

This week's Masses

St Andrew's Cathedral

Monday – Friday at 1pm

The Funeral Mass for Catherine (Rena) Drumm

RIP takes place on Tuesday at 1pm.

There will be no Thursday Adoration this week as I have a meeting with the Bishop's Conference all day.

On Friday 26th there will also be Mass at 10am, the funeral of Mary Ross RIP.

Saturday Mass at 10am (with Novena)

Confessions after Saturday Mass.

St Mary's, Forebank

No Mass on Monday

Tuesday – Friday at 11.30am

Our Lady of Good Counsel

Monday – Friday at 10am

Tuesday adoration after Mass until 11am

Friday Adoration & Confessions from 9am.

Our Prayers for the sick:

Tom Brown, Margaret Caullay, Heather Moffit, Susan McKay, Norman Hadden, Ray Conchie, Marie Manunga, Karen Dammer, Jackey Forrest-Moore, Catherine Gallacher;

for those who have died recently: Anne McCluskey, Rhoda Robertson, Muriel Cashley, Mary Ross, Catherine (Rena) Drumm;

and for those whose anniversaries fall at this time:

Jo Nicol, Eily and Kutty, Veronica Barker, Anthony van der Kuyl, Roy Walker, Thomas McNally, Charles Milne Marlene Campbell, Maryellen Pennycook, Gerry Farquharson, William Shields, Ella Dobbie, William Shields, Renzo Cavallini; Jane Brankin, Lerna Carlisle, Joseph Robb, Alf Heffell, Mary Murray;

Jessie O'Neil, Bishop Ian Murray, Ellen Robertson, Margaret Gethins, Bill Savage, Maggie Doherty, Thomas Clark.

'Beyond the Margins'

- an evening of Words and Music in aid of SCIAF will be presented by Beth McDonough and John Quinn in the Cathedral Hall with Music by *Duke Box and Co.* on Thursday 8 February in the Cathedral Hall at 7pm.

Tickets are priced £8 and available now.

Your ticket includes one drink and other light refreshments. Feel free to bring your own (BYOB) as well. Please support this SCIAF initiative.

There will be Tea and Coffee after Mass in the Cathedral Hall this Sunday; please come and join us if you can. Also, it would be much appreciated if we had more helpers on the Sunday tea rota. Please let me know if you can help.

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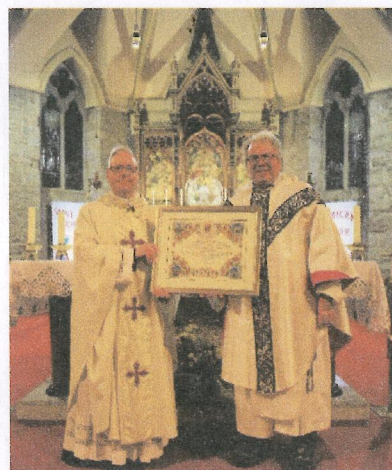


Journey of faith

recommences this

**Wednesday 24 January at 7pm
in St Mayr's, Forebank Church Hall**

There are some flyers at the back of each Church outlining this faith formation programme. It will be a great process of enrichment as we journey towards Easter 2024, the very heart of our faith and the centre of the liturgical year. Please consider making this the year you join us as we explore the scripture and the liturgy for our mutual enrichment.



It was a privilege to be at St Joseph's on Thursday past to celebrate the 159th anniversary of the opening of the Church. Presiding at the mass I was reminded how wonderful a space it is in which to celebrate the Liturgy.

The Cecilian Choir along, with an orchestra sang Haydn Mass of St Nicholas and the whole celebration was extremely uplifting. Our Holy Father Pope Francis bestowed a papal blessing on Father Greg Murphy OP and the parishes to mark the occasion and it was my pleasure to present it to them.

Thank you for your generosity in last Sunday Last Sunday's Collections: £857 in the Cathedral, £450 in St Mary's and £797 in Our Lady of Good Counsel.

The Justice and Peace collection came to £272 in the Cathedral £147 in St Mary's and £236 in Our Lady of Good Counsel.

The White flower appeal by the Society for the protection of the Unborn Child will be taken next Sunday in our three churches.