



**St James' Notices**

**Sunday 8 October**

**11.30am Mass:**

**Reader:** A McDonald  
**Assistant Ministers of the Eucharist:** E Blair and M Rendle

**Sunday 15 October**

**11.30am Mass:**

**Reader:** A McCulloch-Graham  
**Assistant Ministers of the Eucharist:** D Bannister and M Archibald

**Last week's collection:**

Gift Aid	£ 79.00
Cash	£ 35.50
<b>Total</b>	<b>£ 114.50</b>

**Next special collection will be on 22 October for Missio.**

The Chapel of Divine Mercy will take place on the First Sunday of the month at St James after the 11.30 Mass. All welcome.

**Please pray for the sick and elderly of the parish and their carers, whether in their own homes, in hospital or in care homes:**

Mimi Dunlop  
 John Allen  
 Delphine Mussett  
 Mrs Graham  
 John Halley  
 Alasdair Brown  
 Helen Garret  
 Douglas Shaw  
 Lina Patterson  
 Patsy Willmore  
 Bob Young

If there are names that should be included, or names removed, please let Father Wojciech know.

**PARISH OF  
 ST. JOSEPH & ST. JAMES**

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**TWENTY SEVENTH SUNDAY OF YEAR A  
 Sunday 8 October 2017**

*The vineyard of the Lord God of hosts is the House of Israel. Isaiah (5:1:7)*



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**Saturday 7 October**

**Vigil Mass 6.00pm**

**Welcomers /Passkeepers:** B Margiotta and M Brown  
**Sacristan:** Jordan Kay  
**Reader:** Christine Fielding  
**Assistant Ministers of the Eucharist:** May Gillies and Eileen Prior

**Sunday 8 October**

**9.30am Mass:**

**Welcomers/Passkeepers:** A Grieve and M Prior  
**Sacristan:** Alison Futers  
**Readers:** TBC  
**Assistant Ministers of the Eucharist:** Richard Leeson and Jim McCafferty  
**Collection Counters:** Andrew Grieve and Michael Prior

**Saturday 14 October**

**Vigil Mass 6.00pm**

**Welcomers/Passkeepers:** B Margiotta and M Brown  
**Sacristan:** Jordan Kay  
**Reader:** Charlotte Hamilton  
**Assistant Ministers of the Eucharist:** Doris and Alex Sharp

**Sunday 15 October**

**9.30am Mass:**

**Welcomers/Passkeepers:** A Grieve and M. Prior  
**Sacristan:** Cecile Thorburn  
**Readers:** TBC  
**Assistant Ministers of the Eucharist:** Paul Nichol and Rosemary Hannay  
**Collection Counters:** John Coll and Keith Landers

**Mass Times**

**Saturday, 7 October 2017:**

Mass, First Saturday Devotion	10.00am
Vigil Mass, St Joseph, Peebles	6.00pm

**Sunday, 8 October 2017:**

Mass, St Joseph, Peebles	9.30am
Mass, St James, Innerleithen	11.30am

**Monday, 9 October 2017:**

Mass, St Joseph, Peebles	10.00am
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**Tuesday, 10 October 2017:**

Mass, St Joseph, Peebles	10.00am
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**Wednesday, 11 October 2017:**

Mass, St James, Innerleithen	10.00am
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**Thursday, 12 October 2017:**

Mass, St Joseph's, Peebles	10.00am
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**Friday, 13 October 2017:**

Mass, St Joseph's, Peebles	8.30am
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**Saturday, 14 October 2017:**

Vigil Mass, St Joseph, Peebles	6.00pm
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**First Saturday Devotion  
 100th Anniversary of Our Lady Fatima**

**Saturday 7 October 2017**

From May to October there will be a monthly Mass in St Joseph's at 10.00am on the first Saturday of each month.

After Mass each month one part of the Rosary will be said.

**Confessions:**

**Confessions can be heard before or after Mass.**

**A warm welcome to visitors**

We extend a warm welcome to visitors to our Vigil and Weekend Masses. If you pay tax, any offerings you make can be 'Gift Aided' by using the special yellow envelopes available at the back of the Church. We hope you enjoy your stay in the Scottish Borders.

## General Notices

### St Joseph's Notices

**Linen Cleaning: October** Penny Jackson  
**Church Cleaning: October** TBC  
**Flowers: October** Judith Norval

**Last Week's Collection:**  
Gift Aid £162.00 Cash £180.30 **Total £342.30**

**Next special collection will be on 22 October for Missio.**

**Newsletter:** Information for the newsletter should be sent to Kirsty Kondol ([stjosephspeebles@gmail.com](mailto:stjosephspeebles@gmail.com)) by 6.00pm on the preceding Tuesday. Alternatively, items can be handed to Fr Wojciech, again by 6.00pm on Tuesday. If any newsletter requires to be printed in advance, notice will be given.

#### **St Joseph's 100 Club**

The next draw will be on Sunday 29 October 2017. If you have not already joined the 100 club please consider it now. It costs only £5 a month per number and each month there are 3 prizes to be won. Membership forms are available at the back of the church or you can contact Carole Roberts on 01721 729482 or [carole.mowhanau@gmail.com](mailto:carole.mowhanau@gmail.com).

**Teas & Coffees:** The next teas and coffees will take place on Sunday 29 October after Mass in the neighbourhood centre. Everyone welcome for a cuppa and a chat.

**Children's Liturgy** is held every Sunday during term time in the Neighbourhood Centre during Mass. If you are able to help please get in touch with Mona Taylor.

#### **Note for Counters**

Would all counters please check pockets and bags to see if the **Bank Safe Bag Key** can be found.  
The bank will not provide another.

#### **Thank you**

##### **Borders Catholic Union of the Sick Mass**

All went well at the Mass on Saturday 30 September.  
A big thank you to all helpers and Parishioners for making it such a great afternoon.  
It was a very meaningful Mass much appreciated by all.

#### **St James**

**Parish Meeting**  
**Tuesday 17 October**  
**From 7 to 7.30pm**

Please note change of time.  
Everyone welcome.

#### **Save the Date**

The Annual Memorial Service for our whole parish to remember all their loved ones who have gone before us will be on Sunday 5 November at 2.00pm.



### **Sacramental Preparations for Children**

Children are prepared for reception into the Sacraments of Reconciliation and Holy Communion in collaboration with home, school and Parish. A planned cycle of rites take place during Sunday Mass throughout the year over a two year period, usually starting before Advent.

Meetings will be held to outline the planned programme.

#### **Collection**

As Father Wojciech will be leaving us at the end of this year, there will be a collection for him during October. Envelopes will be available at the back of church from the pass keepers at the end of each weekend Mass throughout October at St Joseph's and St James. The envelopes can be returned by placing them in a designated box at the back of the churches after the weekend Masses throughout October and on the weekend of the 4 and 5 November.

#### **Save the Date**

**Parish St Andrew's Day Social**  
**St Joseph's and St James Fundraiser for Mary's Meals**  
**Friday 1 December from 7.30pm to 10pm**  
**In St Joseph's Neighbourhood Centre**

##### **Menu**

Vegetable Soup & Crusty Bread  
Haggis (also Veggie option), Neeps & Tatties  
Homemade Shortbread & Tea/Coffee

Bring Your Own Bottle

Entertainment from Strumash (Peebles Uke Group)

Tickets on sale after all Masses from Saturday 4 November  
£13.90 each (no family/child discounts)  
on a first come/first served basis.

£13.90 is the cost to Mary's Meals to feed a child for a whole school year. For more info [www.marysmeals.org](http://www.marysmeals.org)  
More information to follow in due course.

#### **Thank You**

The members of the Halley family would like to thank parishioners for their support following the recent death of their mother May.

Their thanks also goes to those who contributed to the collection for Alzheimer's Scotland following the Mass, which amounted to £59.00

#### **Mission**

**25 November to 30 November 2017**

A parish mission is going to take place later this year. It will be run by the Franciscan Friars of the Renewal who featured in a BBC documentary earlier this year.

Clips can be found at:

<https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=SL9TGKRvA>

We will be discussing the mission at the parish meeting on 10 September. If you would like to help or become involved please email Richard Leeson [richardleeson60@yahoo.com](mailto:richardleeson60@yahoo.com)

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**Deadline for newsletter items:** **Tuesday at 6.00pm.**