

Readings at Mass - Easter Sunday - Year B

Entrance Antiphon

Cf. Ps 138:18,5-6

I have risen and I am with you still, Alleluia
You have laid your hand upon me, Alleluia
Too wonderful for me, This knowledge, alleluia, alleluia

First Reading

Acts 10:34, 37-43

Peter addressed Cornelius and his household: 'You must have heard about the recent happenings in Judaea; about Jesus of Nazareth and how he began in Galilee, after John had been preaching baptism. God had anointed him with the Holy Spirit and with power, and because God was with him, Jesus went about doing good and curing all who had fallen into the power of the devil. Now I, and those with me, can witness to everything he did throughout the countryside of Judaea and in Jerusalem itself: and also to the fact that they killed him by hanging him on a tree, yet three days afterwards God raised him to life and allowed him to be seen, not by the whole people but only by certain witnesses God had chosen beforehand. Now we are those witnesses – we have eaten and drunk with him after his resurrection from the dead – and he has ordered us to proclaim this to his people and to tell them that God has appointed him to judge everyone, alive or dead. It is to him that all the prophets bear this witness: that all who believe in Jesus will have their sins forgiven through his name.'

Responsorial Psalm

Psalm 117(118):1-2,16-17,22-23

This day was made by the Lord: we rejoice and are glad.

Give thanks to the Lord for he is good,
for his love has no end.
Let the sons of Israel say:
'His love has no end.' **R**

The Lord's right hand has triumphed;
his right hand raised me up.
I shall not die, I shall live
and recount his deeds. **R**

The stone which the builders rejected
has become the corner stone.
This is the work of the Lord,
a marvel in our eyes. **R**

Second Reading

Colossians 3:1-4

Since you have been brought back to true life with Christ, you must look for the things that are in heaven, where Christ is, sitting at God's right hand. Let your thoughts be on heavenly things, not on the things that are on the earth, because you have died, and now the life you have is hidden with Christ in God. But when Christ is revealed – and he is your life – you too will be revealed in all your glory with him.

Sequence

Christians, to the Paschal Victim
offer sacrifice and praise.
The sheep are ransomed by the Lamb;
and Christ, the undefiled,
hath sinners to his Father reconciled.

Death with life contended:
combat strangely ended!
Life's own Champion, slain,
yet lives to reign.
Tell us, Mary:
say what thou didst see
upon the way.
The tomb the Living did enclose;
I saw Christ's glory as he rose!
The angels there attesting;
shroud with grave-clothes resting.
Christ, my hope, has risen:
he goes before you into Galilee.
That Christ is truly risen
from the dead we know.
Victorious king, thy mercy show!

Gospel Acclamation

1Col 5:7-8

Alleluia, alleluia!
Christ, our passover, has been sacrificed:
let us celebrate the feast then, in the Lord. Alleluia!

Gospel

John 20:1-9

It was very early on the first day of the week and still dark, when Mary of Magdala came to the tomb. She saw that the stone had been moved away from the tomb and came running to Simon Peter and the other disciple, the one Jesus loved. 'They have taken the Lord out of the tomb' she said 'and we don't know where they have put him.'

So Peter set out with the other disciple to go to the tomb. They ran together, but the other disciple, running faster than Peter, reached the tomb first; he bent down and saw the linen cloths lying on the ground, but did not go in. Simon Peter who was following now came up, went right into the tomb, saw the linen cloths on the ground, and also the cloth that had been over his head; this was not with the linen cloths but rolled up in a place by itself. Then the other disciple who had reached the tomb first also went in; he saw and he believed. Till this moment they had failed to understand the teaching of scripture, that he must rise from the dead.

Communion Antiphon

1 Col 5: 7-8

Christ our Passover has been sacrificed, alleluia;
Therefore let us keep the feast with the unleaven bread of purity
and truth, alleluia, alleluia.

Prayer after Communion

Look upon your Church O God, with unfailing love and favour,
So that, renewed by the by the pascal mysteries,
She may come to the glory of the resurrection.
Through Christ our Lord.

Sunday 11.15am Mass		
Entrance Hymn	389	Jesus Christ is risen today
Offertory		Instrumental
		(Sequence - Chanted)
Communion	184	Bring, all ye dear bought nations, bring
Marian Antiphon	588	Regina caeli
Recessional	469	Majesty

Sunday Bulletin

1st April 2018

Easter Sunday

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St. Mary's Cathedral

20 Huntly Street, Aberdeen AB10 1SH

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Alpha @ the Cathedral



Alpha lit a spark of faith that has grown into a fire. Hearing that Jesus would have died for me even if I were the only person in the world, melted away my objections and I began a personal relationship with God, which has been necessary for personal transformation. I am more patient, more kind, more tolerant, and especially more interested in how I can help others.

attend Mass a few times a week and Confession very frequently.

I have been a small group leader on fourteen Alphas in parish settings and in the work place. My passion to tell others the good news propels me forward and I am not afraid to lead, guide and instruct. The Holy Spirit is my mentor and coach!

Prior to Alpha, I attended Sunday Mass about 75% of the time, but I was asleep in the pew! It was a duty I inherited. After Alpha, I was drawn to Mass and Confession as never before; the desire was just there. Now I



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Terms & Conditions see Parish website

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Notices

Adoration: Monday - Saturday 6.00am-12 midnight

Confessions: Tuesdays 6.00pm
Saturdays 10.30am & 6.00pm

Morning Prayer: Monday - Friday 6.30am

Rosary: Saturdays (Priests) 10.30am

Housebound? John MacKinnon (See above) for visits

Coeliacs: Speak to clergy before Mass

Sunday Coffees: Ann Ryans 07545 615 198
annryans@aol.com

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Mass Times				
Date	Details	Service	Time	Mass Intentions
Sun 1st	Easter Sunday The Resurrection of the Lord	Mass Polish Mass Solemn Mass Polish Mass Mass	8.00am 9.30am 11.15am 3.00pm 6.00pm	Diocesan Intentions Parish Intentions
Mon 2nd		Mass Mass	7.00am 12:30am	Lawrence Muoneke RIP Mary McGinlay RIP
Tue 3rd		Mass Mass	7.00am 7.00pm	Intentions for all Europe Fr Charlie Carr RIP
Wed 4th		Mass Mass	7.00am 12.30pm	Special Intentions of Peter Mears Lawrence Muoneke RIP
Thu 5th		Mass Mass	7.00am 7.00pm	Special Intentions for Clive Nexen Canon Timothy Brosnan RIP
Fri 6th		Mass Mass	7.00am 12.30pm	Intentions for Norway Mr K C Augustine RIP
Sat 7th		Mass Vigil Mass	10.00am 7.00pm	Emeka Muoneke RIP Intentions for Norway
Sun 8th	Second Sunday of Easter	Mass Polish Mass Solemn Mass Polish Mass Mass	8.00am 9.30am 11.15am 3.00pm 6.00pm	Cardinal Keith O'Brien RIP Parish Intentions Mrs M Joseph RIP

Mass Intention Envelopes

These are available at the back of the Church. Print details and post through Clergy House letter box.

It may not always be possible for Mass to be celebrated on your preferred date or at the Cathedral itself. Recommended offering for each Mass is £5.

Sunday 11:15 Mass is normally reserved for the Administrator's or Bishop's Intentions for the Parish or Diocese.

OFFERTORY: £3,809.63


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EUCCHARISTIC ADORATION - THE KING OF PEACE

Are you looking for a bit of peace? Come join Our Lord in Adoration. Our Lord, in the Eucharist is exposed to the public in the Adoration Chapel Mondays-Saturdays from 6.00am-12midnight. To sign up contact us at: adoration@cathedral-abdn.org.

ROOF REPAIR WORK

From 9th April 2018 work will commence on roof repairs on all sides of the Cathedral complex. The work is scheduled to last for up to 16 weeks and is likely to cause some disruption to Cathedral access and car parking. We ask that you respect any restrictions or changes which we might need to make from time to time during the work period. Many thanks in advance for your cooperation.



MAGIC DINNER FUNDRAISING FOR YOUTH PILGRIMAGE TO FRANCE 2018

Saturday 12th May

Adults: £15 Children: £7 Families: £35
Tickets from Scaristy and Parish Office
See details on the notice board and from: standrewscommunity@cathedral-abdn.org

SVDP

Polish Collections £44.97
Secret Donation (coins) £8.50
Donation P.W.....£800.00
Box Collections.....£155.89
TOTAL.....£1009.36
Spend on Food.....£136.19

Our grateful thanks to all those who have supported us with donations of food and finance. Many Thanks

2nd COLLECTIONS

◆ A second collection will be held this Sunday, 1/04/18 for the monthly building fund.
◆ A Bake Sale will be held on 8th April for Youth Group activities.

EASTER SUNDAY COMMUNITY MEAL

You are warmly invited to join us for our annual Easter community meal for the disadvantaged and friends in the Cathedral Hall from 5.00pm on Easter Sunday

CATHEDRAL CAR PARK

Please note that the Cathedral car park will be closed from 3.00pm on Holy Saturday (31/03/18) until 6.00am on Easter Sunday (01/04/18) for lighting of the Paschal candle and the Easter Vigil procession.

SENIOR'S CLUB

Wednesday 4th April
We are having a flower and potato show all welcome

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life faith meaning
Begins
Wednesday April 18 at 7pm
Alpha

DIVINE MERCY SUNDAY

Next Sunday 8th April
The celebration of Divine Mercy Sunday is an opportunity to reflect on the theme of how God's mercy can overcome sin.

THE CLERGY OFFICE WILL BE CLOSED ON MONDAY 2nd of APRIL

BELOVED DISCIPLES GROUP

Please note that the Group will be taking an Easter break. We will resume our exploration of the Blessed Virgin Mary on Wednesday 4th April at the time and place given in the "Weekly Calendar".

COMMUNITY MEAL VOLUNTEERS WANTED

We need volunteers to help with the cooking of the Thursday community meals. If you would like to help, please contact St Andrew Community by email: standrewscommunity@cathedral-abdn.org

Maintenance to Mission

**Wednesday 11th April 7.00 - 8.00pm
Clergy House**

Anyone who is interested in seeing the parish move from a maintenance parish to a mission orientated parish to join us in reading Fr James Mallon's book, *'Divine Renovation: Bringing your parish from Maintenance to Mission'*

READERS REQUIRED FOR 7PM VIGIL MASS

Do you attend the Vigil Mass regularly? Do you want to proclaim the word of God through this ministry of the Word? Please contact Irma Allan for an audition and brief interview.
07714718708 or irmalallan@gmail.com

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DIVINE MERCY SUNDAY 8th APRIL AT ST JOSEPH'S CHURCH, WOODSIDE ABERDEEN

Programme starts at 2.45pm and will include:

- Blessing and veneration of the Divine Mercy image
- Divine Mercy Chaplet and Praises
- Exposition of the Most Blessed Sacrament

Confessions during exposition.
5.00pm—Bookstall and coffee/teas

BISHOP'S GOLDEN JUBILEE GOLF TROPHY

Friday 29th June 2018 - from 12noon
Kintore Golf Club AB51
£40 to include one round of golf and High Tea.
A deposit of £10 per head (£30 per team) is required before 30th May 2018. Sponsors for prizes needed.
Details and registration form from:
JOYCE WEBSTER, Tel: 01224 319154,
email: joye@rcd-abdn.org

PLUSCARDEN ABBEY 2018 PENTECOST LECTURES 22ND - 24TH MAY

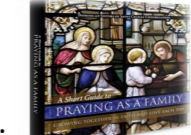
Four Talks by Fr. Richard Ounsworth O.P. - theme, "You have come to Mount Sion"
"The Christian Pilgrimage in the Letter to the Hebrews"
To register, book accommodation etc.. write to:
Pentecost Lectures, Pluscarden Abbey, Elgin, Moray IV30 8UA
or email guestmaster@pluscardenabbey.org

ROSARY ON THE COAST - ABERDEEN SUNDAY 29TH APRIL

On this afternoon many people will make a Pilgrimage to the coastline of Britain to pray the Holy Rosary for the re-flourishing of our Faith, for a culture of Life and

FOSTERING THE GIFT OF FAMILY PRAYER

**Sunday, April 29, 2018
from 1:00 pm to 3:30 p.m.**



Praying as a Family

St. Francis Church,
Mannofield231 Deeside Gardens,
Aberdeen AB15 7PR 01224 315 893

Led by the Dominican Sisters,
Greyfriars Convent, Elgin

Families that pray together stay together.

The whole family is invited for an afternoon gathering which will inspire and empower you to pray as a family.

Following the 11:00 a.m. Mass, there will be a soup lunch provided for your family by the parish.

This afternoon for the whole family includes:

- How to have a conversation with God,
- Creating sacred times and sacred spaces
- Praying with your spouse
- Activity-time for children

We will pray the Rosary in union with "Rosary on the Coast" participants at the end.

To register email ogilvie@rcda.scot.

Weekly Calendar	
Mon	Mother & Toddler Group For parents with young children. All ages welcome. Main Hall from 13.30-15.30pm Contact: Yi-pei Chou 0745 5479 479
	Credo Community Meeting Polish charismatic prayer group. Main Hall at 7.30pm . Contact: Damian Gloc 07939418178
Tue	Magnificat Prayer Group 7.30pm in the Lower Hall after Mass. Contact: Stella Maria Onuoha 0744 9951 415 nnesin@yahoo.com
	St. Vincent de Paul Feeding the homeless Contact: Evelyn Murray murray.evelyn@sky.com
	Rite of Christian Initiation of Adults (RCIA) Cathedral House at 7.30pm Contact: Fr Keith
Wed	Light Exercise Class for all Main Hall at 10:00am Contact: Laura Walker 0777 3 021 851 laura@laurawalkerlimited.co.uk
	Beloved Disciples Bible study and growing in faith Clergy House Dining Room after 12:30 Mass. Contact: Kevin O'Carroll kevin.ocarroll@live.com
	Seniors Club Speakers, fun & fellowship Main Hall at 2.00 pm every 2 weeks Contact: Jean on 01569 765 799
	Healing of Memories Prayer for the healing of painful memories of the past to bring peace to the present. Clergy House at 2.30pm (by appointment) Contact: Deacon Tony
	Legion of Mary Lower Hall from 6pm to 7.30pm Contact: Nogie Osula nogisula@yahoo.com
	African Choir For Africans and anyone else. Upper Hall from 6.00- 8.00pm Contact: Patricia Malikebu 07891 714 549
Thu	Cenacolo Prayer Group Exposition & Rosary praying for healing of those with addictions Church after Mass Contact: Liam Sharkey 07774 931 996
	Band Practice Contemporary music for Sunday 6pm Mass Upper Hall after Mass Contact: John Costaschuk
	Cathedral Choir practice 7.00pm in the Ogilvie Centre
Fri	Altar Servers' Practice Church from 6.00 to 7.00pm Contact: Simon begbie_no1@hotmail.com
	Youth Groups For teenagers between 11 & 17 Hall 7.00pm to 9.00pm Contact: St. Andrew's Community
Sat	Church Cleaning Church at 10.30am
	K4J (Kids for Jesus) Youth group for P2's to P7's in the Main Hall from 12.30pm to 2.00pm
	African Choir (As above) Upper Hall from 6.00 - 8.00pm
Sun	Choir Rehearsal Leading the music for 11:15 Sunday Mass Upper Hall 10.00am Contact: Shelagh Noden