

St. Mary's RC Church

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Parish Bulletin: 7 April 2024 SECOND SUNDAY OF EASTER (Year B (II); Psalter: Week 2)

Date	Details	Liturgies	Time
Saturday 6 April / Sunday 7 April	SECOND SUNDAY OF EASTER (DIVINE MERCY SUNDAY)	Confession / Saturday Vigil Mass Sunday Morning Mass	5 pm / 6 pm 11.30 am
Monday 8 April	The Annunciation (Solemnity)	Holy Mass	10.00 am
Tuesday 9 April	Tuesday of Week 2 of Eastertide	Holy Mass	10.00 am
Wednesday 10 April	Wednesday of Week 2 of Eastertide Mass Intention: Mary Collins, RIP (Recently Departed)	Exposition & Confession Holy Rosary Holy Mass	9.00 am 9.30 am 10.00 am
Thursday 11 April	St. Stanislaus, Bishop, Martyr	Holy Mass	10.00 am
Friday 12 April	Friday of Week 2 of Eastertide Mass Intention: Jane Robertson, RIP (Departed Last Year)	Exposition & Confession Chaplet of Divine Mercy Holy Mass	9.00 am 9.45 am 10.00 am
Saturday 13 April / Sunday 14 April	SECOND SUNDAY OF EASTER (DIVINE MERCY SUNDAY)	Confession / Saturday Vigil Mass Sunday Morning Mass	5 pm / 6 pm 11.30 am

NEWS

A warm welcome to our visitors! Toilets are available in the entrance foyer. Join us for tea/coffee & cake after Sunday Mass!

New to the Parish? Please introduce yourself to Fr. Domenico, and take a moment to fill in a Parish Register Form (forms are available in the entrance foyer).

Congratulations to Nicole and Matthew, who were married in St. Michael's RC Church, Moodiesburn, on Saturday 6 April. We wish you every joy and blessing in your 'new life' together!

Friday 19 April: Parish Fundraiser Music Evening at the Seaforth Club (Gordon Street), 7.00pm-10.30pm – why not come along and support this evening of music and entertainment? Master of Ceremonies: John ('the Prof') Matheson. Tickets: £5 each. All parishioners, families, and friends are very welcome! There will be a raffle – donations of prizes will be very much appreciated.

Friday 10 May: Parish Fundraiser Quiz Night at the Dunbar Golf Club, from 7.30pm – All welcome! A fun evening for family, friends, and supporters! Please spread the word.

Tuesday 21 May – Thursday 23 May: Pluscarden Pentecost Lectures – these will take place in St. Scholastica's Guesthouse, at Pluscarden Abbey. This year's lecturer will be Dr Linden Bicket from the Edinburgh University School of Divinity. She will give four lectures on the theme of Scottish Catholic Literature and the 'transfiguration of the commonplace'. The talks are as follows:

Tuesday 21st May at 3.00pm:	Faithful Fictions: what is Catholic Literature?;
Wednesday 22nd May at 10.30am:	George and Ann Scott-Moncrieff;
Wednesday 22nd May at 3.00pm:	George Friel and Muriel Spark;
Thursday 23rd May at 10.30am:	George Mackay Brown.

There is no charge for these lectures and all are welcome to attend. To register for the talks, make further enquiries, or book accommodation, please write to: Pentecost Lectures, Pluscarden Abbey, Elgin, Moray IV30 8UA enclosing SAE; or email guestmaster@pluscardenabbey.org

90 Club: Next Draw on Sunday 28 April. Would you like to join in? Only £30 per year. Please see Elaine De Ste. Croix for details.

PARISH FINANCES: 31 MARCH

Parish Collection: £ 721.00

Special Collection (Holy Places): £ 254.00

FOR YOUR PRAYERS

Sick: Dorothy Ahern, Bruce Lamont, Ann Stewart, Austin Birks, Siobhan, Freddie Brown, Shirley Mackay

RIP: Brian Morrison, Don Leith, Lee Grant, Michael Lucas, Angela Worrall, Seán Humphreys, Angela Maclellan, Mary Collins

Anniversaries: James Thompson (7 April 2013), Christine Lamont (7 April 2006), Leonard Walls (8 April 2023)