

St Francis Aberdeen and Trinity Church Westhill.
27th Sunday. 06th Oct. 2019 Year C. Scottish Charity no 005122

Mon 07th Oct : Mass in Westhill 7.00 pm. Extra Mass in *Northcote Lodge* 10.00 am. All welcome.
Tue 08th Oct : Mass in St Francis 10.00 am.
Wed 09th Oct : Mass in St Francis 10.00 am. ***Scripture Reflection*** 7.00 pm till 8.00 pm. See below.
Thur 10th Oct: Mass at 10.00 am in Westhills.
Frid 11th Oct: Mass in St Francis 7.00 pm.
Sat 12th Oct: Mass St Francis 10.00 am. ***Kids Group*** aged 3 to 10 years meet 4.30pm till 6.00pm.
Sun 13th Oct: Mass in Westhill 9.00am. Masses St Francis 11.00 am and 6.00 pm.

Offertory Sunday 15th September £1020. Many thanks.

We welcome Two ***Religious Nuns***, Sisters Teresa and Claire, from the Apostolic Sisters of St John, who have moved into the City, and will soon be joined by a third. They will work in the University Chaplaincy.

On Wed 9th October, from 7.00 pm till 8.00 pm., Sisters Teresa and Claire will lead an hour of ***Scripture Study*** and reflection in St Francis Church. All welcome.

Today there is a ***Brunch*** (breakfast-lunch) after the 11.00 am Mass in the Parish Hall. Enjoy some pancakes with syrup, crispy bacon or fruit. Also bacon and sausage rolls and pastries. Tea, coffee and fresh orange available. There is no cost, but there will be a collection plate for voluntary offerings. All proceeds go to Fr. Peter Walter's charity in Columbia, Let the Children Live. The charity is overwhelmed by refugees heading North, trying to escape poverty and violence.

On Thur 17th Oct, at 6.30pm., Bishop Hugh will Celebrate Mass in St Thomas's Keith, on the Anniversary of the Canonisation of St ***John Ogilvie***. Refreshments afterwards.

A ***Christmas Fayre*** organised by the Catenians will be held in St Francis Church Hall on the afternoon of Saturday 9th November. Details to follow.

Looking ahead. ***Russian Choir*** Sat 16th Nov in St Francis at 7.30pm. Choir sings at the 3 Sunday Masses. After, Mince Pies / Mulled wine in the hall for everyone. Attendance free, with voluntary offering at door.

Annual ***Christmas Dinner*** Friday 6th Dec in St Francis Hall. All proceeds go to Mary's Meals.

The Dominican Sisters in Elgin have organised 3 weekends for...

For Busy Women 25th to 27th Oct in Kilcoy Castle. See notice-board

For Women ages 18 to 30 years. 8th to 10th Nov, and 27th to 29th March 2020. See notice board.

*Please be careful when **parking**: always leave enough room for an emergency vehicle. On busy Sundays it is useful to park before you enter the estate. Don't park in front of anyone's drive. Never park on the yellow lines. If possible park on the Church grass.*

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