

# ST ANTHONY'S & ST MARK'S

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## THE 33RD SUNDAY OF THE YEAR (C) 13TH NOVEMBER 2022 REMEMBRANCE SUNDAY



### FOODBANK

Thank you for your continued support of the foodbank; last week we were able to support **63 families**. This is a list of items we are in particular need of at our Food Bank: **Broth mix, cereal, diluting juice, lentils, pasta, pasta sauce, tinned meat, tinned rice/custard, tinned potatoes, tinned spaghetti/beans, tinned soup, tinned veg, t-bags, stock cubes, deodorant, shampoo, shower gel, toothpaste wipes**. Items can be brought to any Mass or to the Church House at St Mark's.

### THE MONTH OF NOVEMBER

We have now organised the Calendar for the Month of November.  
A Mass for those who have died in the past year will be celebrated in each Church.  
A Mass for those who have died from St Anthony's will be celebrated at **10.00am on Saturday 12th of November in St Anthony's Church**.  
Mass for those who have died from St Mark's will be celebrated at **10.00am on Saturday 19th of November in St Mark's Church**.  
If a Requiem Mass has been celebrated for your loved one since September 2021, your family are invited to come to either of the memorial Masses, and should have received an invitation from the Parish.  
Mass will be celebrated each week for the names remembered on the November Lists; on Tuesday **evenings at 7.00pm in St Anthony's** and on **Wednesday evenings at 7.00pm in St Mark's**.  
**November Lists** are now available in the porches of both Churches and can be placed in the boxes provided.

### THEATRE—THE JERSEY BOYS

Thank you to everyone who came along to the Parish outing to see Joseph and the Amazing Technicolor Dreamcoat. Thanks also to Karen for organising everything. We are organising another outing for the New Year to see **The Jersey Boys**.  
The date has been confirmed for **Thursday 2nd February 2023** at the Edinburgh Playhouse. The cost is £46.10. If you are interested in going, **please add your name and contact details to the list with the Ministers of Welcome**.

### INTERNET AND COMPUTER HELP

We propose to set up a regular meeting for people who need help using the internet on their computers or smart phones. The meetings will be **every Monday morning from 10.30am-11.30am and every Saturday morning from 11.00am-12 noon in St Mark's House**. **The first meeting will be on Monday 21st of November**. If you would like some help then please come along.

## THE THIRTY-THIRD WEEK OF THE YEAR (C)

### SATURDAY 12TH NOVEMBER

*Just before his death and resurrection, Jesus makes several prophetic statements about the future,. First, Jerusalem will fall. By the time the gospel had been written everyone knew the Romans had destroyed Jerusalem and the Temple in AD 70. Second, people would be persecuted. Everyone knew that had happened too. Finally, prophesying something that has not happened even yet, Jesus promises that those who endure trials will win their (eternal ) lives!*

*(Readings: 2 Maccabees 7: 1-2.9-14; Psalm 16; 2 Thessalonians 2:16-3:5; Luke 20:27-38)*

#### At St Mark's

**4.30pm** Sacrament of Reconciliation available

**5.00pm** Holy Mass for the 33rd Sunday in Ordinary Time

### SUNDAY 13TH NOVEMBER

**10.00am** Holy Mass for the 33rd Sunday in Ordinary Time **at St Mark's**

**11.30am** Holy Mass for the 33rd Sunday in Ordinary Time **at St Anthony's**

**12.30pm** **Sacrament of Baptism of Lucy Ann Yuille at St Mark's**

**1.00pm** **Sacrament of Baptism of Bella Mae McGuire & Leo James McGuire at St Mark's**

**4.30pm** Sacrament of Reconciliation available

**5.00pm** Holy Mass for the 33rd Sunday in Ordinary Time **at St Anthony's**

### MONDAY 14TH NOVEMBER

*(Readings: Revelations 1:1-4;2:1-5; Psalm:1; Luke 18:35-43)*

#### At St Mark's

**9.30am** Recitation of the Joyful Mysteries of the Most Holy Rosary

**10.00am** Holy Mass for Monday of the 33rd Week in Ordinary Time

### TUESDAY 15TH NOVEMBER

*(Readings: Titus 2:1-8.11-14; Psalm 36; Luke 17:7-10)*

#### At St Anthony's

**6.30pm** Recitation of the Sorrowful Mysteries of the Most Holy Rosary **at St Anthony's**

**7.00pm** Holy Mass for Tuesday of the 33rd Week in Ordinary Time

followed by the Novena to St Anthony

### WEDNESDAY 16TH NOVEMBER

#### THE FEAST OF ST MARGARET OF SCOTLAND

**St Margaret, Queen of Scotland (c. 1045-1093)** is the second patron of Scotland and was born in Hungary to an exiled family, who when they returned to England, had to flee to Scotland. Young and pious, she married King Malcolm III at Dunfermline; they had eight children. Noted for her generosity to the poor and recognised for her exemplary way of life as wife and mother, she also worked to bring the old Celtic Church into the mainstream of the Church in the rest of Europe.

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#### At St Mark's

**9.30am** Recitation of the Glorious Mysteries of the Most Holy Rosary

**10.00am** Holy Mass for the Feast of St Margaret of Scotland

**10.00am-12.00noon** **Food Bank at St Anthony's Hall**

**10.30am** **Cuppa Club at St Mark's Hall**

**12.00noon-2.00pm** **Food Bank at St Mark's Hall**

**7.00pm** Holy Mass for the Feast of St Margaret of Scotland

### THURSDAY 17TH NOVEMBER

#### THE MEMORIAL OF ST ELIZABETH OF HUNGARY

**St Elizabeth of Hungary (1007-1031)** at). The daughter of Andreas II of Hungary, was betrothed aged four, married Louis IV of Thuringia when aged fourteen, bore three children, widowed when twenty (her husband dying while on crusade). Accused of wasting the state's wealth by her charity to the poor, she was deprived of the regency and exiled. She lived in a convent for a time, then retired to a cottage. Throughout her life, she was noted for her constant prayer and generous almsgiving..

*(Readings: Revelations 5:1-10-20; Psalm 149; Luke 19:41-44)*

#### At St Anthony's

**9.30am-9.50am** Recitation of the Sorrowful Mysteries of the Most Holy Rosary

**10.00am** Holy Mass for The Memorial of St Elizabeth of Hungary

**7.00pm** **St Anthony's & St Mark's Community Choir Meeting in St Mark's Church**

<b>FRIDAY 18TH NOVEMBER</b>	
<i>(Readings: Revelations 10:8-11; Psalm 118; Luke 19:45-48)</i>	
<b>At St Mark's</b>	
<b>9.30am-9.50am</b>	Recitation of the Sorrowful Mysteries of the Most Holy Rosary
<b>10.00am</b>	Holy Mass for Friday of the 33rd Week in Ordinary Time
<b>SATURDAY 19TH NOVEMBER</b>	
<i>(Readings: Revelations 11:4-12; Psalm 143; Luke 20:27-40)</i>	
<b>At St Mark's</b>	
<b>9.00am-9.50am</b>	Exposition of the Blessed Sacrament
<b>9.30am</b>	Recitation of the Joyful Mysteries of the Most Holy Rosary
<b>9.30am-9.50am</b>	<b>Sacrament of Reconciliation available</b>
<b>10.00am</b>	Holy Mass of Saturday of Week 33 in Ordinary Time and in honour of those who have died in the past year from St Mark's
<b>10.30am</b>	Tea and Coffee available <b>in St Mark's Hall</b>
<b>11.00am-1.00pm</b>	Gardening Club meeting <b>at St Mark's</b>
<b>THE SOLEMNITY OF OUR LORD JESUS CHRIST, KING OF THE UNIVERSE</b>	
<b>SATURDAY 19TH NOVEMBER</b>	
<i>On the Solemnity of Our Lord Jesus Christ, King of the Universe, it's not surprising that Jesus' kingdom is at the centre of the gospel. Today's gospel is about the exchange between Jesus and one of those crucified beside him. The kingdom is not presented as something remote and unattainable: the sinner who acknowledges he has done wrong, and who asks Jesus to remember him when he comes into his kingdom, is told: "today, you will be with me in paradise"!</i>	
<i>(Readings: 2 Maccabees 7: 1-2.9-14; Psalm 16; 2 Thessalonians 2:16-3:5; Luke 20:27-38)</i>	
<b>At St Mark's</b>	
<b>4.30pm</b>	<b>Sacrament of Reconciliation available</b>
<b>5.00pm</b>	Vigil Mass for the Solemnity of Our Lord Jesus Christ, King of the Universe
<b>SUNDAY 20TH NOVEMBER</b>	
<b>10.00am</b>	Holy Mass for the Solemnity of Our Lord Jesus Christ, King of the Universe <b>at St Mark's</b>
<b>11.30am</b>	Holy Mass for the Solemnity of Our Lord Jesus Christ, King of the Universe <b>at St Anthony's</b>
<b>4.30pm</b>	Sacrament of Reconciliation available
<b>5.00pm</b>	Holy Mass for the Solemnity of Our Lord Jesus Christ, King of the Universe <b>at St Anthony's</b>
<b>6.30pm</b>	<b>Justice &amp; Peace meeting at St Mark's House</b>

**PARISH PILGRIMAGE TO LOURDES**

Due to a number of factors, we have had to postpone our parish pilgrimage to Lourdes next year. We will try and organise one for 2024. In the meantime, it may be possible to organise an Easter pilgrimage somewhere closer to home, perhaps to Schoenstatt. Please come to a meeting about possible local pilgrimages on **Wednesday 23rd of November at 7.30pm**

**ADVENT DAYS OF RECOLLECTION**

A series of Advent days of recollection have been organised on the following dates:

Saturday 26th November: Readers  
Saturday 3rd December: Ministers of Welcome  
Saturday 10th December: Musicians and singers  
Saturday 17th December: Extraordinary Ministers of Holy Communion

The programme for each day is: 10am: Mass, 10:30am: Tea & Coffee, 11am: Talk 1, 12:00 noon: Lunch, 12:30 pm: Talk 2, 1:15pm: Closing prayer.

**DAY OF RECOLLECTION FOR READERS**

Rebecca Tavener, a specialist in speech & drama, will lead the day of recollection for our Readers. Rebecca teaches singing and leads public workshops aimed at singers and speakers. For several years she free-lanced for the Church of Scotland, coaching ordination candidates in public speaking. She is also a regular Cantor for Mass on Sunday afternoons at St Columbkille's, Rutherglen. The day of recollection will focus on how we read. Rebecca will go over the general principles of reading and microphone techniques. She will then return in the New Year for one-to-one meetings for anyone who would like them. It's important that as many readers as possible attend this day of recollection. Can you please let me know if you can attend the day.

### PLEASE REMEMBER IN YOUR PRAYERS

**Those who will be Baptised:** Lucy Anne Yuille, Bella Mae McGuire & Leo James McGuire

**Those who died recently, especially:** Anna Lang, Patricia Mullen, James Owens,

**Those whose anniversaries occur at this time, especially:** Ellen Goodwin, David Edward Lawrie, Margaret Lawrie, John Markey, James McLaughlin, Mary & Michael McLaughlin, John & Nessie McLaughlin, Dan, Willie & Elaine McLaughlin, Anne Paterson & James Wylie

**Please pray for all sick and housebound of the Parish:** Isobel Clark, Isa Daniels, Michael Dooley, Patsy Harkin, Helen Hunt, Baby Finn McGuinness, Michael McGuire, Baby Hope McKenna, Henry McVey, May O'Donnell & Margaret Rice

### ONGOING FORMATION

The next part of the course is entitled **Parousia: The Bible and the Mass**. Why attend Mass? Our very lives depend on it. It's the summit of God's plan for our salvation. Join us to uncover how and why all of God's action, in creation and redemption, is ordered to the Mass.

We will continue at **7.00pm on Thursday 24th November in St Mark's House**. Please come along if you are interested. Notes for the course can be collected from the Sacristy after Mass.

### TUTORING

Our tutoring service is now well underway. Thank you to all of the tutors who have given their time to help the young people of the local community. The current schedule is as follows:

Tuesday: History at 5.30pm; Wednesday: **English** at 4.30pm, **Biology** at 6.00pm; Thursday: **Maths** at 4.30pm, **Maths & Physics** at 6.30pm; Friday **Modern Studies** at 4.30pm, **Maths** at 4.30pm.

We are also able to help with the following subjects: **Business Management and Accounting, Drama, Chemistry, Design & Manufacture, French, Geography, Graphic Communication, and Spanish.**

If you need any help with your studies then please let us know.

### ST MARK'S PARENTS GROUP

We are looking for parish support for our Christmas Raffle this year. Trying to raise funds has been challenging the past few years but with your continued support the pupils of St Mark's Primary and Nursery have had many treats and we hope to continue this. We are organising a "Booze Sleigh" which we will raffle off for £5 per ticket. And the winner takes all!!! If you can spare any sort of beverage to add to our Sleigh this would be greatly appreciated. We thank you all in advance.

### QUIZ NIGHT FOR UKRAINE

Thank you to everyone who attended the quiz night, and to the Social & Fundraising group for organising everything. A special thank you goes to Len for his hard work as quiz master. All monies raised will be sent to SCIAF who will use it to aid the people of Ukraine. We'll let you know how much was raised next week.

### LEAVE

I'll be away for a few days, from Sunday evening until Friday evening. Fr Paul Annis, the Chaplain to Trinity High, will say Mass in my absence. He will also be giving the homily at Mass this weekend.

### BOOK CLUB

The Book club met last week to discuss 'An Invisible Thread' by Laura Schroff & Alex Tresniowski. The next book we are reading is 'The Midnight Library' by Matt Haig, and we will meet to discuss it at **7.00pm on Wednesday 14th December in St Mark's House**.

### ST ANTHONY'S & ST MARK'S COMMUNITY CHOIR

Thank you to everyone who came along to our first meetings! You may have seen some videos on Instagram and Facebook. Don't worry if you missed the first weeks, all are welcome to join us! We are preparing music for Masses and for the Carols by Candlelight concert on 22nd December.

Rehearsals are at St Mark's Church, Thursdays, 7-8pm.

### PARISH HALLS

As we look for ways to continue to support the local community we'd like to appeal for ideas for the use of our Halls. Two of the ideas that have been proposed are a bingo club and a Mother and Toddlers group. If you have any ideas please come and meet the Halls group at **7.00pm on Wednesday 30th of November in St Mark's House**

### OFFERTORY COLLECTION FOR THE 6TH NOVEMBER:

Plate collection including Gift Aid envelopes: £1669.30

Gift Aid to Bank: £884.00

**Total: £ 2553.30**