



## Parish of Our Lady & St. Bridget's, West Calder

Parish of the Archdiocese of St Andrews and Edinburgh, a Charity registered in Scotland – number SC00854

**Sunday 26<sup>th</sup> June 2022 – 13<sup>th</sup> Sunday Ordinary Time C**

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	TIME		MASS INTENTIONS	Liturgical Calendar
Saturday	HMP 5.15pm		People of the parish Donors Intention	
Sunday	10am	S	Lesa Gaffney (Anniv)	13 OT
Monday	9.30am		Funeral: Jean Mulholland (RIP)	
Tuesday	No public Mass		Betty & Bill Glynn (Anniv)	St. Irenaeus
Wednesday	7pm		Annette Higgins (Anniv)	St. Peter & Paul
Thursday	9.00am		Funeral: Willie Gaughan (RIP)	
Friday	9.30am		Jemima Mullen ((Anniv)	
Saturday	HMP 5.15pm		People of the parish Matthew Sim (RIP)	
Sunday	10am	S	Anne Davidson (Anniv)	14 OT

**S – Mass live streamed online**

**Sacrament of Reconciliation (Confession) :** 30 minutes before Wednesday, Saturday & Sunday Mass.

**Sick & Housebound visit** – Every First Friday after morning Mass. Fr Marcin

**Exposition of the Blessed Sacrament** – 6.30pm every Wednesday.

**Rosary** – 15min before every first Saturday/Sunday Mass.

**Chaplet to the Divine Mercy** – 15min before Wednesday Mass.

**Children's Newsletters** for every Sunday available at the back of the church

**Weekly Parish Newsletter** – Online. Free Printed version at the back of the church (Sign up required)

**The church is open daily from morning till 6pm.**

**Scottish Catholic** newspaper £2 and **Catholic Directory for 2022** £3 available at the back of the church.

Please be aware that Mass schedule especially for weekday Masses can be occasionally changed due to days off, funerals or other clergy commitments. Please always refer to the newsletter for up-to-date Mass times.

**Please pray for the sick:** Elsie Burns, Irene McFadden, Jackie Flannagan, Frank McLinden, Margaret Mooney, Jean O'Hagan, Martin Coyne, Rachel Shiels, Leo Barker, Anne MacKay, Bernard Kane, Aldwyn Victor Valentine.

**Parish Mass Books.** Order of Mass: p.6, Readings: p.102.

**Peter's Pence-** A second collection will take place on Sunday 26 June for Peter's Pence. It is the name for the financial help offered by the faithful to the Holy Father in support of his apostolic and charitable mission of the universal Church and the entire world. It contributes to numerous charitable works directly assisting the most in need. Please give generously.

Wednesday is **St. Peter's & St. Paul Solemnity** and a Holy Day of Obligation.

**Funerals:** Please keep in your prayers late **Jean Mulholland (RIP)** whose reception of the body will take place on Sunday 25<sup>th</sup> June 5pm and Requiem Mass on Monday 9.30am. and **Willie Gaughan (RIP)** whose funeral will take place on Thursday 30<sup>th</sup> June 9.00am. May they rest in peace.

## **Upcoming Events:**

9<sup>th</sup> July – Wedding: Lucy Isabelle McLellan & Andrew Joseph Baxter

31 July – Beginning of 40h Devotion at our church. (Exposition of the Blessed Sacrament Daily Sunday-Wednesday 10am-7pm for private adoration).

7 September 7pm – PPC meeting.

10-11 September – Sign up weekend. Volunteers needed at our church. Many roles available! Help is needed with cash counting, social comity, church cleaning, serving as Extraordinary Eucharistic ministers, readers, passkeepers, sacristans, doing altar linens or church maintenance. Many of the roles are on a rota basis. Can you help? If interested, please do get in touch on that weekend after the Mass with our delegates waiting for you to help you to join the ministry and answer all your questions!

**Bonus Ball winner** – No 38 John Toner, Addiewell

**Last Sunday collection** – £498.75 (+ approx. £269pw via Direct Debits, Internet and Card Payments)

**Mary's Meals** - a really big thank you to everyone for your donations to Mary's Meals last week-end. Together we raised £782.45 which is fantastic! This will provide a nutritious meal every school day to 49 children for a year, what a wonderful gift!

**SCIAF wee boxes appeal 2022** - £1195.78. THANK YOU!

At the back of the church, you will find **Newsletter Mission Scotland** and **Prayers card for World Meeting of Families**. Please take one home.

## **Ordination**

The priestly ordination of Deacon Josh Moir will take place at Our Lady & St Andrew, Galashiels, on Tuesday 28 June, 7:00pm. Please keep him in your prayers ahead of this special occasion for the Archdiocese.

## **World Meeting of Families**

This is a big event taking place in Rome 26-29 June to celebrate the role of the family in the Church and wider society. Pope Francis has written about the importance of family in his encyclical *Amoris Laetitia* (The Joy of Love). Want to know more? The Archdiocese has posted three talks on its YouTube channel.

View the playlist at [bit.ly/ArchFamily2022](https://bit.ly/ArchFamily2022)

## **Schola Cantorum sings MacMillan**

This recital takes place at 7:30pm on Monday, 15 August, at St Mary's Cathedral in Edinburgh. In the course of this recital at the Cathedral, Sir James MacMillan, Scotland's most distinguished composer, will discuss the relation between faith and music with Michael Ferguson, Director of the Schola Cantorum. For details, visit <http://www.edinburghsacredartsfestival.org/festival-2022.html>

## **Festival Mass**

Archbishop Cushley will celebrate the Festival Mass at St Mary's Cathedral at midday on Sunday 21 August, followed by a reception in Coffee Saints café.

## **Margaret Sinclair**

The national Venerable Margaret Sinclair Pilgrimage is on Sunday 18 September. Find out more about this holy Edinburgh woman at [www.margaretsinclair.scot](http://www.margaretsinclair.scot)

## **National Safeguarding Conference**

This takes place on **1 October** at the University of Strathclyde, Glasgow. It provides an opportunity for all those responsible for Safeguarding in the Church to gather together again and to 'refresh' their understanding of, and commitment to, safeguarding. Details and registration at <https://bit.ly/39dsFPq>.

### **Christian Meditation**

Experience how Christian Meditation with others leads you to the joy of God's healing. We meditate in person at 63 York Place on Fridays at 7.30 p.m. Afterwards you are welcome for refreshments and to socialize. On Wednesdays at 7 p.m. we meditate online on Zoom. The up-to-date schedule is here: <https://www.meetup.com/Christian-Meditation-Group/events/>  
Contact info - mobile: 0771 777 2614 Facebook: <http://on.fb.me/1cuO5QJ>

### **African/Caribbean Mass**

The new monthly African/Caribbean Mass for the Archdiocese will be celebrated at St Patrick's, Cowgate, Edinburgh, at 1pm on Sunday. Please see the website for details. All welcome.

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