

THE SACRED HEART & ST MARGARET'S

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CONFESSION
 5:30pm - Before Vigil Mass [SH]
 and by appointment

MASSES & SERVICES		
DAY	MASS TIME	MASS INTENTION
Saturday 12th	6:00pm [SH]	+ Tony Adams
Sunday 13th 24th Sunday	9:30am [SM] 11:00am [SH]	+ John Grattan + Betty Cameron
Tuesday 15 th	9:30am [SM]	For Anna and Karol
Wednesday 16 th	9:30am [SH]	+ Michael Mulvey
Thursday 17 th	9:30am [SM]	Special Intention
Friday 18 th	9:30am [SH]	+ Fergus Cooney
Saturday 19th	6:00pm [SH]	+ Mary Fernandez
Sunday 20th 25th Sunday	9:30am [SM] 11:00am [SH]	<i>Available</i> Thanksgiving to St Joseph

COLLECTIONS LAST WEEK			
SACRED HEART		SAINT MARGARET'S	
Offertory	£ 223.00	Offertory	£149.00
Papers	£	Fabric	£6.00
Candles	£	Candles	£2.41
Stall	£	Donation	£
FOSHSM	£ 5.00	FOSHSM	£10.00
Standing orders	£	Standing orders	£560.00
<i>Thank you for your generosity!</i>			

Parish Finances and Coronavirus

If your income is secure and you wish to contribute, **the best option would be to set up a standing order.** Also you may put your offering through the parish house door in an envelope. If you have online banking you can set this up quickly using the parish sort code and account number (if your circumstances change this can be amended/cancelled). Alternatively you can also donate using electronic banking.

SACRED HEART CHURCH:

Bank :**Bank of Scotland**
 Sort Code: **80-48-77**
 Account Number: **10027865**
 Account name: **Archdiocese of St Andrews & Edinburgh -Sacred Heart Penicuik**

ST MARGARET'S CHURCH:

Bank: **Bank of Scotland**
 Sort Code: **80-17-42**
 Account Number: **00643001**
 Account name: **Archdiocese of St Andrews & Edinburgh – St Margaret's Loanhead**

40 DAYS FOR LIFE

From September 23 to November 1 you are invited to join other Christians for 40 Days for Life - 40 days of prayer and fasting for an end to abortion.

You are also invited to stand and peacefully pray during a 40-day vigil in the public right-of-way outside the Chalmers Sexual Health Centre, Chalmers Street, Edinburgh. And we would love for you to help spread the word about this important community outreach.

If you'd like more information - and especially if you'd like to volunteer to help, please contact edinburgh40days@gmail.com or visit www.40daysforlife.com/edinburgh.

The 40Days for Life campaign has three elements:

1. PRAYER & FASTING

Knowing that "with God, all things are possible," people of faith and conscience unite in 40 days of prayer and fasting. Christ told us some demons can only be driven out by prayer and fasting. The two go hand in hand. Prayer keeps us rooted in the fact that it is our desire to carry out God's will. Fasting is a sacrifice that helps us reach beyond our own limitations with God's help.

2. CONSTANT VIGIL

The visible, public centerpiece of 40 Days for Life is a focused, 40-day peaceful prayer vigil outside the Chalmers Sexual Health Centre, 7days a week, from 8am to 8pm. It is a peaceful and educational presence. Those who are called to stand witness during this 24-hour-a-day presence send a powerful message to the community about the tragic reality of abortion.

3. COMMUNITY OUTREACH

During 40 Days for Life, the message is taken proactively to every corner of your community. Media outreach is conducted through carefully targeted news stories, talk shows, and editorials. Church involvement begins by meeting with local pastors, other church leaders, and members of different congregations. A door-to-door petition and education drive reaches out to every household in your town or city.

AGED AND INFIRM CLERGY FUND

A special collection for the Aged and Infirm Clergy Fund was scheduled to take place at Masses this weekend. Those who want to support their retired priests can leave their contribution in a marked basket at the back of the church. This can be done also next weekend.

Contribution to the AICF can be given also online at any time by clicking the "DONATE" button on the homepage of www.archedinburgh.org

The Archdiocese is currently supporting 25 retired priests. Please continue to keep them in your prayers.

Thank you for your generosity.

ONLINE MASS BOOKING

Due to government restrictions the Sacred Heart and St Margaret's have limited Mass capacity (SH 30 and SM 26) so booking a place is mandatory for Saturday Vigil Mass and Sunday Mass. Mass during the week does not require booking.

Reservations may be made either online (on the parish website and FB), or by phone. We use the EVENTBRITE program to register online. You may also install the Eventbrite application on your smartphone.

Those who have made a reservation and for some reason are unable to attend the Mass are asked to cancel their reservation. People who cannot register online or through an application on a smartphone will be able to book seat by phone @ 01968 673709.

Places may be also booked in church before or after mass. Ask pass keepers for details.

POPE FRANCIS' PRAYER INTENTION
 FOR SEPTEMBER 2020

Respect for the Planet's Resources

We pray that the planet's resources will not be plundered, but shared in a just and respectful manner.

