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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.

Solemnity of Christ the King

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Br Matthew Anscombe

After five years with the Redemptorists Matthew has decided that the time is right for him to leave. Matthew has made a great contribution to both the parish and the community. We wish him well for the future and will keep him in our prayers.

Vespers Choir.

The Vespers Choir always welcomes new singers. If you are interested in joining, please come along to practices on Thursdays at 7pm or email Roddy r_bryce@hotmail.com

SVDP

If you can help with transporting senior citizens to the Christmas lunch on Saturday 9th December, please sign the sheet at the back of the church.

Reconciliation Sunday

The Sacrament of Reconciliation will be celebrated at all Masses on the weekend of 16th/17th of December.

Discovery Course.

The group meets on Wed in the church house at 7pm.

Last week's collection £1604.93

Many thanks.

SESQUICENTENARY CELEBRATIONS

REQUIEM MASS - in thanksgiving for the lives of past parishioners of St Patrick's Parish: Thursday 30th November 7pm. This Mass is the closing event of our 150th anniversary celebrations.

Thanks to St Andrew Camerata for their beautiful rendition of Handel's Messiah and to Starbucks, Canongate for sponsoring the coffee after some of our events. The Parish Reception at the Holyrood Parliament was a most enjoyable occasion: many thanks to the organisers, and to MSP Sarah Boyack for hosting the event. Fr Ed's 'Time for Reflection' given at the Parliament on Wednesday is available online at www.holyrood.tv

Gifts for Christmas

If you have any unwanted Christmas gifts or items suitable for Christmas gifts, we will gladly receive them and pass them on to give to individuals and families who would otherwise not be able to afford presents this year. New items only please. Gifts may be brought to church and placed in the containers in the foyer

Vespers & Benediction

Led by the Vespers Choir next Sunday 3rd December at 6pm. Reflect and pray during this beautiful service.

Nativity Carol Service

Sunday 3rd December at 4pm at the foot of the Mound.

MONTH OF THE HOLY SOULS

Book of Remembrance We remember in a special and reverent way all our deceased family and friends. November lists are available in the porch. Please take one of the slips of paper provided, write the names of your dead (clearly) and place it in the envelope (an offering may be enclosed). The names will be inscribed in the book of remembrance placed before the Chapel of Resurrection.

Mass in Italian A Mass in Italian will be said on Thursday 30th Nov at 10am by Fr John Zampesi in St Mary's Cathedral.

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