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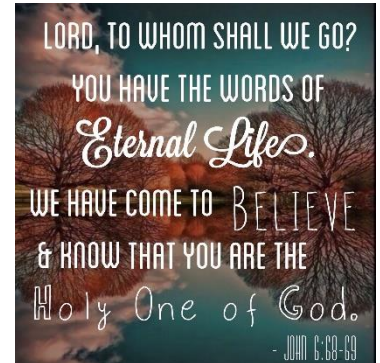
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21st SUNDAY OF THE YEAR – SUNDAY 25th AUGUST 2024

Sunday 25 th August	<u>BROXBURN</u> 9.30am Mass Mary McCawley 5pm Mass People of the Parish	<u>WINCHBURGH</u> 11.30 am Mass Cass McKeon	<u>Liturgical Calendar</u> 21 st Sunday of the Year
Monday 26 th August	9.15am Divine Mercy Chaplet 9.30 am Mass In Thanksgiving	No Mass	
Tuesday 27 th August	No Mass 7-8pm Adoration & prayers for peace	9.30am Mass Deceased Philbin Family	Memorial of St Monica
Wednesday 28 th August	9.30 am Mass Margaret Howard	No Mass	Memorial of St Augustine
Thursday 29 th August	No Mass	9.30am Mass Margaret Renton	Memorial of the Passion of St John the Baptist
Friday 30 th August	9am Rosary 9.30am Mass Joyce Boyle	No Mass	
Saturday 31 st August	5.30pm Vigil Mass Margaret & Arthur Brady Av	9.30am Mass Elizabeth Ledgerwood	
Sunday 1 st September	9.30am Mass Jean Black 5pm Mass People of the Parish	11.30 am Mass Kathleen Philbin	22 nd Sunday of the Year

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

Next Sunday Readings: 1R: Jos 24:1-2.15-18 RP: Ps 33 2R: Eph 5:21-32 Gospel: Jn 6:60-69

Collections: Broxburn: £1053.00 Winchburgh: £308.00

Cleaning Groups (Broxburn):

Group 2: 2nd Sept Group 3: 16th Sept Group 4: 30th Sept Group 5: 14th Oct
 Group 1: 28th Oct (poster on the church notice board)



Fire Training (Broxburn)

A Reminder for those who have volunteered to be a Fire Marshal, you are asked to please attend a one-off meeting on **27th August at 6:30pm (please note earlier time)**. This is to ensure we all understand what to do in case of fire.

RCIA Leaders Meeting

Please note we have a change of date: we will now meet on 2nd Sept at 6pm (parish house Broxburn).

SSVP Fish Tea

We invite you to join our SSVP Fish Tea, Canon Hoban Hall, 4.00pm Friday, 20 September, please put your name on the Sign-up Sheet at the SSVP Notice Board at porch. NUMBERS LIMITED. No charge.

Mission Appeal

Next Saturday (Vigil) and Sunday morning Masses we will have a Mission Appeal from the Spiritan Fathers.

Centenary (Winchburgh)

- The PPC met on Monday and unanimously agreed to celebrate the Centenary of the Church by adopting the ambitious plan of re-designing the sanctuary. This will entail commissioning architects to submit designs for the parish to consider. 2 November 2024 until 2 November 2025 will be a year of celebration and this work will be at the heart of that. More information will follow.
- This work will take place alongside other events in the parish. Rather than create small teams, it was decided to have one group, of around 6 people, to create a calendar of events for the year. We want to get this done in time for 2nd November this year. Can you help? If so, have a word with Fr John or Margaret Russell (plays guitar on Sundays).

Can You Help?

Money Counting (Broxburn)

We are still looking for a few more people to help with money counting. This would entail counting the offertory money once a month, if you think you could help with this and to find out more details, please contact Peter on 07598 918781 or speak to Fr John after Mass.

St Philomena's Hall

If you have young children, please make sure they are accompanied by an adult if they need to use the toilet in the hall.

Canon Hoban Hall: New Website

Apologies, we shared the wrong website! The address this has now been updated! Please visit and share with family and friends www.canonhobanhall.com

Altar Servers Day

The Archdiocesan *Day for Altar Servers* is a free event for children with games, activities, talks and Mass with Archbishop Cushley. It takes place **11am-3pm on Saturday 31 August** at the Gillis Centre in Edinburgh. Please arrive at The Gillis Centre (EH9 1BB) for 10:30am. Pick up for parents will be from The Gillis Centre just after 3:00pm. Please bring packed lunch and wear comfortable clothes and bring your Altar Robes.

St Philomena's Hall

Please join us on Sunday 13th October from 2-5pm with Live music from GI Joes a collection of Rock, Indie & Classics from 60's to present. Suitable for all the family, free entry.



Archdiocese News

National Youth Pilgrimage - The National Youth Pilgrimage takes place in Glasgow on Saturday 21 September. The pilgrimage includes a walking tour through the streets of Glasgow City Centre, recalling the saints that walked them before us. The event is open to ages 18-35. Pilgrims from the Archdiocese are asked to meet outside the City Chambers in George Square at 12:15pm. Please register with Fr Robert Taylor at frrobert.taylor@staned.org.uk

Venerable Margaret Sinclair -The annual Venerable Margaret Sinclair Pilgrimage takes place at St Patrick's Church in The Cowgate, Edinburgh, on Sunday 22 September. Schedule: 1:30pm – Holy Hour; 2:45pm – individual blessings at Shrine; 3:30pm – Reflection, Novena Prayers, presentation from Sinclair Academy; 4:30pm Holy Mass with Archbishop Cushley. Find out more about Margaret Sinclair at <https://stpatricksedinburgh.com/margaret-sinclair/>

Holy Year 2025 - Pope Francis declared that 2025 will be a Year of Jubilee. To help us prepare for the year the Archdiocese is hosting 'Pilgrimage of Hope' which will feature spiritual talks, pilgrim testimonies more. It takes place at The Gillis Centre, 100 Strathearn Road, Edinburgh, on Saturday 9 November from 11:00am to 3:15pm. Register at bit.ly/holyyearevent