



## St Patrick's

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### Served by the Redemptorists

#### PARISH TEAM:

Fr Ed Hone

Fr Michael Henesy

Fr Richard Reid

Sr Patricia Fallon

**Welcome!** If you're visiting Edinburgh, or live here and are visiting St. Pat's, you are most welcome. We are delighted you have joined us. Please stay on afterwards for refreshments in the foyer.

#### **Novena of Prayer**

Cardinal O'Brien has asked that all within the archdiocese take part in a novena of prayer for renewal of the archdiocese. Significant decisions need to be taken in the course of the coming months that affect the lives of our parishes and all within the Archdiocese. The Cardinal has therefore asked that this novena should begin on the Feast of the Ascension, Thursday 17th May until the Feast of Pentecost, Sunday 27th May. Prayer material is available at the back of the church.

#### **Remembering Archbishop Oscar Romero**

Monsignor Ricardo Urioste, who was Archbishop Romero's Secretary and Vicar General will visit the Lauriston Jesuit Centre on Thursday 17th May at 7.30pm. He will speak about Romero's life, his commitment to the poor, his legacy to the Church and his example for today. Monsignor Urioste will concelebrate the 12.45 Mass in St Mary's Cathedral on the same day.

#### **Archdiocesan music afternoon**

Saturday 19th May in St Margaret's, Viewfield Terrace, Dunfermline at 1.30pm. More information from Katherine Cameron, 01324 612034.

#### **Solemnity of the Ascension**

will be celebrated on Thursday 17th May and is a holyday of obligation. Vigil Mass on Wednesday at 6pm. Masses on Thursday at 8am and 12.30pm.

#### **Mission outside the parish.**

Fr Richard - vocations weekend, Kinnoull.

#### **Tea Rota**

Volunteers are needed for the tea/coffee bar after 11am Mass. If you can help, please give your name to one of the parish team. We could then establish a rota.

#### **Mass for Vocations**

The Little Sisters of the Poor invite you to join them on the 2nd Tuesday of each month to pray for vocations. Mass is at 7.30pm at St Joseph's Home 43 Gilmore Place.

#### **Spred** - programme for children and adults with learning difficulties

Volunteers are needed, of any age, men and women, one evening each week, 7 - 9pm, in term time only at 26 George square, Edinburgh. For more information, please contact Sr Cecilia Dowd on 667 9202

#### **Last week's collection** £1409.93

Many thanks for your continued generosity.

#### **Sixth Sunday of Easter**

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**Schola Cantorum** Practice on Tuesday 6.45 - 8.15 in church. All welcome.

#### **Course for Eucharistic**

**Ministers** The social care office and Fr Gerry Hand are organising a day for Eucharistic Ministers on 2nd June at Gillis Centre from 10am until 4pm. For more information please see poster or contact pastoral development office on 623 8914

#### **Bereavement Befriending**

**Course** 31 May, 7,14 and 21 June at St Peter's Parish Hall, Livingston. Registration essential on 623 8915.

**Rotas** for Eucharistic ministers and readers at 11am Mass are available from the sacristy.

#### **Summer Volunteering Opportunity**

Are you a qualified teacher? Would you be interested in teaching English as a foreign language?

Are you willing and able to live and work in Ethiopia for 6 weeks from mid July to September 2007?

For more information call SCIAF on 0141 354 5555.

**Sunday Masses:** 5pm (Saturday), 9am, 11am, 4.30pm

**Weekday Masses:** Monday to Friday: 8am and 12.30pm. Saturday 8am only

**Sacrament of Reconciliation** (*Confessions*)

Monday to Friday: 12noon to 12.15pm. Saturday: 11.30am to 12.30pm

The church is open from 8m to 5pm daily and the holy shop is open during those hours