

St Francis Aberdeen . Sunday 24th July 2022. Charity number SC005122
17th Sunday.

Monday 25th July : Communion at 10.00am.
Tuesday 26th July : Mass at 10.00am. St Joachim and Anne.
Wednes 27th July : Mass at 10.00am.
Thursd 28th July : Mass at 10.00am.
Friday 29th July : Mass at 10.00am. St Martha, Mary and Lazarus.
Saturd 30th July : Mass at 10.00am.
Sunday 31st July : Masses at 11.00 am and 6.00pm.

Offertory on 17th July : £520. Many thanks.

During the next 2 weeks, monies from the Charity Box will go towards the *Apostleship* of the Sea.

The 3 religious Sisters from the Apostolic Community of St John will begin *Catechism Classes* in September for 1st Confession, 1st Holy Communion, and the Sacrament of Confession

Street Pastors needed. Contact Monica McLean: 07497819571. Training begins early September. Since Covid the numbers of Street Pastors has fallen considerably, although the needs remain the same.

The Dominican Sisters at Elgin have arranged 3 weekend retreats for our *Youth*. These are fun-filled weekends with lots of fun and games, prayer and good food. Make new friends. You will find lots of information and photos from previous occasions in their web site: Dominican Sisters in Elgin.

S1 ; 26th to 28th August. 2022
S2 and 3: 16th to 18th September. 2022
S4 to 6: 24th to 26th March 2023.

Many thanks to those who attended the *Youth-Cafe* on Friday 22nd July. There were 18 young people and 3 adult helpers with PVG cover. We had games with table-tennis tables, pool, darts, subbuteo, air hockey, etc., with Pizzas and Coke and Prayer to finish.

On Wednesday evenings 7.00 pm till 8.00 pm, a group meet on utube (Zoom) to look at the Gospel for the next Sunday. It's usually called *Lectio Divina*. I.D. 835 9599 3809. Pass Code: 606631.

The Resurrection Choir from St Petersburg have been in contact, and hope to visit the UK in November 2022. If the visit is possible, I hope we can make them welcome.

For those wishing to make a Sunday Offering, you may wish to pay directly to the Bank. Details: R.C. Diocese of Aberdeen, Mannofield, St Francis No 2 Acc. Account No 00759404. Sort-Code 80-05-17. Many thanks. For those who gift-Aid, you may make a Direct Debit, or put the Envelopes in the Offertory Collection or through my letter-box.

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