see clearly. Guide us gently and firmly toward each other, Toward peace. Praying together. **AMEN**

Catrina McGillivray writes on behalf of Mansfield School of Music:

'Oliver! remains one of the most-loved musicals ever, combining the classic story and characters, with a sensational score. Join us as we transform **Portobello Town Hall** into Dickensian London and consider yourself at home! Our very own Creative Director, Aidan O'Brien will be playing Fagin, and a few Mansfield pupils are in the children's ensemble, with vocal coaching from my daughter Caitlin McGillivray. The show will run from **Wednesday 8 - Saturday 11 November at 7.30pm** (Friday & Saturday matinees at 2.00pm) at Portobello Town Hall.





Edinburgh Inter-Faith Peace Service: 13 November 2023 6:30pm

Edinburgh International Faith Association will hold a special Peace service in partnership with 'The Oxford Foundation', at St Mary's Episcopal Cathedral.

'Edinburgh Communities United Against Hate' shall remember all victims of the Israel/ Palestine Conflict, and other conflicts around the world, and come together across our different faiths, cultural, and political groups to call for lasting peace in the world today.

A thank-you letter from SCIAF for our parishes' to The Morocco and Libya earthquake

appeal: 'Dear Parishioners of St John's and St Mary Magdalene's, thank you for helping to ease the suffering of our sisters and brothers in their time of need. **Your parishes' donation of £908.33** will go towards vital emergency support such as shelter, food, clean water, and medical aid to help those who have been affected by devastating emergencies, like those in Morocco and Libya.

Because of your kind donations, when disasters strike, we are able to respond immediately and we can be there long after others have left, supporting people to rebuild their lives and ensuring they are not alone in their time of need. As the full impact of these emergencies continues to emerge, our sister agencies in Morocco and Libya are already on the ground in some of the most remote areas affected, working directly with those in need and responding quickly to help prevent further deaths and help survivors recover.

Thank you for standing in solidarity with our sisters and brothers in their darkest hour.

With heartfelt prayers and thanks,' - Anne Karlin, SCIAF Support Services Manager, Glasgow'.

A REFLECTION ON THE GOSPEL FOR THE THIRTY-FIRST SUNDAY OF THE YEAR - MATTHEW 23:1-12

(The author of this reflection is a friend of Fr Jock who lives in Northumberland)

Tuesday night afforded clear skies to the inhabitants of Northumberland. The New Moon was only three days old, and shone brightly, bathing the garden in that soft translucent light much favoured by fairies and elves but not by the badger who visits each night and the hedgehog that trundles around making enough noise to awaken the dead. It's a good job he has a coat of spines. They put any collection of darning needles to shame. Stanley (the male Dobermann) never tires of trying to pick him up and carry him into the house – to much shrieking from me followed by the donning of gardening gloves as I pick him up (the hedgehog, not Stanley) and carefully carry him back to his chosen hibernation location. His problem is that the mild, if somewhat wet, weather is preventing the onset of his winter clock. He is still active – so must eat. I would have imagined that he would have sought out an area where Stanley might not reach – but obviously the fare on offer is too tasty to forego. It's worth the risk. When not on hedgehog protection duty, I looked at the moon and the stars still bright enough to outshine her. They looked so small and were probably infinitely bigger than her. I looked at that night sky and wondered and marvelled.

I found myself united with the Psalmist (who may or may not have been David) as he penned Psalm 8. When I look at the Heavens – the moon and stars that you arranged – what is (wo)man that you spare a thought for them, mere mortals that you keep them in mind. Then I thought of the Palestinian father. He too is looking at the night sky. He is 32 yet looks to be nearer 70. He has his arms wrapped around his wife and eldest children, two more sleep on his lap. He holds them tight. He dares not sleep, for fear he and they do not wake up. Like the hedgehog seeking protection from Stanley, he just wants the shelling to stop, his ears to stop ringing, his wife and children to stop shaking and crying. He wants it all to end. Jesus, too, was rooted in the whole of the Old Testament. Like me, he knew Psalm 8 by heart. He trod the dust of Gaza, he picked its fruit and made himself comfortable to watch the movement of the stars at night.

He also watched the behaviour of the people around him. He saw the suffering of some, and the intransigence of the rule makers. He watched – and he spoke: *Listen to what they say but do not be guided by what they do. They tie up heavy burdens and lay them on the shoulders of others.* I cannot imagine Ursula van Der Leyen or Angela Merkel speaking of hatred, barbarians and savages and annihilation. Jacinda Ardern never spoke of hatred for others. This tiny speck of the world's atlas boasts a few battle-axes. Boudica and Elizabeth the First spring to mind. I knew neither. Then there is Margaret Thatcher. Enough said. Nevertheless, I believe it is largely accurate to say that while men are drawn to war, women are more likely to want to understand and to find the path to peace. Now, thousands suffer as the men of each side try to show they can fight dirtier and harder and if the small children have their limbs blown away so be it. It's collateral damage. We warned them to leave their home. Henry, the West Greenridge hedgehog, is similarly reluctant to leave his, and resists my attempts to re-house him in a safer spot; flood victims wait until the last minute in the hope that the waters might subside, their possessions are precious, their value immeasurable. Imagine how jealously you would guard your own house, knowing that if you don't it will be flattened and crushed.

I was reading something I wrote 6 years ago for the 31st Sunday of the Year, Bashar al-Assad, the president of Syria, stood accused of war crimes after he fired missiles tipped with white phosphorus at a playground full of children as they queued at a Tuck Shop. Six years later the UN has accused Israel of firing similarly tipped missiles at a hospital in Gaza. Nothing has changed. But neither has God's word. *Do not be guided by what they do, for they do not practice what they preach.* Greatness is found in service – not in might.

PARISH REGISTER

Warm birthday greetings to Madge Moyes, 70 last Wednesday, 1 November

Please pray for those who have died recently:

Evelyn Buckley - John Reynolds Joan Brooks - Elaine Connolly - Miguel Angel Pena - Tom Graham -Alexandria Margaret Sprott

Please pray for those whose anniversaries occur around this time:

Gino Zanetti - Jim Irvine Sean Martin - James John McGreavy Canon Lawrence Glancy Hugh Taylor - Margaret Laydon Tony Doherty - Benny McLeish Andrew Smart - Canon Peter Donati Simon Curran

Please pray for those Parishioners who are sick:

St. John's:

Maria Smith, Janet Cunningham, David Reid, Susan Cammack, Anne Thomson, Eddie Clark, Sheila Tansey, Pat Gilmartin, John Cregan, Charlotte and Fred McGregor, Frank Phillips, Ann O'Brien, Kathie Gallagher, Diane McCarthy, Raymond Walker, Margaret Duffy, Mike and Patricia Lawler, Mike Burns, Harry Allan, May Thomson, Carol Simpson, Kenny O'Connor, Gerry Gallagher, Rose Thornton, Kathleen Brown, Mike Noonan, John Whyte, Maria Pacitti, Fiona Connel, Ann Dobie, Sheelagh Dobson, Chloe Sutherland, Nora Bruce, Ruth Vizor, Mary Grady, Pauli Walker, Anna Butler, May Flynn, Vincent Knowles, young Saoirse Golden, Frances Cunningham, Betty Dougal, Sarah McManus, Sr Jennifer Lindsay, Maureen Low, Mary Slight, Norman Telfer, Erin Corbett, Roz Byers and Marie Angela Crolla.

St Mary Magdalene's:

Monica Gorman, John McLaughlin, Mary McGovern (jnr), Carolynne McCann, Tom Bauld, Sam Burns, Jacqueline Marinello, Sandra Watt, Chris English, Andrew Farmer, Maria Scott Jnr, Louise Gorman, Bridget Malone, Charles Malcolm, Margaret Ryan, Julie Keegan, Annie Watson, David O'Donnell, Jude Ferguson and Mary and James Muir.

Offertory 29 October 2023

St Mary Magdalene's, £241.34 total, including £133.34 Offertory and £108.00 Gift Aid

St John's, £1231.00 total, including £313.00 Offertory, £214.00 Gift Aid and £704.00 online

Anniversaries:

St John's:

Nov. 4: Sarah Thomson (2019); Sean Martin (2010); Bridget Hanlon; James Hannavy; William McKenzie; Nov. 5: Margaret Laydon (2012); Hugh Taylor (2006); Mark Laydon (1976); Albert Hancock (1961); Mr Donlevy; Nov. 6: Mary Cockburn (1998); Mr R. Greig (1967); Mrs R Greig (1967); Mrs Delaney (1961); Mr & Mrs George Burns (1949); Nov. 7: Jim Irvine (2020); Clare Hannavy (1988); Lorna Demarco (1980); James Neilson (1976); Nov. 8: Benny McLeish (2017); Frances Allen (2016); Nino Nicora (1987); Grace Gallagher (1980); George Pennycook; Andrew Smart; Nov. 9: Edith Miller (2020); Mary Cook (2007); Francis McNulty (2000); Marjorie Thom (1993); Catherine Anderson (1990); Bridget Carrol (1987); Mrs Brennan (1985); Canon Peter Donati (1983); Nov. 10: Simon Curran (2019); Harry Hughes (1991); Edward Cubitt (1990); Senga McAlinden (1987); Robert McGuire (1943);

St Mary Magdalene's:

Nov. 4: Canon Lawrence Glancy (2002); Hilda M Smith (1981);

Nov. 5: James Harvey (2018); Pauline Dewar (2003);

Nov. 6: Mary Cockburn (1998); Nov. 7: Henry Price (1996);

Nov. 8: Agnes O'Hara (1970); Nov. 10: Ninette Loreta Pasqua

Pelosi (2022); John Wallace (2000);

Please pray for sick friends and relatives of our Parishioners:

Mireille McNab (aged 13), Michelle Lee, Fiona and George McDermott, Ilona Monaghan, Michael Daly, Roger Bromley, Richard Reid, Douglas Edington, Anne Morris, Dr Grier Gordon, Nessa Campbell, Mike Fox, Rose May Mattison, Brian Gurney, Alec Robb, Mike Nelson, Dave Cook, Alison St. Clair Ford, Shirley Robertson, Miranda McDonnel, Mary Madden, John Wiggins, Lucy Pagett, Jim Gray, John Curran, Saramma Samuel, Margaret Troupe, Caitlin Mair, Robert Clark, Peter Robinson, Stuart Goddard, Win Veitch, Peter Hanley, Kate Titterington, Ann Currie, Helen Robertson, baby Josh Simpson, Desire Bascon, Janet Haring, Shona Killin, Tom Heaney, Mary Whyte, Tish Deacon, Elizabeth McGrath and Granny Elizabeth, Andrew Muldoon, John Havard, Mary Wallace, Ellen Green, Sophie Robinson, Louise Young, Tricia Scott, Harriet Wingfield Digby (aged 9), Alan Proudlock, Evelyn Walsh, Grace Stuart, Stephen Norwood, John Miller, Agnes Clarke, David Fenwick, Maurice McAllister, Rita Noonan, baby Lucas McCourt, Ellen Dow, members of the McGrath Family, Hans Zaunbrecher, Judith Franklin, Clare Johnston, Mary and Derek Lamarque, Keiran Smart (aged 16), Michael Doherty, Carol Turnbull, Jean Wylie, Angela Khan, Tara Kuppinger, Charlotte O'Brien, young Martha Moyes (aged 6), Jennifer Kay, Seval and Kazim Kazimoglu, Ann Watt (Mgr Rae's sister), Jan Meise, Tony Rigg, Stuart Falconer, Elizabeth, Elizabeth and Gordon Marron, Katie McAnenny, John Kellagher, Ann Thorp, Dani Miniette, Peter Millar, Joan Murray Hamilton, Sr Margaret Mary, Betty Blyth, Lauren Fitzpatrick, Michael Igoe, Clare Richardson, Laura Anderson, James O'Rourke, Tommy Muir, James Shepherd, Andrew Franklin, Jamie Mitchell, Edward Caulfield, Igor Rekowski, Mary Turnbull and young Ray Donovan Syme.