PARISHES OF ST JOHN CANTIUS AND ST NICHOLAS & ST PHILOMENA



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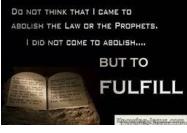
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6th SUNDAY OF THE YEAR - SUNDAY 12th February 2023

| Sunday | BROXBURN | WINCHBURGH | Feast Days |
|---------------------------|------------------------------------|-------------------|--|
| 12 th February | 9.30am Mass | 11.30 am Mass | 6TH SUNDAY |
| | Andrew McAllister | Cathy Watt AV | IN ORDINARY TIME RESOURCES FOR YEAR A |
| | 5pm Mass | | |
| | People of the Parish | | |
| Monday | 9.30am Mass | No Mass | |
| 13 th February | Kathleen Chapman AV | | |
| Tuesday | No Mass | 9.30 am Mass | St Cyril & St |
| 14 th February | | Bill Teenan | Methodius |
| | 6.30pm Prayer Group | | |
| Wednesday | 9.30am Requiem Mass | No Mass | de la |
| 15 th February | Connie Madden | | |
| Thursday | No Mass | 9.30am Mass | |
| 16 th February | | Bobby Cochrane | |
| Friday | 9.30 am Mass | No Mass | St Finan |
| 17 th February | Pauline Hughes (nee O'Leary) AV | | |
| Saturday | 5.30pm Vigil Mass | 9.30am Mass | |
| 18 th February | James McCormack | Carmel Sheridan | |
| Sunday | 9.30am Mass | 11.30 am Mass | 7 th Sunday of |
| 19 th February | People of the Parish | James Lavin AV | the Year |
| - | 5pm Mass | | and and the |
| P7 Rite of | Joseph Connolly AV | | |
| Enrolment | | | E. All |

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

Upcoming Funerals

Connie Madden's Requiem Mass is on Wednesday 15th February at 9.30am in St John Cantius & St Nicholas Church, thereafter Loaninghill Cemetery at 10.45am.

Rachel Bryan's Requiem Mass is on Monday 20th February at 9.30am in St John Cantius & St Nicholas Church and then 10.45 Loaninghill Cemetery. Coffin acceptance on Sunday 19th February at 4 p.m. Please pray for the family and friends at this time.

Shared Parish News

Ash Wednesday/ Lent

Lent will soon be upon us. Let's take a good look at our lives, identify what has to change, and respond to Christ's call to repentance! Here are a few highlights of our parish Lenten program(s):

- Ash Wednesday Masses:
 9:30am St JC&N Broxburn; 11:00am HF Primary Winchburgh; 1:30pm St N school Broxburn; 7:00pm Winchburgh
- Weekday Masses for working people: 6:30pm on Mondays at Winchburgh, 7amon Thursdays at Broxburn
- Adoration of Blessed Sacrament Fridays 10:00am-7:00pm (Broxburn), Saturdays 10:00am-12:00pm (Winchburgh)
- Stations of the Cross Fridays 7:00pm Broxburn, Saturdays 12:00pm Winchburgh

Sacramental Life of the Parish

- This Sunday the **12th February** baby James Alexander Watson will be baptised. Please pray for James, his family and godparents. Congratulations on this special day. May it bring with it love, peace and joy as you celebrate this holy occasion.
- On Sunday 19th February we welcome the children who are preparing for the Sacrament of Confirmation.

From Dalmally to Malawi

Take on the Marys Meals challenge from Dalmally to Malawi. Join them on a virtual tour from Dalmally, the village in the Highlands where Marys Meals was first founded, to Malawi, where they served their first life changing school meals. Together you will travel more than 7000 miles – raising vital funds to feed hungry children in the poorest countries as we go. Pledge your miles today and start your walk in April. To sign up visit their website <u>www.marysmeals.org.uk</u> ...maybe something to think about for Lent?

Newsletter Items

If you have information that you would like to share in our Newsletter, please send to Jacqui by Thursday evening to the parish email addresses. Many thanks.

<u>St Patricks Day Breakfast</u>

We are looking to hold a St Patrick's Day breakfast at the Canon Hoban Hall after Mass on Friday 17th March. If you would be interested, please put your name down on the sheet in the porch. £5.00 per ticket. All welcome.

Turkey/Syria Appeal

These are items needed for the people in Turkey – Warm coats & jackets, raincoats, jumpers, trousers, gloves, scarves, hats, woollen, socks, underwear, food parcels, baby food and formula, cleaning & hygiene wipes, sanitary products, tents, camp beds, ground mats, mattress blankets, sleeping bags, camp cooking equipment solar light, torches. Drop off points are as follows – Homeaid West Lothian, 12-14 Gideon St, Bathgate, Flatbread Turkish Bakery 48 Haymarket St, Edinburgh, EH12 5LA.

Aid to the Church in Need is supporting those affected by the earthquakes in northern Syria. Please take a look on their website for how you can help.<u>https://www.churchinneed.org</u>

News from our Archdiocese - visit https://archedinburgh.org/news-event

Lent talks

Discover Jesus Christ in the Servant Songs of Isaiah with four online talks from the Archdiocese. They are hosted by Fr Jamie McMorrin of St Margaret's, Davidson's Mains, and Sr Anna Marie McGuan RSM and take place at 7:30pm on Wednesday 1, 8, 15, 22 March. Register at <u>bit.ly/lenttalks2023</u>

Remembering Service

A service for those who have suffered the loss of a child, from the beginning of pregnancy onwards, takes place on Sunday 19 February, 5:00pm at St John the Baptist RC Church, St Ninian's Road, Corstorphine, Edinburgh. The service is ecumenical and open to all.

<u>Collections:</u> Broxburn - £886.00 Winchburgh: £638.00 Thank you for your continued generosity each week! <u>Next Sunday Readings:</u> 1st Reading: Lv 19:1-2.17-18 RP: Ps102 2nd Reading: 1 Cor 3:16-23 Gospel: Mt 5:38-48

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