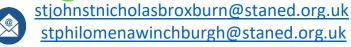
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2nd SUNDAY OF LENT – SUNDAY 25th FEBRUARY 2024

Sunday	BROXBURN	WINCHBURGH	Lenten Devotions	<u>Liturgical</u>
25 th	9.30am Mass	11.30 am Mass		<u>Calendar</u>
February	Fr John Byrne	James Lavin Av		
	5pm Mass			2 nd Sunday of
	People of the Parish			Lent
Monday	9.15am Divine Mercy	7pm Mass		2 nd Week of
26 th	Chaplet	Tony O'Neill		Lent
February	9.30am Mass			
	Bridget Moe (Boyle)			
Tuesday	No Mass	9.30am Mass	<u>Broxburn</u>	
27 th	7-8pm Adoration &	Michael Murin	6.30pm Station of the	
February	prayers for peace	5pm Reception	Cross	
Wednesday	7am Mass	11am Requiem Mass		10
28 th	Anne Crombie	Mary Wilson		
February	9.30 am Mass			
	Leah Marie Connolly Av			
Thursday	No Mass	9.30am Mass		
29 th		Ray Devlin AV		//
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Friday	9am Rosary	No Mass	<u>Broxburn</u>	
1 st March	9.30am Mass		6-7pm Adoration	
	Niall Sweeney		7pm Stations of	
			the Cross	
Saturday	5.30pm Vigil Mass	9.30am Mass	Winchburgh	
2 nd March	Joseph Connolly Av	Thomas & Theresa	9am Stations of the Cross	
		McGowan & Lennon &	10-11am Adoration	
		Theresa	10-11um Audiation	
Sunday	9.30am Mass	11.30 am Mass		3 rd Sunday of
3 rd March	Marie Forbes	Special Intention		Lent
	5pm Mass			
	People of the Parish			

Confessions Broxburn - Saturday 4.45pm, Sunday 5.45pm, Winchburgh – after Saturday 9.30am Mass

Next Sunday Readings: 1R: Ex 20:1-17 RP: Ps 18 2R: 1 Cor 1:22-25 Gospel: Jn 2:13-25



Upcoming Funerals

Mary Wilson's Funeral is on Wednesday 28th February at 11am in St Philomena's Church, thereafter to Winchburgh Cemetery. Reception of the body is at 5pm on Tuesday evening. *Please keep her family and friends in your prayers at this time*.

Sacramental Programme

Sunday 25th February – Rite of Enrolment for Primary 7 children making Confirmation.

Sunday 3rd March – Presentation of the Our Father for Primary 4 making their First Communion.

It is important that children and parents attend these morning Masses.

Right To Life

Support an amendment to reduce our abortion law from 24 weeks to 22 weeks. Babies born prematurely at 22 weeks are thriving and there is a contradiction in our abortion law. Collect a postcard from the back of the church and post it to your MP in support of this amendment.

Family Mass (Broxburn)

Next Sunday 3rd March at 9.30am will be Family Mass, if your child would like to be involved with the bidding prayers or offertory, please get in touch with one of the children's liturgy team.

Canon Hoban Hall AGM

Come along and have your say at our AGM on Monday 11th March at 7pm. This will be held in the Canon Hoban Hall, Broxburn. If you have any thoughts/feelings towards how the hall is run or any ideas on how to make it better, we're here to listen to you! If you're open to volunteering with us in our bar during events, please also attend this meeting and let yourself be known! We look forward to seeing you.

World Day of Prayer (Winchburgh)

The World Day of Prayer service this year has been prepared by the Christian women of Palestine. St Philomena's Church will host on Friday 1st March at 2pm. All are welcome to come along.

Raffle (Broxburn)

A raffle will be held on Sunday 17th March to help raise funds to assist Fr Isaac Oshomah (who has formerly worked in our parish) to return to Nigeria for his mother & fathers Golden Wedding Anniversary and his mother's 70th birthday in August. Tickets available at the weekend masses on the 2-3rd March and 9-10th Mar. Your generosity is greatly appreciated, otherwise he will unfortunately not be able to make the trip.

Cleaning Group (Broxburn)

Cleaning from the 26th Feb will be **Group 3** on the cleaning rota. Many thanks

Music Meeting (Broxburn)

You are welcome to join the parish musicians and singers as we learn some new material with a focus on Lent and Holy Week/Easter.

The Scouts are having a "Bingo, pie and beans" night on Friday, March 22 · 7 - 10:30pm

Join us for a fun night of bingo, delicious pies, and tasty beans! Funds raised will help us on our trip to Norway in 2025. Tickets are £5 for adults and £2 for children (under 16). We will have a bar, raffle and some entertainment for all the family. See Philip (07785 525 466, info@17thbroxburnscoutgroup.co.uk) or follow this link to book your tickets. https://www.eventbrite.co.uk/e/bingo-pie-and-beans-night-tickets-848844004267?aff=oddtdtcreator

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A gift in your will can support your parish, assist retired priests after a lifetime of service, help train our seminarians, or help the Church prosper in many other ways. To find out more visit https://archedinburgh.org/legacies

Day for Catechists

If you are involved with RCIA, children's liturgy, sacramental preparation or any other catechist role, please register for the Archdiocesan *Day for Catechists* at The Gillis Centre, 100 Strathearn Road, Edinburgh, EH9 1BB, on **Saturday 9 March from 10:30-3:00pm.** While the day is aimed at Catechists, all are welcome.

Visit https://bit.ly/dayforcatechists

Stations of the Cross

Join people across the Archdiocese each Monday throughout Lent for our annual Stations of the Cross. It takes place on Zoom at 7:45pm, beginning on 19 February, and lasts around 30 minutes. We will be praying for unborn children, their mothers and all pro-life intentions. Register at bit.ly/lentstations

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