

# Our Lady of Loretto & St Michael Archangel

Sunday 8th January  
 www.musselburghcatholic.org  
 Tel: 0131 665 2137  
 Mob: 07732 694230  
 Email: basilijclark@msn.com

17A Newbigging  
 Musselburgh  
 EH21 7AJ  
 Parish Priest : Fr Basil Clark

Our Lady of Loretto & St Michael's is a Parish of the Archdiocese of St Andrews & Edinburgh Charity Number SCO08540

		A warm welcome to Mass this weekend	Mass Intentions
Sat	6.00pm	Mass <b>The Epiphany of the Lord</b>	Elvira Marciano AV
Sun 8 <sup>th</sup> Jan	11.00am	Mass	Annie Shaw AV
Monday	9.15am	Mass - The Feast of the Lord's Baptism	Tommy Hanlon AV
Tuesday		No Mass 'Ordinary Time' Begins Today	
Wednesday	9.15am	Mass	Bill McLean AV
Thurs	9.15am 10.15am	Mass Funeral Service for Marie McKenzie RIP	Thomas Goodlet AV
Friday	9.15am	Mass – St Kentigern	Special Intention
Sat	10.00am 10.30am 5.15pm 6.00pm	Mass Confessions, Exposition and Rosary Confessions Vigil Mass - The Second Sunday in Ordinary Time	Andrew McNab RIP  Graham MacDonald AV
Sun 15 <sup>th</sup> Jan	11.00am		Mary Horsburgh RIP
<b>Teas and Coffees Loretto Parent Partnership</b>			

Stewardship Is...



Love in Action

25<sup>th</sup> Dec

Collection £1781.81  
 Candles £ 40.69  
 Hall £ 50.00  
 Donations £ 604.50

1<sup>st</sup> Jan

Collection £779.81  
 Candles £ 45.53  
 Homeless £217.21

**Many thanks for your generous support**



### Please Pray For

**The Sick:** Natalie Archibald, Cathie Glen, Rachel Mitchell, Mary Keegan, June Fleming, Nan Brogan, Rita Fowler, Albert Binnie, Elizabeth McMahon, Mary Kowal, Stuart Turner, Sean Hall, Sybille Durie, Isabel Gray, Bobby Mitchell, Baby Cooper Carter, Louie Chudziak, Eddie Brown, a sick neighbour.

**Anniversaries** Sandy McNeill, Bert Murray, James Baptie, Tommy Hanlon, Margaret Reid, Elizabeth McRobie, Mary Hall, James McCluskey, Snr, Edward Combe, Ian Wallace, Helen Murray, Alec McLean, James McCluskey Jnr, Annie Kidd, Francezka Ward

**Recently Deceased** Marie McKenzie RIP Funeral Service Thursday 12<sup>th</sup> 10.15am

### Ministries Next Weekend

**Altar Servers: 6pm** T, A & G Courtney  
 H & P Lally,  
 A Ciowek

**11am** L Doyle, A Cusack  
 K Gray, L Allegrini  
 D & C Boyle

**Readings: 6pm** M. & N. Roberts

**11am** R. McCabe, L. Stewart

**Prayers: 6pm** S. D'Amico

**11am** J. MacNeill

**Eucharist: 6pm** A. Reid, J. Roberts  
 H. Anderson, F. Cusack  
 L. Cusack

**11am** J. McLean, P. Nicolson  
 C. Purnell, J. Scott  
 A. Vidler, C. Yourkson

**Childrens Liturgy:** TBC

**Cleaning:** Team 7 **Teas:-** Parish Hall Fundraising

**My thanks to all who helped prepare for the Christmas Liturgies: Cleaners, Altar Servers, Printing, Music at all Masses, Pass Keeping, Children's Liturgy, Decorating, Putting up the Crib, Painting the Crib Figures, Rotas, Flowers, Communion Ministers, Readers, Choir, Cards, Christingles. It takes a huge team effort and many contributed of their time and talent. Fr B**

**Council of Churches  
Week of Prayer for Christian Unity**

**EVENING SERVICES**

**MONDAY TO THURSDAY  
16-19 JANUARY 2017  
ST ANNE'S CONVENT  
WINDSOR GARDENS 7.30PM  
(enter through Ashgrove)**

**COFFEE MORNING  
SATURDAY 21 JANUARY 2017  
10am – 12pm  
Proceeds to  
CHRISTIAN AID & SCIAF  
Entry £1.50**

Sunday 22<sup>nd</sup>  
**Joint Evening Service  
6.30pm  
Musselburgh Congregational  
Church**

Homelessness Sunday 22<sup>nd</sup> January  
**Special Collection**  
Justice & Peace + Homelessness Charities

*Loretto Parent Partnership & Loretto Hall Committee*



**Friday 27<sup>th</sup> January 7.00pm**

**Tickets  
Adults £6.00, Child £3.00, Family of 4 £15.00  
Music - Canongate Cadgers  
Stovies/Haggis/BYOB**

**Parish Groups open again:**

Dance Group	Sun 8 <sup>th</sup> Jan
Society of St Vincent de Paul	Mon 9 <sup>th</sup> Jan 7.00pm
Badminton Club	Mon 9 <sup>th</sup> Jan 8.00pm
RCIA	Tues 10 <sup>th</sup> Jan 7.00pm
Union of Catholic Mothers	Wed 11 <sup>th</sup> Jan 2.00pm
LOL Youth Players	Sunday 8 <sup>th</sup> Jan

**Epiphany House Blessing:**

**V.** In the name of the Father, and of the Son, and of the Holy Spirit.  
**A.** Amen

**V.** Peace be to this house and: to all who dwell here, in the name of the Lord.  
**A.** Blessed be God forever.

**V.** A reading from the holy gospel according to St. John  
**A.** Glory to You, o Lord.

*In the beginning was the Word and the Word was with God, and the Word was God. He was in the beginning with God. All things came to be through him, and without him nothing came to be.... And the Word became flesh and dwelt among us, and we saw his glory, the glory as of the Father's only Son, full of grace and truth. (John 1:1-3.14)*

After the prayers of the blessing are recited, each room of the home is sprinkled with holy water. The year and initials of the Magi are inscribed above the doors with the blessed chalk (Casper, Melchior and Balthasar with the first two numerals of the year preceding the C and the last two numerals of the year placed after the B).

**20 + C + M + B + 17**

As you inscribe the initials say: "Christus Mansionem Benedicat" which means "May Christ bless this house".

**V.** Lord God of heaven and earth, you revealed your only begotten Son to every nation by the guidance of a star. Bless this house and all who inhabit it. May we be blessed with health, goodness of heart, gentleness and the keeping of your law. Fill us with the light of Christ, that our love for each other may go out to all. We ask this through Christ our Lord.  
**A.** Amen.

**This may be done yourself using chalk blessed at this mass or if you wish Fr Basil to come to your house for a New Year House Blessing then speak to him after Mass and arrange a visit. House blessing for the new year can take place up until the end of January**