

PARISHES OF ST JOHN CANTIUS AND ST NICHOLAS & ST PHILOMENA



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Saint Vincent de Paul

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25th SUNDAY OF THE YEAR – SUNDAY 22nd SEPTEMBER 2024

Sunday 22 nd September	BROXBURN 9.30am Mass Sarah Clarke 5pm Mass People of the Parish	WINCHBURGH 11.30 am Mass Shelia Wotherspoon	<i>Liturgical Calendar</i> 25th Sunday of the Year
Monday 23 rd September	9.15am Divine Mercy Chaplet 9.30 am Mass Mary McKeon Av	No Mass	<i>Memorial St Pius of Pietrelcina</i>
Tuesday 24 th September	No Mass 7-8pm Adoration & prayers for peace 5pm Reception	9.30am Mass Jimmy Chapman	
Wednesday 25 th September	9.30 am Requiem Mass Marjory Logan	No Mass	
Thursday 26 th September	No Mass	9.30am Mass Margaret Renton	
Friday 27 th September	No Mass	9.30am Mass Joe Mooney	<i>Memorial of St Vincent de Paul</i>
Saturday 28 th September	9.30am Requiem Mass Charlie Sharkey 5.30pm Vigil Mass Isabella Menzies Av	No Mass	
Sunday 29 th September	9.30am Mass Norma Murphy AV 5pm Mass People of the Parish	11.30 am Mass Tony O'Neill	26th Sunday of the Year

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

Next Sunday Readings: 1R: Nm 11:25-29 RP: Ps 18 2R: Jm5:1-6 Gospel: Mk 9:38-43.45.47-48

Collections: Broxburn: £1216.00 Winchburgh: £360.00

Upcoming Funerals

Marjory Logan's Funeral Mass will be celebrated on 25th September, 9:30am in St John Cantius & St Nicholas Church, thereafter West Lothian Crematorium with a reception the evening before at 5pm.

Charlie Sharkey's Funeral Mass will be celebrated on Saturday 28th September, 9.30am in St John Cantius & St Nicholas Church, thereafter Kingscavil Cemetery, Linlithgow EH49 6QT.

May they find the fulness of peace and joy in heaven, please keep their families in your prayers.

! Fire Drill Broxburn 5:30pm Mass !

Mass on Friday & Saturday

Please note the slight change in next week's timetable. The Mass on Friday morning will be at Winchburgh instead of Broxburn. This is to accommodate the funeral Mass for Charlie Sharkey on the Saturday. Back to normal the following week.

Spiritans Fathers Mission Appeal

Next week, we will welcome the Spiritans Fathers at all Sunday Masses.

Parish Absences

Fr Peter Kelly will be covering morning Masses from 1 to 4 October as Fr John is away on retreat with the other priests of the diocese. Please note that Canon John will also be away, from 1 to 13 October.

Fire Drill Broxburn

Thank you to all our parishioners for their cooperation with our Fire Drill last weekend, thankfully it all went very smoothly. We are however needing a few more Fire Marshals, if you would be interested in helping out with this simple task, please let Fr John know or contact the office.

Youth Group

Our Youth Group is starting this Sunday from 6-7.30pm in the Canon Hoban Hall, Broxburn. Come along and register, we have lots of activities, games, crafts and tuck shop for a snack, costs £2.00 per child.

Thanks

The family of Jimmy Chapman would like to thank Father Deighan and Canon Agnew for conducting a beautiful funeral Mass for Dad on Friday 13th September 2024. We appreciate all the support shown to the family at this time and for the donations to the Society of St Vincent de Paul. The St Vincent de Paul group would like to express thanks for this generous donation.

Church Stalls

It's that time again, Christmas is nearing, we have a range of Christmas cards, gifts, cribs and calendars available in our stalls, please go have a look and stock up for Christmas.

Foodbank

West Lothian Foodbank require the following items for their emergency food parcels – Custard, Juice, tinned potatoes, tinned cold meat, curry sauce, stock cubes, tinned fruit. Please give anything you can however small and place in the porch in Broxburn. Thank you!

Canon Hoban Hall

Please come along on Saturday the 19th October in aid of Motor Neuron Disease. Back for our Charity night are Phil and friends with a mix of 60-70s music. Light finger buffet and raffle tickets cost £10pp. Please message Katrina for tickets on 07453574105.

All For Love: A Concert for Charlie

A concert for the late Charlie Sharkey will be held on Saturday 2nd November at 2pm at St John Cantius & St Nicholas Church, Broxburn. With performances from Broxburn Sings, Smile Theatre and Music Classes, and singer Leona Corio. Teas and Coffees afterwards. Suggested Concert donation is £10 or pay entry on the day. People can make a donation ahead of coming to the concert (or just make a donation if you can't attend) - <https://www.justgiving.com/crowdfunding/aconcertforcharlie>

Archdiocesan News

Venerable Margaret Sinclair Pilgrimage - The annual Venerable Margaret Sinclair Pilgrimage takes place at St Patrick's Church in The Cowgate, Edinburgh, EH1 1TQ, **this 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/>