



# St. Margaret's Parish



ST MARGARET'S, DUNFERMLINE & HOLY NAME, OAKLEY

## 29<sup>TH</sup> SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME

**PSALM RESPONSE:  
GIVE THE LORD GLORY AND POWER**

Day	Date	Time	Intention
Sat	21	17:30 SM	Michael McClafferty
Sun	22	09.30 SM	Kathleen Mary Dewar
		11:00 HN	Tom & Antonio Fusco & The Breen Family
Mon	23		
Tue	24	09:00 HN	Communion Service
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Wed	25	09:00 HN	Communion Service
		10:00 SM	Requiem Mass for Julia Ann Brand
Thu	26	10:00 SM	Communion Service
Fri	27	10:00 SM	Normal mass schedule resumed
Sat	28	10:00 SM	Normal mass schedule resumed

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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.

## WELCOME

This week we welcome a group from USA who will be visiting on Tuesday.

## SCOTTISH POPPY APPEAL

**Light Up Red** has become a key part of the Appeal, with around 200 landmarks taking part in 2022, from theatres and cathedrals to bridges and lighthouses, as well as public buildings and private homes.

It gives a huge boost to our work to raise awareness of the Scottish Poppy Appeal across the country, and we know from our Armed Forces community that it means a lot to them to see such a visible show of support. To see the places taking part go to [poppyscotland.org.uk](http://poppyscotland.org.uk).

We will be playing our part again this year, later this week, all of the external lighting of the Church will be turned Red.

*It is our way of saying 'We will remember them'*

## WE ARE ALL SAINTS

The Children's Liturgy Group will be hosting a 'come dressed as your favourite saint' for 9.30am Mass on 5<sup>th</sup> November.

## MENS GROUP

Meets on Thursday 26th October starting at 19:30 in the Crypt. We have a guest speaker Duncan Weaver giving a talk on the Fife Pilgrim Way. All men of the Parish are welcome to attend.

## LADIES GROUP

All women in the parish are cordially invited to attend an informal craft evening hosted by the Ladies of the Parish on Tuesday 7th November from 7pm-9pm. Enjoy a warm cuppa or bring your own refreshments while crafting to your heart's content. You are even welcome to bring your own craft or knitting to work on during the event.

The event will be held in The Crypt at St. Margaret's.

Please contact Charlotte Macintosh by 31st October on

[cjm909@btinternet.com](mailto:cjm909@btinternet.com) if you would like to attend.

## IN REMEMBRANCE

On the Feast of All Souls (2<sup>nd</sup> November) we will be holding a remembrance service at 7pm in St Margaret's. If you know someone who has lost a family member, especially this year and maybe cannot always make it to the church, please invite them to come to this prayerful time.

## 6 MONDAYS ON THE 7 SACRAMENTS

Will take place from 23<sup>rd</sup> October at 6.30pm in the Crypt – see flyer.

## CHILDREN'S SACRAMENTAL PREPARATION

Parents of children studying in non-Catholic schools who wish their child/children to receive the sacraments of reconciliation and First Holy Communion should be registered by 26<sup>th</sup> November for early evening preparation classes. If you are interested, please contact Kay Frizell on [kayfrizell@gmail.com](mailto:kayfrizell@gmail.com) or phone 07933111972

## SYNOD

The Bishops of Scotland ask all Catholics in Scotland, and Scots of all faiths to pray for the Synod on Synodality especially during the month of October. They have just started the session on "participation, governance, authority" in the Church and how synodality and hierarchy can coexist.

All are asked to pray, every day of the Synod, the following prayer which has been invoked at Church Councils over the centuries, *Ad Sumus Sancte Spiritus*:

***We stand before You, Holy Spirit, as we gather together in Your name.***

***With You alone to guide us, make Yourself at home in our hearts;***

***Teach us the way we must go and how we are to pursue it.***

***We are weak and sinful; do not let us promote disorder.***

***Do not let ignorance lead us down the wrong path nor partiality influence our actions.***

***Let us find in You our unity so that we may journey together to eternal life and not stray from the way of truth and what is right.***

***All this we ask of You, who are at work in every place and time,***

***in the communion of the Father and the Son, forever and ever. Amen.***

## PARISH CHARITIES

### BONNIE BREW

Our Warm Space initiative takes place on Mondays 12-4pm in the crypt.

### ONE WORLD GROUP

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

### SAINT VINCENT DE PAUL

St Margaret's	Holy Name
Account Name: SSVV AEO2044	Account Name: SSVV AEO2040
Sort Code: 800655	Sort Code: 802260
Account Number: 00768139	Account Number: 13364166

### THE BULLETIN CHANGES

The bulletin shape and look will soon be changing.

To help offset the costs involved in this, we wish to offer local companies some advertising space in the redesign, for a small charge. If you are interested or know of such companies, please contact Paddy Mallan or Fr Syriac.

### SEARCHING FOR JESUS

Professor James Edwards, a fascinating speaker and a leading biblical scholar from USA, will lead a five-day mini course for those who are searching for Jesus from 23<sup>rd</sup>-28<sup>th</sup> October 7-9pm. Each evening is stand alone so you do not need to go to them all! Book via Eventbrite.

See the Archdiocesan Website for more information and pre-event video.