



St James' Notices

Sunday 15 April

1.30pm Mass:

Reader: TBA

Assistant Ministers of the Eucharist: TBA

Sunday 22 April

1.30pm Mass:

Reader: TBA

Assistant Ministers of the Eucharist: TBA

Last week's collection:

Gift Aid	TBC
Cash	TBC
Total	<u>TBC</u>

Chaplet of Divine Mercy will take place on the First Sunday of the month at St James after the 1.30 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
 Delphine Mussett
 Mrs Graham
 John Halley
 Alasdair Brown
 Helen Garret
 Douglas Shaw
 Lina Patterson
 Bob Young
 Barbara Margiotta
 Giannalisa Margiotta

If there are names that should be included, or names removed, please let the newsletter know.

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Sunday 15 April 2018

*"He takes our sins away, and not only ours, but the whole world's."
(1John 2:1-5)*

Mass Times

Saturday 14 April 2018:

Mass, St Joseph 5.00pm

Sunday 15 April 2018:

Mass, St James, Innerleithen 1.30pm

Tuesday 17 April 2018:

Mass, St Joseph, Peebles 11.00am

Wednesday 18 April 2018:

Mass, St James, Innerleithen 11.00am

Saturday 21 April 2018:

Mass, St Joseph, Peebles 5.00pm

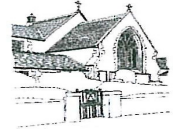
Sunday 22 April 2018:

Mass, St James, Innerleithen 1:30pm

Church Contact Arrangements

People phoning St Joseph's will be given the times of Masses at the weekend and the phone number of Fr Tadeusz at Penicuik. Church phone messages and mail will be checked regularly during the week. If anyone needs advice or information the following parishioners can be contacted:

Claire O'Brien	01721 722754
Rosemary Hannay	rthannay59@gmail.com
Charlotte Hamilton	01721 723910



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Saturday 14 April

Vigil Mass 5.00pm

Welcomers/Passkeepers: TBC

Sacristan: Cécile Thorburn

Reader: Charlotte Hamilton

Assistant Ministers of the

Eucharist: May Gillies & Christine Fielding

Collection Counters: Claire O'Brien and Margaret Anderson

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Vigil Mass 5.00pm

Welcomers/Passkeepers: TBC

Sacristan: Cécile Thorburn

Reader: Margaret Anderson

Assistant Ministers of the

Eucharist: May Gillies & Michael Prior

Collection Counters: Claire O'Brien and Margaret Anderson

"He opened their minds to understand the scriptures." Luke 24:35-48

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

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Linen Cleaning:	April	Margaret Brown
Church Cleaning:	April	Judith & Pam
Flower Arrangement:	April	Claire O'Brien

Saturday 31 March Collection:

Gift Aid	£ 160.00
Cash	£ 145.32
Total	£ 305.32

Newsletter: Information for the newsletter should be sent to Kellie Patterson (stjosephspeebles@gmail.com) by 6.00pm on the preceding Tuesday. Alternatively, items can be put through the presbytery letterbox, again by 6.00pm on Tuesday. If any newsletter requires to be printed in advance, notice will be given.

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St Joseph's 100 Club

The next draw will be on Saturday 28 April 2018. 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.

Teas & Coffees: Once Sunday Masses resume teas and coffees will take place on the last Sunday of the month after Mass in the neighbourhood centre.

Chatterbox Summer Holiday Camp

The Chatterbox Holiday Camp this Summer will run from 6th—10th August (2nd last week of the school holidays). It will be during mornings only from 10am—1pm with a snack break mid morning.

Volunteers needed either for one day or the week, providing baking, helping to set up or clear up.

Please contact Pamela Kennedy tel. 0781 299 4424 or email: pamela_s_kennedy@yahoo.co.uk

100 Club March winners

Congratulations to the March 100 club draw winners:

1st place—Jim McCafferty— £90

2nd place—Claire Clouting—£54

3rd place—Theresa Dunlop—£36

Easter Greetings from Poland

Robert and Monika and their two children, parishioners recently returned to Poland send the parishes of St Joseph's and St James' Easter blessings. Their card is in the porch by the outer door.

.Presentation of the Creed for First Communion Children

The third preparatory rite for our children receiving the Sacrament of First Holy Communion is **The Presentation of the Creed** which will take place during 5 pm Mass on Saturday 21st April when the children will be given the opportunity to say yes to all we believe.

Christian Aid Coffee Morning

St Joseph's is helping this year at the Christian Aid coffee morning on Thursday 17th May. Baking is needed as well as help on the day. Please contact Mary Hegarty, tel: 721918.

Christian Aid Bag Packing

Volunteers needed to help with bag packing for Christian Aid for an hour or so in Sainsbury's Thursday 17th May and / or Tesco's Saturday 19th May between 10am and 4pm. Contact Karen Ritchie, email: kcritchie25@gmail.com

Rosary on the Coast

At 3pm on the afternoon of Sunday 29th April 2018 thousands of people will make a pilgrimage to the coastline of Scotland, England and Wales in order to pray Holy Rosary for a culture of life and flourishing of true peace across our nations. The event is inspired by similar initiatives in both Poland and Ireland.

The Parish is planning to take part in the above venture. The site it is proposed to visit is North Queensferry Harbour Light Tower joining other groups there from parishes in the area.

If you would like to take part please add your name and phone number to the list at the back of the church. You will be contacted with the relevant information. Visit www.rosaryonthecoast.co.uk

St James's Parish

Sunday counters are required, please speak to Jane Davey if you can join the rota.

St Joseph's Gift Aid and Standing Orders

Gift Aid envelopes are now available at the back of the church. Please collect yours. If you are a tax payer and do not yet gift aid the money you put in the collection, please speak to Margaret or Claire at the back of the church, or phone Claire on 01721 722754, who will explain what is involved. Alternatively you might prefer to give through your bank by standing order.

Traquair Masses

Father Murray has agreed to help out with masses this Summer at Traquair and the dates are as follows:

Thursday 26th April, 7pm

Thursday 31st May, 7pm

Wednesday 27th June, 7pm

Thursday 26th July, 7pm

Thursday 30th August 7pm

Wednesday 26th September.7pm

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