

PARISHES OF ST JOHN CANTIUS AND ST NICHOLAS & ST PHILOMENA



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Society of Saint Vincent de Paul

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30th SUNDAY OF THE YEAR – SUNDAY 27th OCTOBER 2024

Sunday 27 th October	BROXBURN 9.30am Mass Joe Mooney 5pm Mass People of the Parish	WINCHBURGH 11.30 am Mass Willie Pryde	<i>Liturgical Calendar</i> 30th Sunday of the Year
Monday 28 th October	9.15am Divine Mercy Chaplet 9.30 am Mass Patrick Devenney AV (grandfather)	No Mass	<i>Feast of St Simon & St Jude</i>
Tuesday 29 th October	No Mass 7-8pm Adoration & prayers for peace	9.30am Mass For souls in Purgatory	
Wednesday 30 th October	9.30am Mass Bella Dowd Av 11am Funeral Service David Cavanagh	No Mass	
Thursday 31 st October	No Mass	9.30am Mass John Nelson	
Friday 1 st November Solemnity of All Saints	9.30am Mass John & Maureen Boyle 6pm Reception	7pm Mass Deceased relatives of the Clarke family	
Saturday 2 nd November	9.30am Requiem Mass Barry Keating 5.30pm Vigil Mass James & Shaun Watson & Carol Gallagher	12.30am Mass Patricia Bann	<i>Commemoration of all the faithful departed</i>
Sunday 3 rd November	9.30am Mass Deceased members of Armstrong & Heslin Family 5pm Mass People of the Parish	11.30 am Mass James, Ellen & Catherine Callaghan Av	31st Sunday of the Year

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

Last week Collections: Broxburn: £1421.00 Winchburgh: £ 405.00

Next Sunday Readings: 1R: Dt 6:2-6 RP: Ps 17 2R: Heb 7:23-28 Gospel: Mk 12:28-34

Upcoming Funerals

David Cavanagh's Funeral Service will take place on Wednesday 30th October at 11am in St John Cantius & St Nicholas Church, thereafter to Loaninghill cemetery.

Barry Keating's Funeral Mass is on Saturday 2nd November at 9.30am in St John Cantius & St Nicholas Church, thereafter to Loaninghill Cemetery. Reception into church on Friday evening at 6pm.

Mary Mallon's Funeral Mass is on Monday 4th November at 9.30am in St John Cantius & St Nicholas Church, thereafter to Loaninghill Cemetery.

New Lectionary

This **Monday 28th October** Scripture scholar Fr Andrew Garden is our guest speaker on the Gospels of Matthew, Mark, Luke. The new translation invites us to deepen our understanding of the Scriptures. Come along to the Canon Hoban (Lesser) Hall, Broxburn, 7pm.

St Philomena's Centenary Mass and Celebration Buffet Lunch

To mark the event, on **Sunday 3 November** we will have a special Centenary Mass, followed by a buffet lunch in the Hall. This will mark the start of a year of celebrations for the Parish, with many other special events planned throughout the year. Please come and celebrate with us starting with Mass at 11.30am.

November Lists (Winchburgh)

100 years of St Philomena's is testament to the faith of the generations that have preceded us. During November, parishioners are invited to write down the names of their departed loved ones and family members. Lists should be placed in the envelopes provided (at back of church) and placed in the box at the altar. (Please do NOT place money in the envelopes.) Mass will be offered for all the names on the lists on Sunday 17th November.

Mission Collection

Thank you to all who have given so generously for our 2nd collection last Sunday for Missio. We raised Broxburn £853.50 Winchburgh £182.00.

Fish Tea

Once again, your Winchburgh Society of St Vincent de Paul is holding our Pensioners Christmas fish tea. This year it is **Friday 22nd of November at 3pm** in the hall. Please come and join us. Fill in the form at the back of the church OR let us know that you can come. Tell us if you need a lift. If you cannot come but would like a fish supper delivered on that night, please write in on the form or let us know.

Foodbank Harvest Collection

Thank you to all who have donated so far in our parishes, we still need more to fill all the crates, so please if you can bring along something to Mass this weekend. They need the following items, Stock Cubes, Tea Bags, Tinned Pasta, Tinned Cold Meat, Tinned Veg, UHT Milk, Washing up Liquid, Household Cleaning Sprays.

Thank you!

Joyce White and family would like to thank Fr John for a lovely Requiem Mass for the late Thomas White, and to all the parishioners who gave generously for the retiral collection in aid of Chess Heart & Stroke, raising an amazing sum of £400.00.

Youth Group : We are back this Sunday at 6.30pm if you have registered your child, they have a space so please bring them along. This Sunday we are having our Fayre so lots of fun. Tuck shop provided. £2 entry.

Older Youth (update): We are at the stage of furnishing the band room. Once that's done, we'll get things started. Speaking of which: if anyone can donate a sofa, a large rug or a large coffee table, speak to Fr John.

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.

Sunday Missals -We have ordered the Sunday Missals for parishioners who have put their name down on the sheets at the back of the church. Keep your eyes on the Newsletter and we will let you know when they are delivered and you can then collect from the stall and pay.

Thank you from your Scout Group. - The Scout Group would like to say a BIG thank you to you for your support at our last Teas and Coffees after the Family Masses in October. We are fundraising to go to a Jamboree in Norway next year. The next Teas and Coffees are on the 3rd November.

Cleaning Groups Broxburn: Group 1: 28th Oct Group 2: 11th Nov Group 3: 25th Nov

Group 4: Christmas Clean: 17th or 18th Dec **open to ALL groups** Group 5: 06/01

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