



St James's Notices

Sunday 13 January

11.30am Mass:

Reader: A. McCulloch-Graham
Assistant Ministers of the Eucharist: E. Blair and L. Foy

Sunday 20 January

11.30am Mass:

Reader: E. Blair
Assistant Ministers of the Eucharist: M. Rendle and M. Archibald

Tea/Coffee

This takes place on the last Sunday of the month after Mass in the Church Hall. Everyone is welcome for a cuppa and a chat.

Mid-Week Tea/Coffee

Tea/coffee after 10am Mass on Wednesday morning in The Upper Room, and after 10am Mass on Thursday morning in St Joseph's

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

Anne Marie Baker
Barbara Margiotta
Delphine Mussett
Giannalisa Margiotta
Jim Leitch
Marie Begbie
Mimi Dunlop
Mrs Graham
Gloria Tartaglia
Tony Kerrigan
Jim McVey

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

ST. JOSEPH'S RC PARISH

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FEAST OF THE BAPTISM OF THE LORD YEAR C

Sunday 13th January 2019

"While Jesus after his own baptism was at prayer, heaven opened."

(Luke 3:15-16. 21-22)

LITURGY SCHEDULE

Saturday 12 January 2019

Feast of the Baptism of the Lord
Vigil Mass, St Joseph's, Peebles

6.00pm

Sunday 13 January 2019

Feast of the Baptism of the Lord
Mass, St Joseph's, Peebles
Mass, St James's, Innerleithen

9.30am

11.30am

Monday 14 January 2019

Week One in Ordinary Time
Mass, St James's, Innerleithen
Followed by Eucharistic Adoration

10am

Tuesday 15 January 2019

Week One in Ordinary Time
Mass, St Joseph's, Peebles
Followed by Eucharistic Adoration

10am

Wednesday 16 January 2019

Week One in Ordinary Time
Mass, St James's, Innerleithen

10am

Thursday 17 January 2019

Memorial of St Antony, Abbot
Mass, St Joseph's, Peebles

10am

Friday 18 January 2019

NO MASS

Saturday 19 January 2019

NO MORNING MASS
Second Sunday in Ordinary Time
Vigil Mass, St Joseph's, Peebles

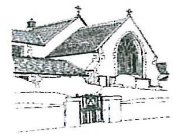
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Sunday 20 January 2019

Second Sunday in Ordinary Time
Mass, St Joseph's, Peebles
Including the **Rite of Illumination** (Holy Communion)
Mass, St James's, Innerleithen

9.30am

11.30am



St Joseph's Notices

Saturday 12 January

Vigil Mass 6pm

Welcomers/Passkeepers: Margaret and Maureen
Sacristan: Michel L'hombreaud
Reader: Charlotte Hamilton
Assistant Ministers of the Eucharist: Christine Fielding and May Gillies

Sunday 13 January

9:30am Mass

Welcomers/Passkeepers: Andrew Grieve
Sacristan: Cécile Thorburn
Reader: Andrew Grieve/Rosemary Hannay
Assistant Ministers of the Eucharist: Richard Leeson/Eileen Prior
Collection Counters: Bob Bon/Piers Dixon

Saturday 19 January

Vigil Mass 6pm

Welcomers/Passkeepers: Margaret and Maureen
Sacristan: Michel L'hombreaud
Reader: Margaret Anderson
Assistant Ministers of the Eucharist: May Gillies/Michael Prior

Sunday 20 January

9:30am Mass

Welcomers/Passkeepers: Andrew Grieve
Sacristan: Cécile Thorburn
Reader: Carol Roberts/Bob Bon
Assistant Ministers of the Eucharist: Jim McCafferty/Eileen Prior
Collection Counters: David Bon / Margaret Anderson

Other Monthly rotas—January

Altar Linen Cleaning: Liz Douglas

Church Cleaning: Kellie & Maxine

Flower Arrangement: TBC

Sacrament of Reconciliation:

The Sacrament of Reconciliation (Confession) is offered on Saturday—10.30 to 11am, on request before and after all Masses, or by appointment

A warm welcome to our visitors

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

Financial Offerings

Saturday/Sunday 5/6 January 2019

	Peebles	Innerleithen
Direct Debits	£345.00	£35
Gift Aid	£241.00	£133.57
Cash	£158.27	£79.61
Total	£744.27	£248.18

Thank you for your offerings to the parish for this week which amounted to £992.45

St Joseph's 100 Club

The next draw will be on **27th January 2019**. 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.

100 club December winners

1st prize George Dickie £88.75

2nd prize Phyllis Forman £53.25

3rd prize Nora Drummond £35.50

Total raised for church funds = **£177.50**

Next month's draw will be on **Sunday 27th January 2019**

Parish of St Joseph – Financial Position at Time of Merger

ST JOSEPH'S

Current Account Balance	60,000	
No debt to Archdiocese		
No amounts on loan to Archdiocese		
Total Financial Resources		£60,000

ST JAMES'S, INNERLEITHEN

Current Account Balance	23,000	
No debt to Archdiocese		
Amount on loan to Archdiocese	34,357	
Total Financial Resources		£57,357

ST JOSEPH'S NEIGHBOURHOOD CENTRE

Current Account Balance	13,400	£13,400
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LEGACY - ENDOWMENT (Lady Louisa Stuart)

Current Value of Fund	35,000	£35,000
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TOTAL FINANCIAL RESOURCES

£165,757

Divine Renovation Reading Groups

Our reading groups for Divine Renovation begin this coming week. The first group will be held on **Monday 14 January from 2pm to 3.30pm**, and the second group on **Wednesday 16 January from 7pm to 8.30pm**. The venue for both groups will be St Joseph's Neighbourhood Centre, Peebles. The topic for this week will be the first chapter of the book: House of Cards & House of Prayer: Remembering Our Identity and Purpose. In preparation for the group, please read chapter one of the book. However, if you don't have a book, or haven't managed to read the chapter, don't worry. The session will begin with a summary of chapter one.

Archdiocesan Year books for Sale

The 2019 edition of the Archdiocesan Year Book is now on sale at the back of our churches. There is a limited stock available, and the cost this year is £2.50.

Week of Prayer for Christian Unity

Innerleithen Church of Scotland are holding a prayer evening on Thursday 24 January 2019 at 7pm in the Meeting Room of Innerleithen Church as part of the Week of Prayer for Christian Unity. Fr Tony will be giving a reflection on the scripture passage which will be taken from St John's Gospel. All are welcome to attend.

Parish Pastoral Council and Parish Buildings Committee

Fr Tony will be organizing initial meetings of both these groups in the coming weeks. Contact will be made with those offering to serve on the Buildings Committee and an initial meeting will be scheduled. With regards the Pastoral Council, given that a large number of people signed up to serve on this, it might be helpful if there is a general meeting held one evening with all those who expressed an interest, and from that an agreed number of people can be chosen to represent the two communities. Again, Fr Tony will make contact with all those who offered their services. The Finance Committee met during the month of December and is due to meet again in mid-January; the committee consists of: Lilian Foy, Jane Davey (Innerleithen), Claire O'Brien, Margaret Anderson, David Bon and Michael Prior (Peebles).

Neighbourhood Ladies Group

The Neighbourhood Ladies Group will meet on 21st January at 7.30pm in the Meeting Room. Eileen Fletcher will present "A Glimpse of the Holy Land". All welcome.

Peebles Singers wish to thank those who supported the Christmas concert, and raised £550 for the Peeblesshire Food bank.

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