

Parishes of St John the Baptist, Corstorphine and St Kentigern, Barnton

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Sunday 23rd September 2018
Twenty-Fifth Sunday of the Year

Date	St Kentigern's	St John's	Mass Intentions
Saturday 22 September	10.00am Mass + Exposition 10.30am Confessions	<i>No Morning Service</i> 5.15-5.45pm Confessions 6.00pm Mass (Vigil)	<i>Mr & Mrs Gudgeon S.I.</i>
Sunday 23 September <i>Twenty-Fifth Sunday of the Year</i>	9.30am Mass	11.30am Mass	<i>Olimpia & Anthony Ceresa, Marcello & Lucia Ditano RIP (StK) People of the Parishes (StJ)</i>
Monday 24 September	<i>No Service</i>	<i>No Service</i>	
Tuesday 25 September	<u>10.00am Mass at School</u>	<i>No Service</i>	<i>Special Intention for St Andrew's School</i>
Wednesday 26 September	<i>No Service</i>	9.30am Mass (Church)	<i>David Edie S.I.</i>
Thursday 27 September <i>St Vincent de Paul</i>	10.00am Mass	<i>No Service</i>	<i>Maria Pacitto RIP</i>
Friday 28 September	<i>No Service</i>	9.30am Mass (Oratory)	<i>Donor's Intention</i>
Saturday 29 September <i>Feast of Ss Michael, Gabriel and Raphael</i>	10.00am Mass + Exposition 10.30am Confessions	<i>No Morning Service</i> 5.15-5.45pm Confessions 6.00pm Mass (Vigil)	<i>Ronnie Arnott RIP</i>
Sunday 30 September <i>Twenty-Sixth Sunday of the Year</i>	9.30am Mass	11.30am Mass	<i>Eddie Cannon S.I. (StK) People of the Parishes (StJ)</i>
<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • If you are not currently <u>Gift Aiding</u> your weekly parish offering and are able to do so, please pick up a Declaration Form at the back of the church and return it to Fr Jeremy, or also, at St Kentigern's to David Cameron. • Please consider <u>paying</u> your weekly parish offering by Standing Order. Just contact Fr Jeremy or, at St Kentigern's, David Cameron to be given the parish bank details. 			

A very warm welcome to Mass this morning. Tea and coffee available in the Hall after Sunday Masses.

Rest in Peace: We pray for Anne Donoghue and Peter Burt who died this week. May they rest in peace and rise in glory.

Please pray for the following parishioners and those who care for them: Marie Teresa Beaumont, Maura Davies, Anne Donoghue, Ruby Hudson, Marie Dickey, Christine Henderson, Ursula Farrier (nee Dickey), Alejandro Alonso Gonzalez, Fr Stephen Judge, Agnes Pryce, Sarah Holton, Jeremy Dowling, Maimie Sweeney, Gerald Nolan, Francis Larkin, Albert Franchi, Sadie Corbett, Pat Hay, Siobhan McGowan, Eddie Cannon, Lennox McDonald Walker, Sandy Henderson, Jeremy Walker; for Pauline McFarlane, Gillian Farrell, Jim Clark, Peter Burt and Anne Donoghue who died recently and all those whose anniversary occurs around this time.

New Beginnings Mass at St Andrew's Fox Covert School, Tuesday 25th September, 10am: Mass will be celebrated at the school to welcome new staff and pupils and pray for God's blessing for a new beginning and the year ahead. All parishioners are cordially invited to join with staff, pupils and parents for this Mass.

Children's Sacramental Preparation - Parent's Meetings

These meetings are for parents of all children preparing for Sacraments this year, whether they are at St Andrew's Fox Covert or another school.

St Kentigern's – Tuesday 2nd Oct in the Church: 7pm Reconciliation and Holy Communion

St John's – Wednesday 3rd Oct in the Oratory: All schools - 6.30pm Reconciliation; 7.15pm Holy Communion.....PTO >

The Rite of Enrolment for all children preparing for Sacraments this year will take place at the Sunday Masses on Sunday 7th October

“The Role of the Laity in the Church Today”:

There will be a Conference on the Role of the Laity on **Saturday 6th October. Please note change of venue: this event will now take place at St Thomas of Aquin’s School, Chalmers Street, Edinburgh.** The Conference is free and is open to all. It will begin at 11am and will finish at 4pm and the Guest Speaker is Helen Alvaré, Professor of Law at George Mason University School of Law in the United States and a consultor for the Pontifical Council of the Laity in Rome. If you would like to attend the Conference please register with Sr Mirjam Hugens, on 0131 623 8902 or email her on Archsecretary@staned.org.uk. See poster on the noticeboards and flyers are also available in the porch.

Presentation: To mark the end of this year’s ‘Creation Time’, Fr Jeremy will be giving a presentation on Pope Francis’ Encyclical Letter ‘Laudato Si: On Care for our Common Home’. Thursday 4th October (Feast of St Francis of Assisi), 7.15pm, St John’s Oratory.

News from St John’s

First Holy Communion – Catechetics Classes: If your child does NOT attend St Andrew’s Fox Covert Primary and has enrolled into this year’s Sacramental Programme for First Holy Communion (P4 and above) classes will commence on Saturday 6 October 2018 at 9.30am. The first class will be held in the Oratory, thereafter in the Parish Hall from 9.30 to 10.15am. If you require any additional information about these classes, please contact Elaine Robson on 0131 467 1491 or email: robsons66@blueyonder.co.uk. P3 children who do not attend St Andrew’s will commence their preparation in January 2019. Elaine will be in touch regarding this.

News from St Kentigern’s

Hall Committee: We need a couple of willing volunteers to join Maria Douglas in forming a small hall committee. Maria has been dealing with the hall administration and management single-handedly for some time now and it’s time she had some support. So do please come forward either to Maria or myself if you can help with this. Thank you. *Fr Jeremy*



‘A Parish for Life’: Wednesday 24th October at 7pm in St Kentigern’s Hall. Put this date in your diary today so you won’t miss Paul Atkin, Director of the Archdiocesan Pro Life Office, explain how

Parish Contacts and Communication details:

Fr Jeremy/parish business - parish.turnhouse@gmail.com
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SSVP St John’s & St Kentigern’s – can be contacted at the back of the Church after Mass or the Parish House

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we can include mothers and their unborn children in our everyday parish life and offer them practical support, advocacy and prayer. All parishioners of St Kentigern’s, St John’s and friends will be very welcome.

Church Cleaning: Team 5
Tea Team for Next Sunday:

Other News

St Augustine’s High School Open Evening: Tuesday 2nd October 4.30pm–6.30pm, includes talk from the Headmaster and guided tour of the school with the opportunity for parents and pupils to meet teachers and see displays of work. See poster.

The role of women in the Church: a lunchtime conversation with Helen Alvare: Friday 5th October, 1.30pm, Cathedral. See poster.

Stella Maris Mass: Monday 24th September, 7.00pm. Bishop Stephen Robson, Bishop Promoter for the Apostleship of the Sea in Scotland, will celebrate Mass in St Mary’s Cathedral for the Apostleship and the seafarers it seeks to help. As this is the annual Stella Maris Mass in Edinburgh, we hope as many of you as possible will be able to attend.

Mount Vernon Cemetery: due to popular request our dedicated team of volunteers will be back. Please join us for an autumn clear up during September, Saturday’s anytime between 10am–3pm. It involves light gardening duties, picking up broken ornaments, flower holders, plastic bottles, stones, clean memorials. It would be helpful if volunteers could bring gardening shears and perhaps a small trowel/fork. Light refreshments provided. See poster.

Finance	St John’s	St Kentigern’s
Offertory	£621.01	£553.60
By Standing Order	£246.00	£277.50
AICF	£1,150.88	£1,895.10

Thank you so much for your outstanding response to the Archbishop’s appeal for the AICF.

Upcoming Parish Events		
October		
Thursday 4 th	7.15pm Presentation on ‘Laudato Si’	St J
Sunday 14 th	3pm Baptism – Lena Boruch	St J
Sunday 21 st	3pm Baptism – Ailish Jones	St K
Wed 24 th	7pm ‘A Parish for Life’ talk	St K

