PARISHES OF ST JOHN CANTIUS AND ST NICHOLAS & ST PHILOMENA



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Time

BROXBURN **WINCHBURGH** Feast Days Saturday 5.30pm Vigil Mass 9.30am Mass St Ambrose Barlow 10th September Norrie Kerr **Charles Devine** 24th Sunday Sunday 9.30 am Mass 11.30 am Mass 11th of the Year Fr Raymond Jaconelli Michael Boylan 5.00 pm Mass September People of the Parish Monday 9.30am Mass No Mass Feria 12th September **Robert Stern** Tuesday No Mass 9.30 am Mass Memorial of St John 13th September 6pm Family Rosary John Dalton Chrysostom 6.30pm Prayers for Peace Holy Hour Wednesday 9.30am Mass No Mass 14th September Francis Edie 9.30am Mass Thursday No Mass Memorial of Our 15th September Lady of Sorrows Jerry Cannon 9.30 am Mass 9.30am Requiem Mass Feast of St Ninian Friday 16th September Isabella Menzies (AV) Norma Murphy RIP Saturday 5.30pm Vigil Mass 9.30am Mass Feria 17th September Elizabeth McIntyre Fr John Ramsay 25th Sunday Sunday 9.30 am Mass 11.30 am Mass 18th Jo Preston Aurora Brand (newly of the Year 5.00 pm Mass baptised) September 25th Sunday Norma Murphy Ordinary

24th SUNDAY OF THE YEAR – 11th SEPTEMBER 2022

Confessions: Broxburn - Saturday 4.45pm, Sunday 5.45pm, Winchburgh – Saturday 10.00am

SHARED PARISH NEWS

Message From Canon Jeremy

I wish to express my sincere thanks and appreciation for the kindness of both parishes, for the prayers, gifts, cards and farewell messages, which gives me great heart and encouragement to go forward in confidence in times to come. I hope and pray that Fr John Deighan settles in well and please God will have the same joy and privilege of serving these two wonderful parishes. I wish you all every blessing and good wish to come.

Broxburn Church Cleaners – Important!

Please all church cleaners get in touch with the office on Monday or Wednesday this week either by phone or email 01506852040 E: broxburnandwinchburghparishes@gmail.com so that we can update our records and start a rota for groups. Many thanks

Pipe Organ in Broxburn

We are having major repairs to the Pipe Organ on the 19th September for 1 week. So please note that the choir stall will be closed until all works have been carried out. Thank you for your cooperation.

Mothers & Toddler Group

We are starting a mothers and toddler group in the Canon Hoban Hall shortly and we are asking if you have any toy donations from 0-3 years old in good condition that you would like to donate, if so, please leave in the porch of the Church or get in touch with Caitlin Reilly -07713436457.

<u>Cleaner/ Money Counters wanted for St Philomena's Church</u>

We are looking for cleaners to help clean the church, and money counters, if you would like to volunteer, please contact Julie on 07752673800.

Family Rosary

Apologies from Fr John, who was unable to make it last week. If this happens again, please wait until 6:05pm then just go ahead.

Mass Intentions - Broxburn

Fr John will continue to publicise Mass intentions in the newsletter. However, he will not announce intentions at the beginning of Masses, as had been Fr Jeremy's habit. Additionally, there is a large backlog of Mass intentions in Broxburn. Until the backlog has been cleared, new Mass intentions will automatically be sent outside the parish. This will ensure the Masses are said in a timely fashion, albeit not locally. Please be assured, each and every Mass you request WILL still be said!

Recently Dead

Norma Murphy of St Philomena's parish has recently died. Funeral details are as follows Friday 16th September at 9.30am, St Philomena's Church, thereafter Winchburgh Cemetery.

Fr John will also attend Addambrae Cemetery for a burial of ashes of the late Alistair Crowley on Friday 16th September at 1pm.

Catherine Curran's funeral details as follows Monday 19th September St John Cantius and St Nicholas Church at 9.30am thereafter Loaninghill Cemetery.

Please keep all the families in your prayers. May they rest in peace.

European Day for Peace

This Tuesday evening at 6.30pm, the Vigil of the Feast of the Exaltation of the Holy Cross, we will be having a holy hour dedicated to prayers for peace to pray for the People in War in Europe. This will replace our usual Prayer Group. We invite you all to join us in prayer.

Bathgate Orchestra

Bathgate Orchestra are having an autumn concert 'A Night at the Opera' featuring soloist Sophie Halpin at St Philomena's Church on Friday 21st October at 7.30pm. Entry is free and programmes are £1. There will be baskets at the end for any donations.

Day for Readers: The Word Made Flesh: Full of Grace and Truth

Do you read the Word of God at Mass? A Day for Readers takes place at The Gillis Centre, 100 Strathearn Road, Edinburgh, 11am – 3pm on Saturday 8 October. It is also for anyone who wants to come and reflect on the Gospel of St John. Fr Andrew Garden of St David's in Dalkeith will be the main speaker and there will be practical sessions. The day concludes with Mass at 2:15pm. A light lunch and refreshments will be available. Register at bit.ly/readersevent

Next Sunday 18th September Readings: 1st Reading: Am 8:4-7 Psalm: Ps 112 2nd Reading: 1 Tm 2:1-8 Gospel: Lk 16:1-13

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