

**Mon** 03<sup>rd</sup> Nov: Mass at 10.00am. All Souls. Commemoration of all the faithful departed  
**Tues** 04<sup>th</sup> Nov: Mass at 10.00am.  
**Wed** 05<sup>th</sup> Nov: Mass at 10.00am.  
**Thur:** 06<sup>th</sup> Nov: Mass at 10.00am. ***Bible Study*** 7.00pm till 8.00p.  
**Frid:** 07<sup>th</sup> Nov: Mass at 10.00am. ***Parish Social*** 7.30pm  
**Sat:** 08<sup>th</sup> Nov: Mass at 10.00am.  
**Sun:** 09<sup>th</sup> Nov: Mass at 11.00am and 6.00pm.

Offertory: £730. Many thanks.

We now have tickets for the ***Parish-Social*** on Friday 7<sup>th</sup> November: A bingo night with excellent Prizes and Raffle. Finger buffet and snacks. £10 per person. All proceeds go to local children's cancer charities. Tickets available after Mass.

We propose to have the next **Youth-Café** on Friday 14<sup>th</sup> November from 7.00pm till 9.00pm. Games, food, music, chat. A new activity: ceramic art with an expert teacher. Many thanks to those who attend: Young people and their helpers. Watch this space.

We have now begun preparing our young people for the Sacraments. On Saturday 01<sup>st</sup> Nov from 10.40 to 11.20am., Children will be prepared for ***1<sup>st</sup> Confession***. 1<sup>st</sup> Holy Communion classes begin in Feb 2026, and Confirmation classes begin on 10<sup>th</sup> Jan 2026.

On Sat 15<sup>th</sup> November, Aberdeen African Catholic Ladies celebrate a ***Praise Party*** in St. Joseph's from 2.00pm till 6.00pm. A warm welcome to all Ladies from St Francis.

Father Peter's ***Bird Book*** (2<sup>nd</sup> Edition) is now on sale in the Sacristy for £15. Over 200 beautiful photographs and works of art. Signed copies with a little inscription as requested. All profits go to H.C.P.T., a Chrity which takes disadvantaged children to Lourdes.

The ***Day-by-Day*** booklets for November are now available in the Porch. Price £1.

H.C.P.T ( **Hosanna House Children's Pilgrimage Trust** ) have a ***race-night*** on Sat 15<sup>th</sup> Nov. in Ashvale Restaurant. £20 includes meal. Details Mgt. Mackie Tel: 077391 40420.

Please do not park cars on ***Deeside Avenue***, the street opposite. The local residents need the space for their own visitors. And be aware respectfully of new Yellow non-parking lines.

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