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## ***A Christ-centred community which is alive, forming and sending out joyful disciples of Jesus***

Date	Details	Service	Time	Mass Intentions	
Sat 25th	3rd Sunday in Ordinary Time	Mass	7.00pm	Matej Pavlicek & Family - God's Blessing & Protection	
Sun 26th		Mass Polish Mass Solemn Mass Polish Mass Mass	8.00am 9.30am 11.15am 3.00pm 6.00pm	John Douglas Millar RIP	
Mon 27th		Mass Mass	7.00am 12.30pm	Dominic Dieseru - Special Intentions M. Brady RIP	
Tue 28th	Saint Thomas Aquinas, Priest, Doctor	Mass Mass	7.00am 6.00pm	Teresa's Birthday (14/01/2020) Slawomir Sobczyk RIP	
Wed 29th		Mass Mass	7.00am 12.30pm	Tojin's Birthday (15/01/2020) Thanksgiving for Maurice Intention's	
Thu 30th		Mass Mass	7.00am 6.00pm	Enalish Anup's Exam (14/01/2020) Joel Manoj—Thanksgiving	
Fri 31st	Saint John Bosco, Priest	Mass Mass	7.00am 12.30pm	Dominic Dieseru - Special Intentions Jess - Success	
Sat 1st		Mass	10.00am	Anton Balendrajah RIP	

### **SUNDAY OF THE WORD OF GOD: MAKING THE SCRIPTURES PART OF OUR EVERYDAY LIVES**

Pope Francis is inviting Catholics across the world to deepen their appreciation, love and faithful witness to God and his Word and this, the third Sunday in Ordinary Time, January 26 this year, is to be observed as a special day devoted to “the celebration, study and dissemination of the Word of God”.

This Sunday, he wants to “stimulate all Christians not just to place the Bible on the shelf as one of many books, perhaps covered in dust, but as an instrument that awakens our faith”.

### **Sanctuary Lamps**

The Sanctuary Lamps in our Church and Adoration Chapel burn every week to remind us of the sacramental presence of



### **CATHEDRAL FINANCES FOR WEEK ENDING 19TH JANUARY**

Offertories & Weekly Income:	£3,672.43
Other Income:	£2,360.21
Total Income:	£6,032.64

Isaiah 8:23-9:3; Psalm 26:1,4,13-14 [Response: **The Lord is my light and my help**]; 1 Corinthians 1:10-13,17; Matthew 4:12-23.

#### SVdeP

##### Income

Polish Collection..... £9.25  
Box Collection..... £165.68  
TOTAL..... £174.93

##### SPEND

Expenses for four weeks...£40  
Spend on Food.....£880.29  
TOTAL.....£920.29

Thanks to all our benefactors for your support. *Eve Murray*



#### BEYOND BOYNDIE!

Beyond Boyndie! play a selection of reflective acoustic Worship and Praise music as a background to an evening of prayer and adoration. Saturday, 1 February from 8 to 10pm at the Cathedral.

#### SINGERS WANTED

The Cathedral Choir is seeking new members. We practise on Thursday evenings and sing at the 11.15 Mass on Sundays. If you enjoy singing do consider joining us. Contact: [music@cathedral-abdn.org](mailto:music@cathedral-abdn.org) for more information

#### ADORATION WARRIORS

We need more 'Adoration Warriors' to sign-up for a weekly Holy Hour or, if you have a changing schedule, you can book online at: [www.stmarysadoration.youcanbook.me](http://www.stmarysadoration.youcanbook.me)

#### THURSDAY AND SATURDAY ALL-NIGHT ADORATION

From Midnight to 8am. Access code needed for door after 9pm, email: [adoration@cathedral-abdn.org](mailto:adoration@cathedral-abdn.org) or call 07754891808.

#### NEW YEAR'S CONCERT

You are invited to a New Year's Concert at the Bishop's House at 14 The Chanonry, Old Aberdeen at 7pm on 31st January to support the work of the Holy Family Sisters of the Needy who help feed the hungry on the streets of Aberdeen.

#### MASS TO MARK ANNIVERSARY OF GUILD OF ST. STEPHEN

To mark the 60th Anniversary of the Guild of St. Stephen, Bishop Hugh Gilbert OSB will celebrate an additional Mass at 6.00pm on Friday 7th February here in the Cathedral.

#### PARISH DATABASE NOTICE

A few weeks ago we sent out emails to parishioners we have been given contact details for. Thank you to those who have responded.

for the Building Fund.

#### FOR YOUR DIARY!

Next Sunday, 2nd February, there will be a candle-lit procession to mark the **Feast of the Presentation of the Lord**. It is also the **World Day of Consecrated Life**. On Monday, 3rd February, we celebrate the **feast day of St Blaise** with the traditional blessing of throats and on Thursday, 6th February, there will be a **Mass and Healing Service** with Adoration and Healing Ministry from 6 to 8pm.

#### FAKE EMAILS

Please do not respond to any email purporting to be from Fr Keith which has not been sent from his email account ie [administrator@cathedral-abdn.org](mailto:administrator@cathedral-abdn.org)

#### GOSPEL CHOIR

Our Gospel Choir will resume on Monday 13th February 2020, in the lower hall at 7pm. All welcome, no choral experience necessary. Contact: [music@cathedral-abdn.org](mailto:music@cathedral-abdn.org) for more information.



#### EU SETTLEMENT SCHEME

South West Aberdeenshire Citizen Advice Bureau now have a dedicated EU Settlement Scheme Project Advisor. If you have any queries with regards to EU settlement scheme, eligibility or need assistance with your application, please get in touch. To make an appointment, call: 01224 747714 or e-mail: [enquires@swacab.casonline.or.uk](mailto:enquires@swacab.casonline.or.uk). Appointments can be arranged in Aboyne, Alford, Banchory, Ballater, Braemar or Westhill. There is also National EU Support Helpline for telephone advice, open Mon-Fri 9am-5pm, on 0800 916 9847.

#### EMMANUEL COMMUNITY DAY

Emmanuel Community Day led by Father Keith Herrera; on Saturday 29th February by 10:30am – 1:30pm at St Mary's RC Church, Beauly. Theme: Jesus The Power in Forgiveness—How we can come to forgive others (cf, Matt. 6:15).

#### CATHEDRAL 200 CLUB

Help maintain our Cathedral. Subscribe £5 a month to the 200 Club. Each month there are 4 prizes of £50. Contact Irvine Long at [stmaryscathedralfinance@gmail.com](mailto:stmaryscathedralfinance@gmail.com)



#### INTERNET AND MOBILE BANKING

If you use the internet or a mobile app for banking please note the Cathedral Payee details are as follows:

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