

# THE PARISHES OF ST JOHN THE EVANGELIST AND ST MARY MAGDALENE

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## 8 JUNE 2025 - FEAST OF PENTECOST



Illustration taken from  
'Life of Jesus Mafa',  
an initiative undertaken  
in the 1970s to help  
teach the gospel  
in Northern Cameroon.

French Catholic missionary  
François Vidil worked  
with Mafa Christian  
communities in Cameroon  
to create an enormous  
catalogue of paintings  
depicting the life of Jesus  
as an African man.

When Pentecost day came round, the apostles had all met in one room, when suddenly they heard what sounded like a powerful wind from heaven, ... and something appeared to them that seemed like tongues of fire ... They were all filled with the Holy Spirit, and began to speak foreign languages as the Spirit gave them the gift of speech (from Acts 2:1-11)

**Many congratulations** to the 22 children making their **First Communion** at the 9.30am Mass this Sunday at St John's: *Alba Quin, Amelia Robertson, Annabella Candelaresi, Belinda Wilkinson, Brodie Waugh, Claudia Wilson, Hannah Pytko, Kleo Felisiak, Leo Di Marco, Luiza Krajeta, Maisie Berry, Maja Markuszewska, Malin Telfer, Naomi Okolo, Orla McPherson, Saoirse Golden, Samara Okioro, Sandie Iannarelli, Seth Roarty, Sienna Pacitti, Violet Bateman and Yasmin Doohan Bee.*

**A warm welcome to Fr Francis Strong**, of the diocese of Peoria, Illinois, USA, ordained a priest on 24 May, with us (and his aunt, St John's parishioner, Laurie Blyth) on and off between now and 23 June...and also to **Fr Jim**, celebrating the 11.15am Mass at St Mary Magdalene's.

**Tonight at 6.45pm** (NB new time) there is the first St John's **OPEN PARISH MEETING of 2025**, and there is no better day to have such a meeting than Pentecost Sunday, the birthday of the church.

Please do come out to celebrate this great feast and to reflect together on the recent past, the present and our plans for the future....

(Incidentally, Fr Jock is today celebrating the 40<sup>th</sup> anniversary of his ordination to the diaconate – on 8 June 1985 at St Paul's Basilica in Rome (see photo on page 6) – so hopes that the party we always have at 8.30pm at the end of the meeting will be well attended - by parishioners from both parishes).

**Day for Life** - Archbishop Leo writes: 'The Day for Life is when we celebrate the dignity of all human life from conception to natural death. It takes place next **Sunday 15 June**, and a special collection will be taken up at Mass for the work of the apostolate of life. This year's theme is *Hope Does Not Disappoint – Finding Meaning in Suffering* and we are invited to pray for those who suffer and to remain with them, bearing witness to their unique and unrepeatable value.'

Our next **Baptism Preparation Course** will take place on Monday 30 June and Monday 7 July at 7.30pm in the Parish House. Please contact Fr Jock if you would like register for the course.

## THIS WEEK

### Saturday 7 June

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

12.30pm – St John's – **Baptism of Enzo Noble**

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

### Sunday 8 June – FEAST of PENTECOST

9.30am – St John's – **First Communion Mass** – *livestreamed*

11.15am – St Mary Magdalene's – **Mass** (Fr Jim) – *livestreamed*

6.45pm – St John's Hall – **ST JOHN'S OPEN PARISH MEETING**

### Monday 9 June – Feast of St Columba

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

10.40am – St John's Hall – **Charity Coffee Morning** (donations will be given to "Let the Children Live")

6.10pm – Zoom – **Gospel Sharing** – click [HERE](#) or type <https://bit.ly/3HGujtW>

7.00pm – St John's Hall – **Meeting for all St Mary Magdalene's and St John's Eucharist Ministers**

### Tuesday 10 June

10.0am – St John's – **Mass** – *livestreamed*

11.00am – St Mary's Cathedral – **Meeting of the Cathedral Chapter of Canons**

### Wednesday 11 June

9.15am-9.45am – St John's – **Adoration of the Blessed Sacrament**

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

### Thursday 12 June

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

### Friday 13 June

9.15am-9.45am – St John's – **Adoration of the Blessed Sacrament**

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

### Saturday 14 June

10.30am – St Ninian and Triduana, Restalrig – **New Dawn Day** (see programme below)

1.00-4.00pm – St Teresa's, Craigmillar – **International Day 2025** (see below)

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

### Sunday 15 June – FEAST of THE MOST HOLY TRINITY – Day for Life

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

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

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



## IN THE COMING WEEKS ...

**Monday 16 June** – 7.00pm – St John's – **Confirmation Service** (Archbishop Leo)

**Thursday 19 June** – 2.00pm-3.30pm – St Mary Magdalene's – **Sing-a-Long**

*In response to the call of Pope Leo (and Pope Francis before him) we continue to hold in our hearts those who are suffering – and all those who have lost their lives – in Gaza and Israel and Lebanon and Syria and in Ukraine, and indeed in Sudan and the Democratic Republic of Congo and in all the wars and conflicts in our world... We pray especially that humanitarian aid might reach those suffering in Gaza and that the a permanent ceasefire might happen and for positive and just diplomatic developments there and in Ukraine...*

### ACT OF SPIRITUAL COMMUNION

*Lord Jesus, you have promised to remain with us in the Eucharist,  
and also in the depth of our own hearts.*

*Help us now to be still..... to listen....*

*and to surrender ourselves to your loving presence.*

*Heal what may be fractured, sustain and strengthen as for the tasks of each day.*

*Enable us to welcome the mystery of your presence in all those we meet.*

*And in moments of quiet, may we rest in your love.*

*Amen*

(Mairi Clunas)

## FROM ARCHBISHOP LEO'S AD CLERUM

**St Margaret's Pilgrimage – This Sunday 8 June** - Join Archbishop Leo, clergy, and people from across Scotland for the procession through Dunfermline town centre with the relic of St Margaret at 2:00pm, followed by Holy Mass at 3:00pm in St Margaret's Church. Full schedule in the news-events section at [archedinburgh.org](http://archedinburgh.org)

**Urgent: Oppose the Assisted Suicide Bill** - The Assisted Suicide Bill is set for a final debate and vote at Westminster on **Friday 13 June**. Please pray for wisdom and compassion in our society and to contact your MP to express your opposition to the bill. Your personal stories and concerns matter. Find your MP at <https://writetothem.com>

**Study Catholic Theology in Edinburgh** - Interested in finding out more about the MA in Applied Catholic Theology at St Mary's University Scottish campus in Edinburgh? An online information event takes place at 6:00pm on **Tuesday 17 June** where you can hear from staff and current students. Register at [bit.ly/stmarysuni](http://bit.ly/stmarysuni) or email [stephen.dolan@stmarys.ac.uk](mailto:stephen.dolan@stmarys.ac.uk)

**Corpus Christi Procession: Sunday 22 June** - Archbishop Leo will lead the Archdiocesan Corpus Christi Procession from St Patrick's Church in Kilsyth at 3:00pm on Sunday 22 June. First Holy Communicants in the Archdiocese are invited to take a special place in the procession wearing their formal clothes. Parking available at the Church. Contact St Patrick's to reserve disabled/minibus parking or to book a space on the free shuttle buses from Croy train station to the Church: [priest.stpatrickskilsyth@staned.org.uk](mailto:priest.stpatrickskilsyth@staned.org.uk) or 01236 822136.

**Jubilee Year Picnic for families** - The Archdiocesan Jubilee Year picnic takes place on **Saturday 28 June**, 11:00am – 4:00pm at The Gillis Centre, 100 Strathearn Road, Edinburgh, EH9 1BB. There will be spiritual talks on the theme of Hope and talks and games for children. Includes Rosary at The Grotto and concludes with Holy Mass in St Margaret's Chapel. Childcare provided. Register at [bit.ly/archpicnic](http://bit.ly/archpicnic)

*For a full list of forthcoming events in the archdiocese, visit <https://archedinburgh.org/news-events/>*



## SAINT OF THE WEEK — St Columba of Iona (521-597)

*Irish Abbot and Missionary Evangelist – Feast Day: 9 June*



Columba came from royal families of Ireland: his father was a great-grandson of the overlord of Ireland and his mother was descended from a king of Leinster. Columcille, Colm, or Colum, as he is more generally known in Ireland, is, according to Bede, a compound of "Columba" and "cell." His Life was written some decades after his death by Adomnán of Iona, a successor as abbot of his best-known foundation, which remains a great place of pilgrimage and retreat for Christians of all denominations and people of other faiths and none.

He studied the scriptures under a bishop, according to Adomnán, though other sources associate him with various monastic schools. When he was ordained priest, his family gave him a fort at Daire Calgach, now Deny to the Irish (and northern Irish nationalists) and Londonderry to the English (and Unionists). This became his first monastery, and he founded many others as he went about Ireland preaching for the next fifteen years. His voice was said to carry for a mile. His love of books and learning involved him on one occasion in an early "breach of

copyright" case: he borrowed a copy of St Jerome's Psalter (the first to reach Ireland) from St Finnian of Moville and made a copy of it; Finnian claimed the copy as his, took his case to King Diarmid, and won, with the judgment, *"To every cow her calf, and to every book its son-book."*

He then became involved in a sanctuary dispute, which turned into a massacre: a man who had fatally injured an opponent in a hurling match took refuge with Columba, but Diarmid's men literally tore him from Columba's arms and killed him. Columba's clan went to war with Diarmid's followers, and three thousand died in battle. Columba was held responsible and would have been excommunicated if St Brendan of Clonfert had not interceded for him. It may have been a feeling of guilt over this affair that led him to leave Ireland, or he may have been invited to Scotland by the king of Scottish Dalriada, who was related to him. He and twelve relatives sailed for Scotland in a coracle in 561. They landed on a small island off the south-west corner of Mull and there set about building the monastery that was to become known throughout the world as Iona.

From there he taught the people of Scottish Dalriada (to the south and west of the Grampian mountains), who were of Irish descent and already had some knowledge of Christianity. He then crossed the mountains to the castle of the northern Pictish king, Brude, or Bride, at Inverness. Having initially been forbidden entry, Columba raised a mighty arm and made the sign of the cross, after which he and his party were admitted and treated with respect. It was Brude who confirmed his possession of Iona. Bede's version is simply that Columba *"converted [the northern Picts] to the Faith of Christ by his preaching and example and received from them the island of Iona on which to found a monastery."* The northern Picts had a Druidic form of religion, and their conversion was no easy task, made harder by the terrain Columba had to cross to reach them; he seems to have made the journey two or three times.

He returned to Ireland several times, but Iona became his headquarters for the remainder of his life. In his later years he transcribed books and wrote poetry, and he seems to have mellowed somewhat from the extreme austerity of his earlier life—which he had been as ready to impose on others as on himself. Adomnán describes him as *"an angel in demeanour, blameless in what he said, godly in what he did, brilliant in intellect... loving to all people."* He is said to have made three hundred copies of the Gospels, and he was transcribing the Psalms the day before he died, leaving the task to his cousin and designated successor, Baithéne, to finish.

His final blessing on Iona was prophetic: *"This place, however small and mean, will have bestowed on it no small but great honour by the kings and peoples of Ireland, and also by the rulers of even barbarous and foreign nations with their subject tribes. And the saints of other churches too will give it great reverence."* Columba's influence dominated the churches of Ireland and northern Britain for many years after his death. Bede, who was no friend to the "Celtic" side in the disputes over the date of Easter and other observances that formed the subject matter of the Synod of Whitby, held sixty-six years after Columba's death, still testified to the holiness of the way of life stemming from Iona, whose monks were *"distinguished for their purity of life, their love of God, and their loyalty to the monastic Rule"*.

*from Butler's Lives of the Saints – New Concise Edition, ed Paul Burns*

# NOTICEBOARD

**Contact details for the Society of St Vincent de Paul (SVP):**  
By phone or text: 07752682213 - email: [svpedineast@gmail.com](mailto:svpedineast@gmail.com)

**We are looking for volunteers willing to go on a rota to help with serving tea and coffee after the 9.30am Mass at St John's....** if you are open to the idea, please contact either Mike and Veronica Kinane (Mike – 07754177104; Veronica – 07902941675) or Fr Jock.

## The Two Parishes' New Bank Accounts

**Enrico Fertini, Parish Administrator, writes:** 'Following the Archdiocese's requirements, our 2 Parishes now have 2 new Royal Bank of Scotland accounts. Please, amend your standing orders/BACS mandates using the following details:

*St Mary Magdalene Church – Sort Code 830608– Account Number 21544496*

*St Johns Church – Sort Code 830608 – Account Number 21553924*

Thank you and apologies in advance if this causes you any difficulties, but it is a way for the churches to save on increasing bank charges and to take advantage of up-to-date online banking services... and remember, if you are a *taxpayer*, please complete a *Gift Aid declaration*. Forms available at the back of the Churches or from the Parish Office. Thank you'.

## Saturday, 14 June 2025 – NEW DAWN CONFERENCE at St Ninian's

**Fr Piotr writes:** 'You are warmly invited to the New Dawn in Scotland One-Day Conference at Ss Ninian & Triduana RC Church, Edinburgh. Come for the whole day or just a few hours—whatever time you can give, your presence matters. Let's gather as a community for a day of faith, fellowship, and spiritual renewal. Please spread the word - invite your family, friends, and neighbours. Let's make this a truly uplifting day for all. Watch this 2-minute video invitation: <https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=gAwlJqTrp54>

The poster and the order of the day here - <https://newdawninScotland.com/>

## Saturday, 14 June 2025 – INTERNATIONAL DAY 2025

*St Teresa's Parish Garden, 120 Niddrie Mains Road, Craigmillar, Edinburgh, EH14 4EG*

Celebrating Cultural Diversity – Activities will include Food, Music, Dance, Games, Stalls and a Cultural Fashion Show. GARDEN FETE starts at 1.00pm and ends at 4.00pm.

For further inquiries, please mail to [stteresagardenfete@gmail.com](mailto:stteresagardenfete@gmail.com)

## CPR and DEFILLIBRATOR TRAINING – TUESDAY 17 JUNE

**Geoff Dobson writes:** 'CPR and Defibrillator training is going ahead on Tuesday 17 June at 2.00 pm in St Martin's Church of Scotland in Bingham.

St John's Ambulance is providing the training for people from the relevant three churches, namely St John's, St Mary Magdalene's, and Saint Martin's. Each of these churches has a defibrillator on its outside wall. The training is free.

What we are looking for is 10 trainee volunteers from St John's, 10 from St Mary Magdalene's and 10 from St Martin's. If you are willing, please contact me on my email address - [geoffdobson@btinternet.com](mailto:geoffdobson@btinternet.com)

## Eyewitness stories from Israel and Palestine

The Portobello Quakers are organising a meeting with a speaker from the Ecumenical Accompaniment Programme in Palestine and Israel (EAPPI), who will talk about his experiences in Israel/Palestine. All are welcome.

*Sunday 22 June 2025 - Bellfield (small hall) - Tea/coffee from 6.45pm for a 7.00pm start.*

- What is daily life under occupation really like?
- What can be done to promote a just peace in Israeli-occupied Palestine?

Neil recently returned from three months in Palestine and Israel as a human rights monitor with the World Council of Churches Ecumenical Accompaniment Programme in Palestine and Israel.

[www.eyewitnessblogs.com](http://www.eyewitnessblogs.com)

The programme was established following an appeal from church leaders in Jerusalem for an international presence, accompanying local people and communities, offering protective presence and witnessing their daily struggles and hopes. Neil was based in the Jordan Valley and witnessed many violations of human rights.

His blogs [www.eyewitnessblogs.com/i-am-frightened-and-have-to-treat-the-flags-like-i-treat-my-own-children](http://www.eyewitnessblogs.com/i-am-frightened-and-have-to-treat-the-flags-like-i-treat-my-own-children) and [www.eyewitnessblogs.com/education-under-attack](http://www.eyewitnessblogs.com/education-under-attack) describe examples of harassment designed to intimidate and force innocent people to flee their homes.

Neil will join us to talk about daily life for Palestinians living under military occupation in the West Bank and tell the stories of some of the people he met. His presentation lasts about 30/35 minutes, and he will answer questions afterwards. The presentation includes a short film about the history of Palestine/Israel and suggestions of positive actions that can be taken by people in the UK.

## Two Prayers for Pentecost Sunday

*Creator God, as we journey through this world  
give us the grace to allow your Holy Spirit to  
work through us.*

*Help us to speak, think and work with honesty,  
and compassion, to celebrate all that is life-  
giving, to restore hope where it has been lost,  
and to bring about change where it is needed.  
We ask this in the name of Jesus Christ, our  
companion. Amen*

Ann Smith

*God,  
We are created in your image.  
The only way to show your peace  
and justice is through us.*

*We are responsible for your world  
and for each other.  
Transform us through your Holy Spirit.*

*Open our eyes!* World Council of Churches



*A photograph taken on 8 June 1985 in the cloister of St Paul's Basilica in Rome, just after Fr Jock's ordination to the (temporary) diaconate. The temporary diaconate – in contrast to the permanent diaconate of someone like Deacon Eddie – is conferred normally a year before ordination to the priesthood and is the moment a seminarian becomes a cleric (ie is given the designation 'Reverend'), commits himself to celibacy, is 'incardinated' into a particular diocese and promises obedience to that diocese's bishop.*

*In the photo are Fr Jock's parents, his old Nanny (who celebrated her 99<sup>th</sup> birthday last week), his three brothers (from right to left) Hew, Robert and William, and his sister-in-law, Anna.*

*'Diaconia' means 'service', so hopefully a person ordained a priest continues to live as a deacon ...*

**St Mark's Episcopal Church, Portobello, are looking for a Pastoral Worker for People in their Later Years** - Full info can be found by clicking this [LINK](#) or contacting Revd Canon Dr Sophia Marriage at St Mark's, Portobello - [sophia.marriage@stmarksportobello.org](mailto:sophia.marriage@stmarksportobello.org)

# A REFLECTION ON THE FIRST READING FOR THE FEAST OF PENTECOST – ACTS 2:1-11

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

As I have already shared with you, my sister, Anne, suffered a stroke recently. Wednesday saw us attend a ‘crisis’ meeting with, amongst others her Social Worker and a member of her care team. My younger sister and I were there because we had raised a formal complaint about serious lacks in her care package. In fairness to all concerned, failings were recognised and owned. There was a graciousness about the way the meeting was conducted – and Anne was alert throughout, making contributions and voicing her feelings. A plan was formulated. At one point, I turned to Anne: “onwards and upwards, Anne!” She smiled, but it was notable to both me and Kate that the light in her eyes was dimming. Eyes are really important – they allow light into our brains as we absorb the world around us – but they also give others a glimpse into our soul. It has always amazed me how much depth, and emotion can be conveyed without any words whatsoever just by looking into someone’s eyes.

On my drive home, I steeled myself for a journey along the Western Bypass: a road designed to ease congestion through Newcastle but which often turns, for no immediately obvious reason, into a large car park. This time I wasn’t bothered. I wanted time with my thoughts. From nowhere, arrived Stuart F. He was from the late 1970’s, a pupil at a comprehensive school in Darlington. His lack of personal hygiene saw him shunned. He honked. “Can you have a word with Stuart F?” Where would I start? There was an emptiness in Stuart’s eyes. He wasn’t afraid of eye contact – it’s just that there was no-one at home. Then Stuart was caught stealing women’s clothing from washing lines. He lived in a part of Darlington where terraced houses sat back-to-back with lines of washing stretching across the narrow width of the back lane. These lanes provided him with a bountiful hunting ground. I was designated to do a home visit, to talk to his parents in an effort to find out what was going on. His father answered the door in full naval uniform. Immaculately dressed he showed me into a lavishly furnished office with enough brass and wooden surfaces to grace the Bridge of the Queen Mary, all, gleaming and polished. In the middle of the room stood an Engine Order Telegraph. It almost spoke of its own accord: *Full steam ahead Mr Bosun!* “*Aye, aye, Sir – full steam ahead it is*” *Clang! Clang!*. Big and Brassy it matched the eyes of Mr F. Where Stuart’s eyes were lifeless, dull and empty of hope, his fathers were fiery and manic. To put it bluntly, he was as mad as a box of frogs. His wife resembled Timmy-Willie, the tiny dormouse brought to life by Beatrix Potter. I can still see her clutching a filthy tea-towel. At this stage in my life – 1979 or so – I had never even heard the word *dysfunctional*. In therapy first time around, I learned the word and its meaning. It fitted them perfectly. Her eyes matched those of Stuart. With the heaviest of hearts, I referred the family to professional care. Stuart was obviously seeking something in life – and it wasn’t soap. He took the clothing, he told me, because he wanted to be someone else, anyone else. His mother needed opportunity to be heard. She may not say anything, but at least she deserved a chance. Both sets of eyes spoke of a search for some meaning.

What would we have seen if we had looked into the eyes of those assembled in the Upper Room that morning in Jerusalem. Sometimes we forget that they had all endured a double bereavement. Judas, like Jesus, had been their companion – and even friend – for the last three years. Some had known him longer. We dismiss Judas all too readily, saving his name for relished and savoured insult. He was more than that. No-one had any answers, all had a shared pain. Bereavement does just that. It leaves an emptiness and pain. The disciples’ world had been turned upside down. Mary the mother of Jesus was present, Mary Magdalene too. Grief had left them exhausted. Grief feeds on grief. Grief is contagious. A coffin is lowered. The widow can hold herself in no longer. Her shoulders shake. A ripple of emotion runs through the assembled mourners. Soon all eyes are wet – and dull. The disciples like you and me face the same questions: What is life all about? Is this why my sister’s eyes grew dull?. Did this question lie behind Stuart’s quest? Judas? Peter? Thomas? We are all searching. This is what unites us. The pains of life can be acute. Nature abhors a vacuum and when pain leaves us with dull eyes and bare souls, then today’s feast of Pentecost provides the answer. When we are at our most empty, God’s Holy Spirit comes rushing in. *Full speed ahead, Mr Bosun. Full speed ahead.* We are lifted. Higher and higher we go. Our eyes flare for we are full of his Holy Spirit. We become people of conviction and confidence. We are emboldened. No language can hold us back, for we speak the language of love. And this is the only language that matters.



# PARISH REGISTER

*Many congratulations to Conor Dempsey (second son of Colette and the late Cillian) and Georgia Rose, married last Saturday 31 May*

*Please pray for those who have died recently:*

*Richard Reid*

*Please pray for those whose anniversaries occur around this time:*

*Canon Michael McCullagh – Jessie Fisher*

*John G Kelly – George Larlham*

*Tommy Fagan – Maureen Forsyth*

*David Gaughan – Bridget McCole*

*Please pray for those Parishioners who are sick:*

## **St. John's:**

Jimi Boyle, Moira McCafferty, Joyce Martin, Mary Iannarelli, Young Shay Graham, Jimmy Curnyn, Kate Gillon, Simon Hall, John McLaughlin, Susan Cammack, Gena Gallagher, John Flanagan, May Matthews, Rose Thornton, Margaret Thom, Pamela Hanlon, Mike and John Lawler, Sheila Tansey, Betty Dougal, Carol Simpson, Helen Kilgour, Barbara Duracz, Mairi O'Connor, Lesley O'Donnell, Donald Oswald, Prisca Kemp, Mary Slight, Mike Noonan, Mike Fox, Celia Stone, David Reid, Ann O'Brien, Diane McCarthy, Margaret Duffy, Mike Burns, May Thomson, Kenny O'Connor, John Whyte, Maria Pacitti, Ann Dobie, Chloe Sutherland, Ruth Vizor, Mary Grady, Pauli Walker, Vincent Knowles, young Saoirse Golden, Sarah McManus, Sr Jennifer Lindsay, Maureen Low, Norman Telfer, Erin Corbett, Roz Byers and Marie Angela Crolla.

## **St Mary Magdalene's:**

Alison Connelly, Peggy Ferguson, Mary McGovern, Maureen Scott, Julie Keegan, Jean McNally, Bill McGeachie, Norrie Gibson, Monica Gorman, Aisha Montgomery, Tom Kay, Eleanor Campanile, Mary McGovern (jnr), Carolynne McCann, Tom Bauld, Jacqueline Marinello, Sandra Watt, Chris English, Andrew Farmer, Maria Scott Jnr, Louise Gorman, Bridget Malone, Margaret Ryan, Annie Watson, David O'Donnell, Jude Ferguson and James Muir.



## **Offertory 31 May / 1 June 25**

**St Mary Magdalene's, £465.25 total**, including £223.25 Offertory, £166.00 Gift Aid and £76.00 online donations.

**St John's, 1552.00 total**, including £326.00 Offertory, £210.00 Gift Aid and £1016.00 online donations.

## **Communications Sunday SC:**

**£295.27 in total**

## **Anniversaries:**

### **St John's:**

**June 7:** Kenneth Jones (2010); Margaret Hunt (2002); Thomas Lear (1997); Mary Cosgrove (1988); **June 8:** Jane McDonald (2017); Peggy Neilson (1993); Kate Browne (1978); Douglas Napier; **June 9:** Dorothy Montgomery (2008); Elizabeth Dyer (1957); Margaret Connor (1954); **June 10:** Brian Coll; **June 11:** Andrew Carey (2003); Isabella Young (2003); Michael J Kempton (2002); John Reidy (2000); Patricia Pyper (1999); **June 12:** Peter McLauchlin (1993); Mrs Young (1939); Catherine Regan; **June 13:** Beatrice Nimmo (2005); John Govan (2003); Bridget McCole (1997); Bernard Holligan (1993); Lyndsey Jacob (1991); Christina Mullen (1978); John Brown (1945 killed in action); Sally Eadie;

### **St Mary Magdalene's:**

**June 8:** Margaret Neilson (1993); Mary Harris (1968); **June 9:** Maureen Forsyth (2022); **June 10:** William T Ramsay (1967); **June 11:** Isabella Gallagher (2001); Jan Ulas (1996); **June 12:** David Gaughan (2000); **June 13:** Hugh McCarron (2000);

*Please pray for sick friends and relatives of our Parishioners:*

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