

**OUR LADY OF LORETTO & ST MICHAEL
MUSSELBURGH
ST MARTIN'S TRANENT**

PARISH NEWSLETTER

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Our Lady of Loretto & St Michael and St Martin of Tours are parishes of the Archdiocese of St Andrews and Edinburgh Charity Number SCO08540

DEC		WELCOME TO HOLY MASS	INTENTIONS
Sat 2 nd	10.00am 10.30am 4.15pm 5.15pm 6.00pm	Mass – Musselburgh Confessions with Exposition & Benediction ADVENT SUNDAY Mass St Anne's Chapel Confessions – Musselburgh Vigil Mass – Musselburgh	Chandy Verghese RIP <i>Praying for The Sick</i> Pro Populo Ann Kelly RIP
Sun 3 rd	9.00am 9.30am 11.00am	Confessions - Tranent Mass - Tranent Mass – Musselburgh	Margaret McNeish AV Joseph and Mary Foy AV
Mon	4.00pm	Joan Brooks Reception into Church	
Tue	10.00am 7.00pm	Funeral mass Mass- Tranent	Joan Brooks RIP Betty McGowan RIP
Wed	10.00am	Mass– Musselburgh with Primary School St Nicholas	Una Laing RIP
Thu	10.00am	Mass – Tranent with Primary School	Edwin Nazareth AV
Fri	10.00am	Mass – Musselburgh – The Immaculate Conception	Philomena Kelly RIP
Sat 9 th	10.00am 10.30am 4.15pm 5.15pm 6.00pm	Mass – Musselburgh Confessions with Exposition, Rosary & Benediction ADVENT II OUR LADY OF LORETTO Mass St Anne's Chapel Confessions - Musselburgh Vigil Mass - Musselburgh	Mary Curnyn AV Angela D'Amico Jensen AV Kechie Osuigwe RIP
Sun 10 th	9.00am 9.30am 11.00am	Confessions - Tranent Mass - Tranent Mass – Musselburgh	The Davie Family Andrew Stanton RIP



**TIME, TALENT & TREASURE!
SUNDAY 26TH NOVEMBER**

Weekly Collection	£457.64
Special Collection	£559.46
Caritas Musselburgh	£53.80
Candles	£37.20
Stall	£45.00

MINISTRIES NEXT WEEK

Readers: 6.00 Holly Kilday
11.00 Beth Nicolson & Peter Duffy
Communion: 6.00 Mark Roberts
11.00 Paul Doyle
No Teas – Senior parishioners Lunch
Church Cleaning: Tricia & Eric

Altar Server Practices
Saturday 16th 11.00am

AFTER 11.00AM MASS THIS SUNDAY

**Coffee Morning
Raffle & Cake Stall**

Proceeds from Teas and Coffees after Mass will
go to St Catherine's Homelessness Project.
To give a small Christmas Gift

Preparing the Church!

Cleaning for Christmas
Sunday 17th December

Children's Liturgy Tree Decorating - straight after Mass
Church Cleaning 12.45 - after teas

Preparing our Souls!

Reconciliation for Christmas
Sunday 17th December 4.00pm

Exposition and Benediction of the Blessed Sacrament will
be celebrated and during this an opportunity access to
the Sacrament of Reconciliation will be available.

OUR LADY OF LORETTO & ST MICHAEL

Please pray for the sick: June Fleming, Anne Marie Bevan, Colin Wills, The Graham Family, Natalie Archibald, Edward Brown, Margaret Rodgers, Archie Herkes, Hugh Scott, Alice Najafian, James Valley, Jamie Mitchell, Ann Dixon, Cathleen Young, Eileen Boyle, Frank Costello, Anna Flunkert, Cath Porteous, Elizabeth Archibald.

Anniversaries: Andrew McAlpine, Roy McGillivray, Francis Devlin, Irene McLean, Jessie Brown, Angela Grant

Musselburgh



Advent Taizé Service

St Andrew's High Church, Millhill,
Sunday 10th December

3.30pm Come and join us!



THE CHILDREN'S LITURGY TEAM

Invite all parishioners to a party!

Sunday 17th after Mass

Children decorating the Christmas Tree then
head for the hall.



Guitar Group

'Carols by Fairylight'

7.00pm Monday 18th December

Please come and join the Guitar Group for an evening of carols and readings to reflect and think about the story of Jesus birth. - All Welcome

HOGMANAY FAMILY PARTY !!!



Sunday 31st December

Loretto Community Hall

7.00pm – 12.30am

Tickets £2.00 each

Bring your own food, bottle(s) and crockery to enjoy the party longer without doing dishes.

Put on your dancing shoes!

If interested Contact Aga - 07850 664792

or Tricia Scott - 07826 478082

CHURCH STALL

CHRISTMAS CARDS,
CANDLES,
PRAYER BOOKS,
ROSARIES MEDALS
& LOTS OF OTHER ITEMS

SENIOR PARISHIONERS
CHRISTMAS LUNCH

Sunday 10th December – Lunch Served from
12.30pm

Raffle Prizes are needed for the
lunch – all donations gladly
received!



Christmas Mass Timetable

Christmas Eve

5.00pm Family Mass & Christingle Tranent
6.30pm Family Mass & Christingle Musselburgh
8.00pm Carols and Readings Musselburgh
8.30pm Mass at Night Musselburgh

Christmas Day

9.30am Mass of Christmas Day Tranent
11.00am Mass of Christmas Day Musselburgh

NOVEMBER 200 CLUB Winners

£50.00 Anne Vidler. No 139
£20.00 Margaret Ritchie. No 33

£10.00

Louie Learmouth. No 78
Marie Hall. No 137
Neil Wilson. No 70
Aiden McQuire. No 29



St Nicholas of Myra or Nicholas the Wonderworker (15 March 270 – 6 December 343) patron saint of sailors, merchants, archers, repentant thieves, children, brewers, pawnbrokers, unmarried people, and students in various cities and countries around Europe. His reputation evolved among the faithful, as was common for early Christian saints, and his habit of secret gift-giving gave rise to the traditional model of Santa Claus ("Saint Nick") through Sinterklaas.