



St Michael's Catholic Church Linlithgow NEWSLETTER

TRINITY SUNDAY

31st MAY 2026

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Public Mass Sunday 9.15 am and 11.00 am

Readings this Sunday

Exodus 34:4-6, 8-9 God is revealed to Moses as a God of tenderness and compassion.

Psalm Response To be praised and highly exalted for ever.

2Corinthians 13: 11-13 When people live in harmony and peace with one another, that is a sign of God's love.

John 3: 16-18 God sent his Son into the world because he loves the world and wants all people to be saved and have life.

Please pray for the repose of the soul of Kathleen Levy, who has died aged 94 years and whose funeral will be on Saturday 6 June at 10am, and for Fr Allan Ocendenaria, Parish Priest of North Berwick, who died on 25th May.

The Archbishop will visit the parish this week on Thursday for Confirmations at 7pm.

MASS INTENTIONS FOR THE WEEK

Monday	10.00am	Canon Thomas Hendry
Wednesday	10.00am	Ada Pierotti
Thursday	10.00am	Fr. Allan Ocendenaria
Friday	10.00 am	Special Intention
Saturday	10.00am	Kath Levy RIP
Sunday	9.15am	Sick of the Parish
Sunday	11.00am	Parish

Mass on Sunday is always for the parish and the sick of the parish. Weekdays are reserved for private intentions.

Anniversaries: Helen McMaster, Thomas Reynolds, Mary Sharkey, May Theresa Smith

READERS

31st May 9.15am 1st Raymond Hendry 2nd Caroline Gormley 11am 1st Angela Hughes 2nd Stevie Gallacher

7th June 9.15am 1st Caroline Gormley 2nd Raymond Hendry 11am 1st Danny Boyle 2nd Patricia Russell

STALL .Has a selection of Confirmation Cards/Gifts, also Cards for all Occasions. Stall will be available in the hall on Thursday for Confirmation.

CHURCH CLEANING Wednesday 3rd June Mrs. Keenan, Mrs. Antony, Mrs. Hogg, Mrs. McCarthy, Mrs. O'Dwyer.

WEDNESDAY TEAS/COFFEES will be back on 3rd June after Mass. All welcome

SSVP Collection last Sunday was £122.70p Thank You. Additionally, thank - you for the very kind donation of a bag of coins from a parishioner which totalled £16.95p.

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 smary.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.

WEST LOTHIAN YOUNG ADULTS' GROUP It is intended to start a Young Adults' group (age 18-c.35) which shall meet monthly, for prayer, talks, social gatherings and, perhaps, other things besides such as retreats, pilgrimages and the like. A preliminary meeting of introduction, prayer and social time will take place on Monday 25 May, 7.30pm St. Mary's Hall, Bathgate. If you are a young adult, practising your faith but wish you had the formation and friendly support you deserve from other fellow Catholics, please do come along to our preliminary meeting. We would love to hear from you and what you would like to know, do or be involved within your Catholic faith. Contact office.stmarysbathgate@staned.org.uk

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.

St Michael's is a Parish of the Archdiocese of St Andrews and Edinburgh, Charity No. SC008540

