

Sunday 15th December

**Our Lady of Loretto & St Michael, Musselburgh**  
(with St Martin of Tours, Tranent)

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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>
<b>Saturday 14<sup>th</sup> December</b>	<b>6.00pm</b>	<b>ADVENT III - GAUDETE</b>	<b>John Boyde AV</b>
<b>Sunday</b>	<b>9.30am</b> <b>11.00am</b>		<b>Anna Kerr (McGowan) AV</b> <b>Charlie Boyle AV</b>
<b>Monday</b>	<b>11.30am</b>	<b>Funeral Service</b>	<b>Francis Devlin RIP</b>
<b>Tuesday</b>	<b>9.15am</b> <b>10.00am</b> <b>7.00pm</b>	<b>Communion Service</b> <b>Mass Tranent</b> <b>Christmas Carols and Readings - Tranent</b>	<b>Tommy Lubby</b>
<b>Wednesday</b>	<b>9.15am</b>	<b>Mass</b>	<b>Mary Frazer RIP</b>
<b>Thursday</b>	<b>10.00am</b>	<b>Mass Tranent</b>	<b>Holy Souls</b>
<b>Friday</b>	<b>9.15am</b>	<b>Mass</b>	<b>Frank &amp; Isabella McIntyre AV</b>
<b>Saturday</b>	<b>9.00am</b> <b>10.30am</b> <b>5.15pm</b>	<b>Funeral Mass</b> <b>Exposition Rosary and Confessions</b> <b>Confessions</b>	<b>Alice Doherty RIP</b>
<b>Vigil</b>	<b>6.00pm</b>	<b>ADVENT IV</b>	<b>Douglas Family</b>
<b>Sunday 22<sup>nd</sup> December</b>	<b>9.30am</b> <b>11.00am</b>		<b>Bridget Main AV</b> <b>Davina O'Connor AV</b>
<b>Teas and Coffees available after mass</b>			

**Big Christmas Clean**  
Monday 23<sup>rd</sup> December  
Either  
From 10.00am  
Or  
From 7.00pm

Guitar Group  
**CAROLS AND READINGS BY FAIRYLIGHT**  
Friday 20<sup>th</sup> Dec. 7.00pm  
Parish Hall  
Light refreshments afterwards  
**Everyone Welcome**

**Choir Practice**  
  
**Wed 7.00pm**

  
**Sun. 8<sup>th</sup> December**  
Offertory £838.56  
Candles £ 53.96  
Stall £ 25.00  
Hall £175.00  
SCIAF £ 40.00  
Charity Bingo £475.50

**Recent Charity Bingo Donations**  
*E L Food Bank* £500.00  
*Bauchi* £500.00  
*Modern Slavery* £250.00  
*Kindred* £250.00

**Senior Parishioners Christmas Lunch**  
*My thanks to all who contributed time, talents and resources to make Sunday's lunch such a success. 92 festive lunches were served, with over 25 helpers. Great cooking and great entertainment. A wonderful occasion. Fr B*

  
**Happy Hogmanay!**  
You are invited to a  
**New Years Eve Families Party**  
Also celebrating Fr Basil's  
60<sup>th</sup> Birthday  
**8.00pm – 12.30pm**

.Dr Alice Doherty RIP  
Funeral Mass  
**Saturday 21<sup>st</sup> Dec 9.00am**

**2 short training sessions**  
**Readers at Christmas**  
The Ministry of Proclamation  
Sunday 15<sup>th</sup> December 3.00pm  
**Passkeepers at Christmas**  
The Ministry of Welcome  
Sunday 15<sup>th</sup> December 4.00pm  
**Ministries at Christmas**  
Sign up sheets now at the back of the church.  
Please sign up now and allow us to plan ahead



## Jingle Bags £500.00

Donated from Charity Bingo – Many thanks.

The Food Bank team thanks all of you who have donated food over the last few weeks. In the last 2 weeks this amounted to 104.7kg or 21 meals for 2 people or 13 meals for a family of 4. Please continue to keep this much needed service in mind.

**So far over 1300 plastic bottle tops have been donated for Palliative Care. These will be going for recycling this week.**

### Ministries 14th/15th December

<b>Altar Servers:</b> 6pm Danny, Natalia, Charlie.	11am Adam, Julia, Scott, Kara, Mollie.
<b>Readings:</b> 6pm M Combe P MacDonald	11am R McCabe R Di Rollo
<b>Prayers:</b> 6pm R Dowds	11am D Ruminas
<b>Eucharist:</b> 6pm F Cusack, L Cusack, A Reid, L Doyle H Anderson	11am S Tchamdjou, A Vidler, L Yorkston, S D'Amico A Dixon, A Edie

**Cleaning:** w/c 23rd: Elspeth and Jean  
**Teas:-** UCM

**Children's Liturgy:-** Paula, Georgina and helpers

### Organisations supported by our Charity Bingo players



#### Survivors of Human Trafficking in Scotland

I am working with this organisation to develop the Catholic Church in Scotland's response to modern slavery. Your donation keeps this parish at the forefront of that response.



Kindred is a parent-led organisation supporting parents of children with disabilities and long term conditions.

**Please pray for the sick:** June Fleming, Anne Marie Bevan, Colin Wills, The Graham Family, Jane Fairnie, Natalie Archibald, Edward Brown, Hugh Rodgers, John Toal, Laura Hepburn, Baby Archie Herkes, Hugh Scott, Albert A Binnie, Helen Archibald, Paulina Nosal, Mary McLean, Alice Najafian and Johan Reape. **Recently Deceased:** Francis Devlin RIP **Anniversaries** Kenny Morrison, Mary Thomas, Nora McNamara, Agnes McCann, , Bella Power, Tom Wallace, Margaret Swift and Betty Vidler

## Make your Giving go Further



### Occasional Envelopes for Vistors

*If you are a visitor who pays tax then we would be grateful if you supported us by using our peach coloured Gift Aid Envelopes. Please speak to a Pass keeper before Mass.*

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PRESENTS FEB 2020

# SISTERACT

A DIVINE MUSICAL COMEDY

Tickets are now available for our Feb production of Sister Act.

**Thursday 13<sup>th</sup>**

**Friday 14<sup>th</sup>**

**Saturday 15<sup>th</sup>**

Call the Brunton Box Office  
0131 665 2240

Supporting our Sister Parish

## The Children

of Our Lady of Loretto,

**Fadaman Mada Bauchi Nigeria** As

we have done for some years we are once more supporting the children of our sister parish at Christmas. Envelopes are available and I know you will be as generous as ever.

On Tuesday I sent a cheque for £1,000 to Fadaman Mada through the good offices of the St Patrick's Missionary Society. £500 of this was donated through Our Charity Bingo.

### Parish Christmas Cards

## Joy to the World

Are now available.

Please take one and take one for a Catholic neighbour or family member. As ever they have the Christmas Mass times.