

13th Sunday of the Year (B)



ST MARGARET'S, DUNFERMLINE
AND
CHURCH OF THE HOLY NAME, OAKLEY

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St Margaret's is a Parish of the Roman Catholic Archdiocese of St Andrew and Edinburgh,
a Charity registered in Scotland SC0008540.

MASS INTENTIONS FOR THE COMING WEEK

Day	Time	Date	Intention
SAT	4pm (SM)	26	
	5.30pm (SM)		Mairea Spencer R.I.P.
13 TH SUNDAY	8.30am (SM)	27	Fr Chris Heenan (special intention)
	10am (HN)		Francis McCormick (Anniversary)
	11.30am (SM)		Donor's special intention
MON	10am (SM)	28	
TUES	9am (HN)	29	Lynsey O'Reilly
	10am (SM)		
WED	10am (SM)	30	Tom Reid R.I.P.
THU	9am (HN)	1	
	10am (SM)		FR. Chris Heenan (Special Intention)
FRI	10am (SM)	2	
SAT	10am (SM)	3	

MASS INTENTIONS

If you would like a Mass celebrated for a particular intention please get in touch by email, phone or drop a note through the letterbox or, if at a service, pop into the box for offertory collections.

If you wish a Mass card, write your name and address and one will be posted.

HYMN CORNER

Has now moved to individual files – see email if on mailing list.

A small number of copies will be available at each Mass.

Please dispose of these yourself if you are given one and don't leave in the Church (please note masks must still be worn whilst singing)

Thank you and **enjoy singing!** 🎵🎵🎵

DEAR PARISHIONERS

This week sees the first of two ordinations to take place this summer in our Archdiocese. The Reverend Robert Taylor will be ordained to the priesthood at Our Lady & St Andrew's church in Galashiels on Tuesday evening, the Solemnity of SS. Peter & Paul.

Robert has been preparing for 7 years at the Scots College near Rome. So we thank God for sustaining him with His grace during that time and bringing him to his ordination day. We also keep Robert in our prayers, asking that God will keep him faithful to his ordination promises and that, following his example, many more young men will offer their lives to the Church. After all, the only answer to the problem of the shortage of priests is to have more priests!

The Reverend Martin Eckersley will also be ordained to the Priesthood on 10 July.

In the media it has been reported that the physical distancing requirements may be changed from 19 July. If the distancing is indeed reduced for places of worship then we will go back to one vigil Mass at St Margaret's. However, none of this has been confirmed yet and things will remain as they are for the time being.

With my prayerful good wishes for a blessed Sunday,

Father Deeley

Administrator

SCHOOL HOLIDAYS

As we now commence the school holidays, we wish everyone well wherever they may journey to and welcome all visitors to our Church over the summertime.

ACT OF SPIRITUAL COMMUNION



'My Jesus, I Believe that You are in the Blessed Sacrament. I love You above all things, and I long for You in my soul. Since I cannot now receive You sacramentally, come at least spiritually into my heart. Although You have already come, I embrace You & unite myself entirely to You; never permit me to be separated from You.'

PRAYER TO SAINT JOSEPH, PATRON OF THE UNIVERSAL CHURCH

Hail, Guardian of the Redeemer, Spouse of the Blessed Virgin Mary.
To you God entrusted his only Son; in you Mary placed her trust;
with you Christ became man.

Blessed Joseph, to us too, show yourself a father
and guide us in the path of life.

Obtain for us grace, mercy and courage, & defend us from every evil.
Amen.

FEAST OF ST PETER AND ST PAUL

29TH JUNE

Into a world of darkness since the fall, new light had dawned, two champions heard the call: Peter the rock, and Paul once known as Saul!



Al - le - lu - ia, al - le - lu - ia!

First Peter stared in wonder at the sight, Jesus, transfigured, clothed in glorious light, then heard God praise his Son from heaven's height.

Beside a desert road a different sign, Saul saw a blinding light in splendour shine and Jesus told him, 'These you hurt are mine!'

Words: Patrick Lee

PUBLIC WORSHIP

BOOKING FOR MASSES: It is essential that you book a place for Sunday Mass. In St Margaret's Mass is celebrated on a Saturday at 4pm and

5.30pm and on a Sunday at 8.30 & 11.30am. In Holy Name Mass is celebrated on a Sunday at 10am. Booking takes places on a Thursday afternoon from 3-6 p.m. For St Margaret's call 625611 for Holy Name call 07711703927.

When you attend Mass you will be asked if you want to attend the following Sunday. If you cannot attend the following week the place will become available to someone else and you have to phone to rebook. If you wish to change Mass you must phone on a Thursday to ensure that this is possible. Booking for weekday Masses is not necessary: just turn up.

For both weekday and weekend Masses, livestream access from St Margaret's (as well as prior recordings) please go to <https://stmargaretsdunfermline.co.uk/stream/> or at <https://mcnmedia.tv/camera/st-margarets-rc-church>

OTHER LIVE SOURCES OF MASS

- Sunday Mass is available from the **Archdiocese** via the **YouTube** channel (found at the top right hand of the welcome page).
- **St Joseph's, Clarkston** are continuing to offer the **Dial-A-Mass** service. Mass is recorded **every** morning and is available to listen to any time from around 10:30am daily. Please share this number with friends and neighbours who do not have internet access. Dial: 01414734869.

PARISH FINANCES

Please only donate if you can do so; do not put yourself into any hardship.

1. Contactless follow instructions on panel next to screen
2. The old way (real money) pop in the plastic box at rear of church
3. Standing Order see below for account numbers – remember Gift Aid!
4. Online ad hoc donations
for St Margaret's: sort code: 80 06 55 Account 00720303. for Holy Name: sort code 83 33 00 Account number 00176355.
• using the link via the archedinburgh.org online secure 'donate' links

CHILDREN'S LITURGY AT HOME



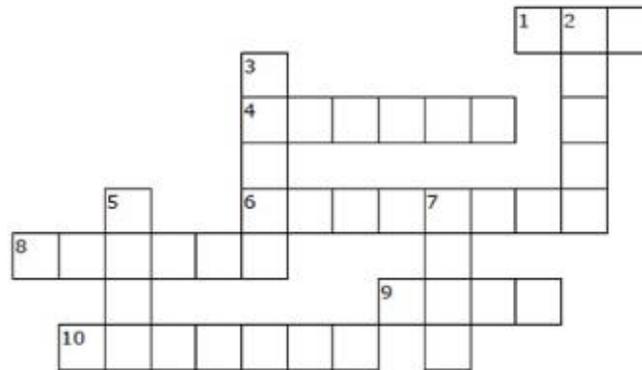
12TH SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME



Visit <https://archedinburgh.org/childrens-liturgy-at-home-get-ready-for-sunday-49/> for some great ideas to celebrate and explain this Sunday.

[More resources can be found at <https://cafod.org.uk/Education/Children-s-liturgy> and at https://www.rpbooks.co.uk/uploads/www.rpbooks.co.uk/04_FaithMap_Trinity-24thOrdinary.pdf]

This Sunday we hear about Jesus performing two healing miracles. Through the Gospel we are reminded to trust in Jesus because He is the "way" that leads to eternal life.



ACROSS

- 1. To shed tears; to be tearful
- 4. To be filled with fear
- 6. A female offspring
- 8. A ruler in the synagogue who had a daughter who was dying
- 9. Taking steps with the feet
- 10. To accept something as being true

DOWN

- 2. A leader or someone who governs
- 3. The part of the human body used for grasping and holding
- 5. To be alive; exist
- 7. To make someone well; restore to health

WALK	DAUGHTER	AFRAID	HANDS	JARIUS
LIVE	BELIEVE	RULER	CRY	HEAL

From Sermons4kids

PARISH CHARITIES



SAINT VINCENT DE PAUL

Our SVP conference has been working hard to meet the needs of those in difficulty at this time. If you can help, the Bank Details are:

Account Name	SSVP AEO2044
Sort Code	800655
Account Number	00768139

A massive *Thank You* to all who have donated!



ST. MARGARET'S ONE WORLD GROUP

SUPPORTING MARY'S MEALS, HAITI HELP, EMMS AND PEAS.

To help us continue our work, while our fundraising is restricted during lockdown, please make a donation if you are able. Please also think if you would like to gift aid it. **We are a charity in our own right so any gift aid agreement you already have for the parish collection does not cover OWG donations.**

Account Name	St Margarets One World Group
Sort Code	83-33-00
Account Number	10191867

If you prefer to send a cheque, please contact our treasurer Maureen Japp on 01383 725967 or by email at maureenjapp17@gmail.com

ARCHDIOCESAN CHARITIES

Please also remember the Archdiocesan charities including:

- The Aged and Infirm Clergy,
- Ecclesiastical Students Fund
- The Catholic Education Fund.

To give to these charities go to the "Donate" button at the top right hand of the Archdiocesan webpage.

OTHER NEWS AND EVENTS (SEE ALSO ARCHEDINBURGH.ORG)

Archbishop Cushley has warmly thanked clergy and lay people for helping get churches reopened so people can return to Jesus in the Eucharist at the Chrism Mass last Tuesday:

"This moment affords me a chance to thank warmly our clergy and our people, many hundreds of them, who work hard every day to get our churches open, and to make them safe and welcoming places for all who come to church.

"I'd also like to thank all who have worked to put holy Mass online, and to prepare worship materials, especially for our children, to nourish people's faith and to bring the Church into people's lives, despite the difficulties.

As I said in my recent letter to you all, let's do everything we can to make the life of our churches something attractive, something beautiful, something that makes people *want* to come to Mass, because it lifts *everyone's* minds and hearts to God. Let our celebration of the Eucharist be something that helps us live lives that give glory to God and that enrich us all spiritually on our earthly pilgrimage."

- **ORDINATION**

Please remember Deacon Bobby Taylor who will be ordained a priest of our Archdiocese on the 29th June, the Feast of St Peter and St Paul.

We wish him all the best in the last few days of preparation and prayer and for the future.

- **PART-TIME POST GRADUATE MA COURSES AT GILLIS**

There is still time to register for the courses commencing in September in association with St Mary's University, Twickenham.

Please visit <https://www.stmarys.ac.uk/edinburgh/about.aspx> to find out more, view the Q&A session or to book a place.

THE LAST WORD...

... FROM FATHER ISAAC

JESUS CHRIST; THE GOD OF LIFE.

In today's liturgy of the word, we see the scripture expressing the fact that God is always pro-life. He gives life to all things and he sustains all things in being. "In him we move and live and have our being" (Acts 17:28). He wants us to live. All that diminishes or ruins life is not of God but from the devil and our own shortcomings. "Death is never of God's making, it was the devil's envy that brought about death" (wisdom 2:24). Painfully, many are collaborating with the evil one in different ways to destroy the human life even in its cradle. The 'devil' came to kill, to steal and to destroy but Jesus has come that we may have life and have it more abundantly. (Cf. Jn. 10:10)

We see in today's gospel how Jesus restored life to the woman with the issue of blood and gave life back to the little girl; Jarius' daughter. Like Jesus every Christian has been commissioned not just to bring life but the fullness of life to all God's creation. In truth, many lives in misery! So many factors can make our lives miserable and incomplete. Absence of good health and absence of Christ in our lives can deprive us of happiness, peace and joy.

We can restore ourselves to the fullness of life in many ways. The woman in today's gospel had explored all kinds of means including the use of orthodox and tradomedical physicians yet to no avail, instead she expended all she had to live on and even incurred so much debts in the process, still "she was no better rather she grew worse" (Cf. Mk. 5: 25-25)

When there seems to be no consolation and relief from anywhere, we should turn towards Jesus and seek His help; He will truly help us. When other helpers fail and comfort flee, let us turn to Jesus and pray thus: "Oh! Help of the helpless, reach out to me.

For the rich and the poor he is our last resort. When the Physicians have tried their best possible as with case of the woman who was losing blood in the gospel or when even death has done it's worse as Jarius' daughter experienced (even her father's wealth and position the society could not stop the death of his beloved daughter); Jesus remains our last hope.

We may be suffering from issues of our passions, passion of pride, anger, lust, greed, unforgiveness, if we touch Jesus with faith, Jesus will touch our lives. We come for mass and we receive the Holy Communion but do we touch Jesus with faith? We touch Jesus with faith if we have true devotion, true love, and if we are very earnest and sincere about our practices of piety.

"Who touch me?" Jesus asked. As God, Jesus knows everything, but he only wanted her to give testimony about the blessing she had received. Testimonies inspire other people's faith. Have you got any testimony in your life why not share it with others. It was other people's testimonies that inspired this woman to have great faith in Jesus. She only heard about Jesus and she believed she will be healed if she can touch his garment and that was it. It was not the mere touch that healed her; it was the touch with faith. She had faith in Jesus. Having lost all faith in medicine, the woman found medicine in faith.

Boldness combined with a belief in the goodness, greatness and mercy of Jesus, liberated the woman with haemorrhage from her misery, which she had endured for twelve long years.

We may not be having the spectacular power of healing the sick or raising the dead, but all of us are called to do whatever little we can to overcome evil and bring health and love, peace and joy to our fellow human beings. "Just as you are rich in every respect, also abound in your work of charity "(2Cor. 8:7)

In our time, selfishness and evil look so deeply set to triumph that it will take a miracle to turn things around. However, each of us is called to work our little miracle of love and service. It may benefit only one person, but it will be a sign that Christ, the pro-life God, lives in us who are his followers.

Stay safe,
Remain Blessed,
Happy Sunday to you!