



St Michael's Catholic Church Linlithgow NEWSLETTER

EASTER SUNDAY

5th APRIL 2026

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Public Mass Sunday 9.15 am and 11.00 am

Readings this Sunday

Acts of the Apostles 10:34,37-43 Peter witnesses to the Resurrection – he has eaten and drunk with the risen Lord

Psalm This day was made by the Lord, we rejoice and are glad.

Colossians 3:1-14 The contrast between earthly things and heavenly things is the contrast between earthly life that ends in death, and the risen life, to be lived now, which is eternal. St. Paul here quotes an ancient Christian hymn.

Matthew 16:1-7 The earliest disciples learn to look for Christ where there is life, not in what is dead.

MASS INTENTIONS FOR THE WEEK

Thursday	10.00am	Morag Donachie
Friday	10.00am	Margaret McKay
Saturday	10.00am	Rosie McDonagh
Sunday	9.15am	People of the Parish
Sunday	11.00am	Sick of the Parish

READERS

Easter Sunday 9.15am 1st Raymond Hendry 2nd Mary Workman 11am 1st Jim Carlin 2nd Steve Gallacher.

Anniversaries Fred Adrian, Colin McKenna, Ann Vanbeck, Charlie Markie, Margaret Casey, Mary Gray.

STALL .will be closed on Easter Sunday.

CHURCH CLEANING Friday 10th April after Mass. Mrs. Ambrose, Mrs. Workman, Mrs. C. Wilson Mrs. Gormley.

WEDNESDAY TEAS/COFFEES WILL BE BACK ON 22nd APRIL.

SSVPThe collection last week was £125.07p Thank You.

2025 Copies of a summary of accounts are available in the porch.

March Accounts Offertory income £5,719 Expenses £5,038 which includes £1,390 for the restoration of Fr. McGovern's gravestone.

West Lothian's SPRED (Special Religious Development) group for adults aged 21+ meets on Tuesday evenings at the Lanthorn Community Centre in Livingston. The spiritual programme for adults with special needs fosters communion with Jesus Christ within the Catholic community of faith. Please contact Sister Mary Benedicta Maier, RSM at srmmary.benedicta@staned.org.uk if you are interested in becoming a SPRED catechist or seeing if your adult child would like to join the group.

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.astuteelearning.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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