

THE PARISHES OF ST JOHN THE EVANGELIST AND ST MARY MAGDALENE

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12 NOVEMBER 2023

THIRTY-SECOND SUNDAY OF THE YEAR

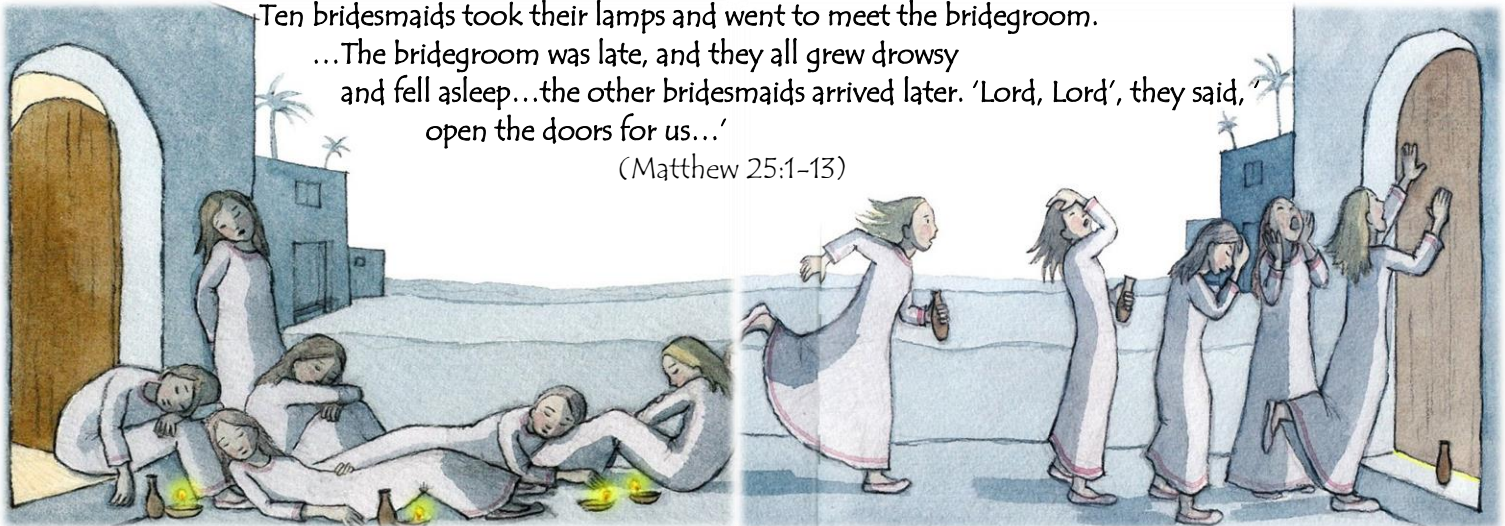
Jesus told this parable to his disciples: 'The kingdom of heaven will be like this:

Ten bridesmaids took their lamps and went to meet the bridegroom.

...The bridegroom was late, and they all grew drowsy

and fell asleep...the other bridesmaids arrived later. 'Lord, Lord', they said,
open the doors for us...'

(Matthew 25:1-13)



This Sunday is Remembrance Sunday - we remember with gratitude and in prayer all those who have given/lost their lives in the 2 World Wars -and we also hold in our hearts those who have lost their lives in Gaza and Israel and in the war in Ukraine, and indeed in all wars...

This Sunday, at 7pm in St John's Hall, there will be the second **St John's OPEN PARISH MEETING** of the year – **the two most important meetings held in St John's in the whole year** - it's a chance to hear for the first time about a couple of important new initiatives and to have a chance to contribute to the development of the parish – **everyone most welcome.**

A Message from Donald Scott - the St John's Pastoral Council Chair – 'Synodality and the recent Synod about it in Rome has enriched our thinking about how we approach meetings like our Open Parish Meeting. It needs to combine the usual "come and make your voice heard" (very important) with "come and listen to each other, and to the Holy Spirit" (also very important – and perhaps it should come first.) Many people have always had this understanding. It is helpful to make it explicit and to make sure that we give space to both aspects in our shared discernment.

At this Sunday's Open Parish Meeting we will give some time to looking together at next steps in light of what is already happening. We also want to refresh the membership of our parish pastoral council by adding new members. Please do come...'

Today we have the second Children's Masses of the School Year....at the 9.30am Mass we welcome **the P3 children** along with their parents and families.... while at the 11.15am Mass, we welcome the **P4 children** in our 'Do This in Memory of Me' programme who will be celebrating their First Communion in June. The 9.30am Mass will be open to all children, while at the 11.15am Mass the P4 children will sit round Fr Jock at the homily – and other children will participate in Children's Liturgy.

A REQUEST FOR FOLK TO SIGN UP THIS WEEKEND TO BE PRAYER PARTNERS FOR OUR FIRST COMMUNICANTS

Our new P4 sacramental co-ordinator, Sarah Fraser, writes – 'This year 25 children have enrolled on our 'Do this in Memory' Sacramental formation programme which will see these young people make their First Holy Communion in June 2024. **We are currently looking for parishioners from both churches to become 'Prayer Partners' to our young people.** The children will choose one prayer partner from their circle of family and friends, and it is the parishes' plan to provide them with at least 1 more and this is where you may be able to help. The commitment is simple. We ask you to include the young person in your prayers and if you wish you can come to the 'Do This In Memory' masses which normally occur monthly between now and next June, and are held jointly at both churches. There will be an opportunity offered at our next Children's Masses – on 10 December – to meet 'your child'.

At all masses this weekend – 11/12 November - we will be taking the names of those who wish to become involved in this way. If you wish more information or would like to 'sign up' now, please call or text me on 07746352842. Many thanks.'

An Invitation from the Legion of Mary: 'The **November Charity Coffee Morning** will be held **this Monday 13 November** in St John's Parish Hall at **10.30am**. There will be no Mass that morning - it is hoped that this will not deter parishioners from coming along.

Donations will be given to "**Aid to the Church in Need**" - <https://acnuk.org/>. Please come along.

The October Coffee Morning raised £300.00 for SCIAF towards their work in Morocco, where there was a devastating earthquake, and Libya, where flooding caused terrible destruction. Thanks to all who gave so generously.'

The Second November Bereavement Mass will take place **this Monday 13 November at St John's, at 7.00pm**. This is a gentle and beautiful candlelit Mass in which we remember our dead - and have the opportunity to light a candle for them... **Forms are still available** from the back of the church for you to complete with the names of those you would like remembered and read out.

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

Edinburgh Inter-Faith Peace Service: Monday 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.**

World Day for the Poor - A special Collection for the World Day for the Poor takes place next **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).

THIS WEEK

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**

Monday 13 November

10.30am – St John's Hall – **Charity Coffee Morning** (for 'Aid to the Church in Need')

1.00pm – Seafield Crematorium – **Funeral Service for Alice Robb** (Fr Jock)

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

8.15pm – Zoom – **Gospel Sharing** – please click [HERE](#) (or type <https://bit.ly/3u2jY4V> in your browser)

Tuesday 14 November

2.00pm – Parish House – **Meeting of Inclusivity Group**

4.30pm – Parish House – **Pastoral Team Meeting**

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

7.45pm – Parish House – **RCIA Enquiry evening 6**

Wednesday 15 November

10.00am – St Mary Magdalene's – **Mass** – livestreamed

10.00am – St John's Corstorphine – **Requiem Mass for John Reynolds**

Thursday 16 November – Feast of St Margaret of Scotland

10.00am – St John's – **Requiem Mass for Tom Graham** – livestreamed

Friday 17 November

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

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

Saturday 18 November

12.30pm – St John's – **Baptism of Zara Hay**

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

Sunday 19 November (33rd SUNDAY OF THE YEAR)

9.30am - St John's – **Mass** – livestreamed

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

IN THE COMING WEEKS

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

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



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

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



The Faithful Departed

*Death does not completely separate us from those we love,
those who have loved us and those whose lives have inspired us.*

The Communion of Saints means that we remain connected.

Who in heaven is praying for you?

Receive their love, breathe it in.

For whom do you in return pray?

Breathe your love towards them.

NOTICEBOARD

St John's Church Hall – Closure – 20 November to 29 November 2023

Chris Vinestock writes: 'We are about to renovate/update our kitchen facilities in St John's church hall, the first work on it since it was built 50 years ago.

Work will commence on Monday 20 November 2023, and continue until Wednesday 29 November, when we hope the kitchen and the new boiler will be fitted and ready for use.

At a later date, the entire hall (including toilets and corridor) will be painted, and a new floor covering will be fitted. During this time, we thank everyone for their patience and understanding.'

St Andrew's Night Concert – in aid of SCIAF's Israeli-Palestine Appeal and the Edinburgh Children's Hospital Charity

with Raffle Prizes - 30 November 2023 – 7.00pm - St John's Church

A message from the Justice & Peace Group: 'Come and enjoy a music-packed evening in St John's Church featuring the stars of last year's concert, the St John's Primary School Choir along with the Feast of Life Choir and some brilliant musicians from our own parishes. There will be music to suit all tastes as well as an opportunity to exercise your own lungs. All this and a glass of wine or soft drink at the interval – and it's all free! There will of course be a raffle with lots of wonderful prizes and an opportunity to donate to the two charities we are supporting – the *Edinburgh Children's Hospital Charity* and the *SCIAF appeal for Israel-Gaza*. A fantastic evening was had by all last year and this year's concert is shaping up to be as good so don't miss out! Thank you'.

Pamoja fashion raised £432.00 last Saturday – 'many thanks once again to our loyal supporters'.

Newman Association Meeting - Tuesday 21 November – Mayfield Salisbury Church - 7.30pm

Bernadette Campbell writes: 'We are delighted to invite you to 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. The meeting will take place on Tuesday evening, 21 November 2023 at our usual venue, Mayfield Salisbury Church of Scotland, 18 West Mayfield, Edinburgh EH9 1TQ. All are welcome.'

Date		*** St John's Eucharistic Ministers rota ***		
November	11	Chris Vinestock	Pauline MacInnes	Bozena Tansey
	12		Charlotte Lauder	Marie Sinclair

There is a prayer, now more than 30 years old, pinned to a noticeboard in St George's Cathedral, Jerusalem

Pray not for the Arab or Jew, for Palestinian or Israeli...

Pray rather for ourselves

that we might not divide

them in our prayers

but keep them both together in our hearts.

SAINTS OF THE WEEK - St Roque Gonzales and Companions - Jesuit Martyrs of Paraguay (d.1628) - 16 November

"God does not command the Gospel of Our Lord Jesus Christ to be preached with the noise of arms and with pillage. What He rather commands is the example of a good life and holy teaching."



Much legend and controversy surround the famous Jesuit "reductions" of Paraguay. For 160 years a network of utopian communities was organized by Jesuit missionaries in the vast jungle region of the Guarani Indians. The Jesuits were authorized to establish these experimental colonies as a means of Christianizing the Indians. But there is no question that they also offered a measure of protection to the Indians from the more brutal exploitation of the Spanish *encomiendas* and the slave traders.

One of the early pioneers of the reductions was a second-generation Paraguayan, Roque Gonzalez. The son of a Spanish nobleman, he was born in Asunción in 1576. He was ordained a priest at the age of twenty-three, and ten years later entered the Society of Jesus, attracted by the Jesuits' heroic missionary work among the Indians. He was already well-prepared for such work by his knowledge, from childhood, of the difficult Guarani language.

Leaving behind the security of the colonial enclaves, Gonzalez and his fellow Jesuits set out for unexplored territories, braving hunger, disease, and the threat of death with each fresh encounter with one of the scattered Indian communities along the Paraná and Uruguay Rivers. Carrying no weapons, they often heralded their presence by playing musical instruments, which fascinated and charmed the native peoples. Having piqued their interest, the Jesuits tried to convey to the Indians a sense of the Christian faith but also to encourage them to abandon their nomadic existence in favour of farming in organized settlements. Their efforts met with surprising success. Between 1610 and 1623 twenty-three settlements were established with a combined population of one hundred thousand.

Only a small percentage of this number was formally baptized. More were apparently attracted by the protection which the Jesuits offered from the direct encroachment of colonial rule. Though indirectly the Indians were subjects of the Spanish crown, the reductions represented in effect a parallel society, organized on communitarian principles far different from the feudal world of the colonial settlements. There the Indians were treated as serfs, if not less than human. The reductions, in contrast, were based on respect for the dignity and independence of the Indians and their human rights as children of God.

The reductions, however, were not universally admired. Many of the colonists were furious at the Jesuits for their criticism of the *encomienda* system and for their success in effectively closing off a vast pool of potentially exploitable labour. The secular church resented the Jesuits for their supposed arrogance in turning their backs on the needs of the colonial society. Meanwhile the Jesuits had to defend their communities from marauding slave traders and the colonial government, which wanted to appoint civil administrators over the reductions. It was difficult under these circumstances for the Jesuits completely to disassociate themselves from the imperial culture of the Europeans. Though they won the affectionate devotion of many Indians, there were others who challenged the legitimacy of the enterprise. To them the white priests represented nothing but a more benign form of colonial exploitation.

In the autumn of 1628 one of these hostile chiefs gave an order to kill Father Gonzalez and his Jesuit companions. A party of assassins was dispatched to carry out this order. On November 15 they attacked Gonzalez and hacked him to death with a stone hatchet. They also killed his fellow Jesuit Alonso Rodriguez. Two days later they killed a third priest, Father Juan de Castillo, who was stationed at a nearby mission.

The murder of these priests did not stop the encroachments of the Europeans. If anything, the Indians had lost courageous and effective defenders. A similar fate awaited the reductions themselves. In 1773 political and ecclesial rivalries in Europe prompted Pope Clement XIV to suppress the Jesuits. Thousands of missionaries were forced to abandon the field, among them the fathers of the Paraguayan reductions. The

Society of Jesus would later rise from the ashes. But the reductions were finished. Within a few years the neat rows of houses, the paved avenues, and the baroque stone churches had been reclaimed by the verdant jungle.

In 1934 Gonzalez was the first American-born martyr to be beatified. His canonization followed in 1988, with a feast day established for November 16.

See C. J. McNaspy, S.J., Conquistador Without Sword: The Life of Roque Gonzalez, S.J (Chicago: Loyola University Press, 1984).



St John's Primary School CHRISTMAS FAIR

Santa meets – Home baked treats – Tombola...
and lots more

Saturday 2 December, from 10.00am to 2.00pm

18 Duddingston Road, EH15 1NE

A message from Bethany Christian Trust

Buy a Bed - Helping people sleeping rough this Winter.

'Every night there are people sleeping rough on the streets of Edinburgh.

A **£21.00 Buy a Bed gift card** helps provide someone with access to 24-hour emergency accommodation, food, warmth and tailored support that will help them move on to a new start through the Rapid Re-accommodation Welcome Centre. We hope to raise a total of £140,000 through this campaign, to meet the increasing need we are already seeing on the ground. Please consider joining us to help provide this vital service this winter. By purchasing or receiving a Buy a Bed gift card, you help provide access to Bethany's Rapid Re-accommodation Welcome Centre in Edinburgh, for those who would otherwise be sleeping on the streets this winter. Your gift will help someone this winter by providing access to:

- A warm, safe, private room with en-suite facilities · 24-hour care & support from professional, supportive and loving staff
- Three meals a day including a freshly prepared, hot two course dinner

- A wide range of on-site support services · Assistance to move rapidly out of the crisis of homelessness

Get your Buy a Bed gift card at bethanychristiantrust.com/buy-a-bed or alternatively, ask Jim Roarty, Jennifer Morris or any other member of the Justice & Peace Group.

Bethany's charity shops in Edinburgh and East Lothian also stock Buy a Bed gift cards. Thank you'.

From Archbishop Leo's Weekly 'Ad Clerum'

Interreligious Dialogue webinar - The Bishops' Conference of Scotland is hosting an Interreligious Dialogue event online on **Friday 24 November**, 7-9pm. The theme is the role of religious experience in interreligious dialogue. It precedes the annual colloquium at the Conforti Institute in Coatbridge on 23-24 February 2024. Details at <https://www.interreligiousdialogue.org.uk/colloquium/> Scottish Interfaith Week runs from 12-19 November. Resources and more at <https://scottishinterfaithweek.org>

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.

Petition for Peace - Christian Aid has launched a petition calling for an end to violence in the Holy Land. Find it at caid.org.uk/CallForPeace

A REFLECTION ON THE GOSPEL FOR THE 32nd SUNDAY

MATTHEW 25:1-13

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

A good friend has an upcoming birthday. He is difficult to buy for. He likes to choose his own clothes and is particular about material, quality and cut. He has very few items of clothing – but everything he does have always looks good, no matter how many washes – and he is blessed with the sort of frame which never expands in unwanted places. He boasts the same waist as he had when we first met, over 30 years ago. In this respect I am beginning to match him – but my rapidly shrinking waistline is down to a misbehaving thyroid and not in any way caused by self-discipline or sensible eating. It is pointless me even attempting to buy a jumper or sweater. I could give him some money to go and buy something he liked – but that, to my mind, is just too impersonal. I thought I had cracked my conundrum earlier this week. He is, something of a petrol head and, when this week I came across one of those “Wowcher” offers whereby he could drive five different supercars over a set number of laps at a race-track not far from here., my prayers were answered, or so, I thought. The price on offer was too good to pass up. I was hooked and enjoyed picking the five cars that I thought he would like. I was once again, the ten-year-old with a shiny new Corgi Car waiting to be set free from its box. It was never ‘Dinky’ cars for me – always ‘Corgi’ and never, ever, **ever**, Matchbox. Then I started to read the Terms and Conditions. The small print was a minefield of double and triple speak, and the list of conditions had me completely bamboozled.

It’s always the small print that gets you. Fifty plus years of being a consumer has taught me that most painful of lessons – Beware of the Terms and Conditions. Some refer to them as T’s and C’s in an effort to make them more cuddly but, be in no doubt, they are as lethal as a Puff-adder. Now, once in ten years I will have a flutter on the Grand National, but I wager with you that if I assembled 1000 people and offered £1000 to anyone who had already read and understood Apple’s T’s and C’s that accompanied their beautifully packaged new iPhone, then it would cost me the princely sum of nothing – absolutely zero. I would even venture to say that anyone who, having understood the same Terms and Condition did not return their unopened box to Apple and request a full refund, would immediately walk into a ministerial role in the British government. Do you always read the small print – or do you scroll to the bottom of the page and tick the box “I have read, understood and accept the conditions?” Do you always read the unhelpful leaflet, that lists the details of your prescription medication, including known side effects followed by ‘you may experience other side effects not listed here’. What? Say that again! As they say – the devil is always in the detail.

This week we meet the Ten Bridesmaids. Five of them were foolish – they had quickly scrolled through the terms and conditions just to reach the bottom and click accept. They had been thrilled to receive the invite, nothing would get in the way of their ambition and their pursuit of glamour and fame. Five had read everything and knew all of the conditions and implications. They thought long and hard before accepting the invitation. They prepared themselves for the responsibility they had accepted. Then the dialogue “We have run out of oil – give us some of yours!” “No chance! If we do, there will not be enough for both of us, and we might both run out!”

I haven’t always been a fan of a fastidious reading of the small print. Once upon a time I was much more instinctive. A knee-jerker of Olympic standards. It took me years to realise there is only one reason why something sounds too good to be true, it **is** too good to be true! It’s a con! The parable invariably causes me a problem. I love it when Jesus tells me to give without counting the cost, to give away my spare cloaks to those who have none, to share my table no matter how meagre the fare on offer. I like that sort of teaching. It’s my comfort zone. When Jesus asks me to be more calculating, I grow uneasy. When he suggests I spend time reading the small print, I become disquieted.

This weekend, we commemorate those who didn’t need any small print. They instinctively knew what they must do. Their generosity would come at a cost. Arms, sight, hearing, legs – even life. Cost didn’t figure in their calculations. They gave of themselves for that is all they had to give. They witnessed Jesus’ call to stand ever ready. We too are to be ready, ready always. Our preparedness for the meeting with God as Father, is not something we can put off until tomorrow, when we have more time. We must do it now: - Today. Now! Ahora! Maintenant! Jetzt!

PARISH REGISTER

Please pray for those who have died recently:

*Mieczyslaw Debicki (Bojena Tanzey's Father) - Maria Smith
Mateusz Magnucki - Anna Butler*

Please pray for those whose anniversaries occur around this time:

*William Turnbull - Michael Delaney
Tom Plews - Domenico Fertini
Stella and Ferdinand McDevitt
Michael Reynolds - Michael McNulty
Catherine Walker*

Please pray for those Parishioners who are sick:

St. John's:

Mike and Patricia Lawler, 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 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, 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 James Muir.

THANK YOU!

Offertory 5 November 2023

St Mary Magdalene's, £270.80 total, including
£172.30 Offertory and £98.50 Gift Aid

St John's, £1384.20 total, including £346.20 Offertory,
£268.20 Gift Aid and £770.00 online donations.

Anniversaries:

St John's:

Nov. 11: Dorina Hadden (2010); Peter Swinney (1998); Thomas Bassi (1992); Terry Callaghan (1992); Catherine Keegan (1985); Annie Lord; **Nov. 12:** Thomas McGravie (1991); John Cregan (1985); Charles Anderson (1982); Stella McDevitt (1975); Ann Hartnett (1968); **Nov. 13:** William Turnbull (2019); Tom Plews (2014); Anne Platt (1999); Rose Fox (1998); Martin Black (1997); Christina Service; **Nov. 14:** James Pyper (2013); Kitty McDonald (2000); Mario Marcantonio (1998); Maisie McGrory (1997); Isabella Cheape (1982); Anthony Gallagher; Margaret Ward; **Nov. 15:** Michael Reynolds (2018); Hugh O'Rourke (2006); Helen Shanley (1991); Agnes Loftus (1988); Agnes Rafferty (1987); Ferdinand McDevitt (1973); George Cordery (1948); William Henery; James Ward; **Nov. 16:** Domenico Fertini (2017); Alexander Pyper (2007); William Cairns (1994); Daniel O'Lone (1979); Michael Clyne (1960); **Nov. 17:** George Hooper (2014); Winifred Thomson (1997); Helen Flynn (1992);

St Mary Magdalene's:

Nov. 11: George Hancock (2018); Terence Callaghan (1992); **Nov 14:** Michael McNulty (2022); **Nov. 15:** Charles Balfour (2003); **Nov. 16:** James Madden (2007);

Please pray for sick friends and relatives of our Parishioners:

Jill Harvey, Stephen Hirt, Mireille McNab (aged 13), Michelle Lee, Fiona and George McDermott, Ilona Brockbank,, 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.