



St Michael's Catholic Church Linlithgow NEWSLETTER

2nd SUNDAY of EASTER (DIVINE MERCY) CYCLE C

27th APRIL 2025

Week 17

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Public Mass on Sunday is at 9:15 am and 11:00 am

LIVESTREAM: 11 am Mass on the 2nd Sunday of each month

Readings this Sunday

Acts of the Apostles 5:12-16 Life in the Community is a fruit of belief in the Resurrection.

Psalm Response Give thanks to the Lord for he is good, for his love has no end.

Apocalypse 1:9-13, 17-19 On the island of Patmos John has a vision of the one who opens for us the way to eternal life.

John: 20: 19-31 It is faith that enables us to see

PUBLIC MASSES IN THE COMING WEEK

Wednesday	10.00am	Judy Goldfinch
Thursday	10.00am	Haydyn Carr
Friday	10.00am	Mary Gray RIP
Friday	10.45am	St. Joseph's School Mass
Saturday	10.00am	Una Keating
Sunday	9.15am	People of the Parish
Sunday	11.00am	Sick of the Parish

Please note that Mass on Sunday is always for the people of the parish. Private intentions are remembered at weekday Masses.

Please pray for the repose of the souls of Pope Francis and for Mary Gray, who has died aged 69 years, formerly of this parish and Bo'ness, and whose funeral will be here on Friday here conducted by her brother, Canon Tom Shields.

Requiem Mass for Pope Francis celebrated by the Archbishop in the Cathedral on Monday, 28 April, at 12.45 pm to which all are welcome.

Congratulations to Jack Noble and Hana McMahon, who were baptised and confirmed at the Easter Vigil, to Isobel Noble, who was formally received into the Church, and confirmed, and Maria and Margaret Noble, children of Jack and Isobel, who were confirmed.

Anniversaries *Elisabeth Gray, Peter Cabrelli, Annie Staite, Richard Cole, Rose Ann McLaughlin, Gracie Old, Isabella Gray, James Devlin, Elizabeth Sweeney, Betty Green.*

READERS ROTA

27 April 9.15am 1st Raymond Hendry 2nd Tom Byrne 11.00am 1st Angela Hughes 2nd Eddie Love.

4th May 9.15am 1st Jim Lonie 2nd Jim Campbell 11.00am 1st Eddie Love 2nd Cathy Vickers Morton.

MARCH ACCOUNTS Offertory income £5,286 and expenses £5,745 (includes £2052 for new hall doors and £804 for replacement house window)

STALL Has a variety of First Communion Cards and Gifts.

WEDNESDAY TEAS/COFFEES after Mass. All welcome.

CHURCH CLEANING Tuesday 29th April Mrs. Ambrose, Mrs. Workman, Mrs. C. Wilson, Mrs. Sinclair, Mrs. Gormley

LADIES CLUB SUMMER OUTING will be on Tuesday, 27 May 2025. We are going for a jaunt on the Bo'ness and Kinneil Railway, then going for afternoon tea at the Richmond Park Hotel need to be in Bo'ness by 2pm Cost is £30. Any ladies wanting to come along please contact Ann on 07446294432

MONSTRANCE Our Monstrance, which is over a hundred years old, has been sent away for repair and refurbishment. Meanwhile, we have a temporary replacement.

Children's Liturgy Latest resources for each Sunday can be found in the resources section at <https://archedinburgh.org/pastoral-governance/catechetics/>

HEALTH AND SAFETY All church volunteers are encouraged to follow online those online Health and Safety courses that are relevant to them. Access to these courses can be found <https://staned.astutelearning.com/Content/MicroLearning/Home.aspx>

Prayer for peace in Ukraine and Middle East O Loving God, your Son, Jesus Christ, came into the world to do your Will and leave us His Peace. Through the intercession and example of our Blessed Mother Mary, Queen of Peace, grant us the wisdom and humility to reflect that peace to the world. Inspire our thoughts, words, and deeds to bear witness to your presence in our hearts. May your Holy Spirit fill us with every grace and blessing so that we may pursue what leads to peace for all humanity. Amen

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