

# Our Lady of Loretto & St Michael Archangel

Sunday 28th January  
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Our Lady of Loretto & St Michael's is a Parish of the Archdiocese of St Andrews & Edinburgh Charity Number SCO08540

|                                |                              | <b>WELCOME</b>  | <b>Mass Intentions</b>                      |
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| Vigil Mass                     | 6.00pm                       | <b>THE FOURTH SUNDAY OF THE YEAR</b>                      | Jessie, Kathleen, Stewart & Watt Gibson RIP |
| Sun 28 <sup>th</sup> Jan       | 9.30am<br>11.00am            | Pathhead  | Mary Ann Doherty Thanksgiving               |
| Mon.                           |                              | <i>No Mass</i>  |   |
| Tues                           | 9.15                         | Mass  | Andy Breslin AV                             |
| Wed                            |                              | Mass – St John Bosco                                      | John McGee AV                               |
| Thurs 1 <sup>st</sup> February |                              | Mass  | Deceased Clergy                             |
| Fri.                           | 9.15am                       | Mass - The Presentation of Christ (Candlemas)             | Stephen Fitzpatrick RIP                     |
| Sat.                           | 10.00am<br>10.30am<br>5.15pm | Mass<br>Rosary, Exposition and Confessions<br>Confessions | James Ritchie AV                            |
| Vigil Mass                     | 6.00pm                       | <b>THE FIFTH SUNDAY OF THE YEAR</b>                       | Patrick Keegan & Family AV                  |
| Sun 4 <sup>th</sup> Feb        | 11.00am                      |   | Special Intention                           |

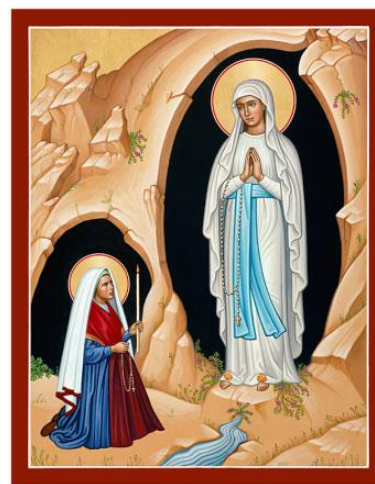
## HOMELESSNESS SUNDAY

**Please Pray - For The Sick:** Natalie Archibald, Rachel Mitchell, June Fleming, Nan Brogan, Rita Fowler, Albert Binnie, Elizabeth McMahon, Mary Kowal, Sean Hall, Sybille Durie, Isabel Gray, Bobby Mitchell, Baby Cooper Carter, Eddie Brown, Hugh Rodgers, Hugh Scott, Jean Tulloch, Joan Brooks, Caryle Hughes, Eileen Hunter, Maureen Keane, Allan Knight, Anne Marie Bevan and Colin Wills. **Anniversaries:** Hugh McCardle, Elizabeth Crowshaw, Andrew Gordon, John Ryan, John Dixon, Joe Hughes, Willie Johnston, Bert Tesoro, Michael Allen, Theresa McCluskey

### Ministries Weekend

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| <b>Altar Servers:</b> 6pm T, A & G Courtney,<br>H & P Lally, M Brown        | 11am A Cusack, K Gray<br>L Allegrini, A & J Ciowek                         |
| <b>Readings:</b> 6pm J McGowan  | 11am A Dolan, J MacNeill   |
| <b>Prayers:</b> 6pm R Dowds   | 11am E McDunphy  |
| <b>Eucharist:</b> 6pm F Cusack, L Cusack,<br>J Carwell, H Brown,<br>L Doyle | 11am C Yorkston, L Yorkston,<br>J Scott, A Vidler<br>C Purnell, P Nicolson |

**Cleaning: Team 1 - Betty, Susan, Mhorag  
 Teas – Loretto Parent Partnership  
 Children's Liturgy - Mhorag, Elizabeth and helpers**



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## Lourdes Pilgrimage

### 6<sup>th</sup> to 13<sup>th</sup> July

Tangney Tours Information Leaflet  
 at back of Church  
[www.tangney-tours.com/edinburgh](http://www.tangney-tours.com/edinburgh)

**Candlemas**, also known as the **Feast of the Presentation of Our Lord Jesus** and the **Feast of the Purification of the Blessed Virgin Mary**, is a Holy Day commemorating the presentation of Jesus at the Temple. It is based upon the account of the presentation of Jesus in Luke 2:22-40. In accordance with Leviticus 12: a woman was to be presented for purification by sacrifice 33 days after a boy's circumcision. It falls on February 2, which is traditionally the 40th day of the Christmas season. While it is customary for Christians in some countries to remove their Christmas decorations on 12<sup>th</sup> Night those in other Christian countries historically remove them on Candlemas.

# HOMELESSNESS SUNDAY

## Recycling First

East Lothian

### Recycle. Reuse. Relive

Recycling First was established by ELVON which was the local council for voluntary service. In 1994 a need was identified in response to requests from the general public. This led to a pilot project being set up for one year with the aims being: To assist individual families throughout East Lothian who are in receipt of benefits to access necessary household furniture; and To collect good quality second hand furniture to distribute to disadvantaged families. The Project employs a Project Manager and Driver who are backed up by a great team of volunteers who without the Project could not function.

They are urgently in need of good quality, re-usable furniture and other household items, and domestic electrical appliances. Please help them to help others. They will collect free of charge. Recycling First is enormously grateful to all benefactors who have donated, and continue to donate items. Revenue generated from the sale of donated items is invested back into the organisation to help towards meeting Recycling First's aims and objectives. Your donation will help to ensure that Recycling First can continue to benefit the community and the environment.

Contact on 01875 615797 or [recyclingfirstel@gmail.com](mailto:recyclingfirstel@gmail.com)



From this Sunday onwards all food left in the box in the porch will be taken to East Lothian Food Bank which though based in Tranent serves people in



7.1.18

|                   |         |
|-------------------|---------|
| Collection        | £972.45 |
| Candles           | £40.99  |
| Building          | £150.00 |
| Youth for Lourdes | £150.00 |

14.1.18

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| Collection | £853.89 |
| Candles    | £34.26  |
| SCIAF      | £9.55   |

21.1.18

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| Collection | £815.45 |
| Candles    | £7.95   |

Many Thanks

**What is Homeless Sunday?** The purpose of Homeless Sunday is threefold:

- showing our concern for individuals affected by homelessness
- challenging the conditions that create it
- celebrating work that tackles the problem

**Matthew 25: 31-46** is straightforward about how we are going to be judged. Christ is clear that when we face people in need we are also facing him.

The message opens up a question. As active members of society what is Christ saying when he says to us, "I was a stranger and you let me in"? As active members of society, should we take responsibility for what is done in our name? Perhaps we want to be in a society that respects and lives out our values, too?



Tickets (£10/£9) are still available to buy from The Brunton box office in person, and by phone (0131 665 2240)

Monday – Saturday 10am – 6pm.  
**15<sup>th</sup>, 16<sup>th</sup> and 17<sup>th</sup> of February**  
**7pm + 1.30pm Saturday Matinee**  
Please come along and support the young people of the parish.



### Lent Bible Study

Tuesday 13<sup>th</sup> February & each Tuesday until 20<sup>th</sup> March  
Studying :St Paul's Letter to the Ephesians



**14<sup>th</sup> February 2018**

- ❖ Mass 9.15am & 7.00pm
- ❖ Stations 7.30pm

### 200 Club

#### January Winners

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| £100.00 | Aileen McDonald 219                    |
| £50.00  | Dick Crabbe 4                          |
| £20.00  | Shannon McNaughton 179                 |
| £10.00  |  |
|         | Susan Sward 105; Des Reape 159;        |
|         | Andrew Keeegan 90; Hellen McDonald 111 |

### The Loretto Parish Hall Bookings

Please contact Elspeth 07732 745 357.  
To find out about availability please visit [mussleburghcatholicchurch.org](http://mussleburghcatholicchurch.org)