

22ND SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME

XXII Per Annum

8:30am	Low Mass	S Saviour's	Pro Populo
9:15am	Solemn Parish Mass	S Mary's	Pro Populo
11:15am	Solemn Parish Mass	S Saviour's	Pro Populo
3:00pm	Portuguese Mass (Massa em Portugues)	S Saviour's	(Pessoas da nossa paróquia)

Mon.	S Cuthbert	7:00pm	Low Mass	S Saviour's	People of the North East
Tue.	Feria	7:30pm	Low Mass	S Mary's	Those preparing for marriage
Wed.	Feria	10:00am	Low Mass	S Mary's	Home Communicants
Thurs.	Feria	*11:00am*	Low Mass	S Saviour's	Those suffering inclement weather
		(1:00pm	Holy Matrimony	S Mary's)	
Fri.	Nativity of the BVM	11:15am	Requiem Mass	S Mary's	R.I.P. Ronnie Ramsay
Sat.	S Peter Claver	10:00am	Low Mass	S Saviour's	People of Colombia
		(3:00pm	Holy Matrimony	S Mary's)	

NOTICES FOR WEEK COMMENCING 3RD SEPTEMBER 2017

Tea, Coffee etc will be served after both Solemn Masses: 9:15 and 11:15. We very much hope you can stay.

Today at S Mary's we welcome Kevin John McCabe & Nicola Michelle Goodwin, and Roy Emmanuel Frater & Christine Elizabeth Brown who are having their banns read. It is good to have them with us as they prepare for their weddings.

Masses this week: the **Mass on Thursday at S Saviour's is at the earlier time of 11:00am**. This is because I will be administering Holy Matrimony at 1pm at Sundon, and it gives me time to get across town – just in case the bride is early! ☺

Many thanks to everyone who helped with the Confirmations last week: It was a lovely occasion in both churches, and many people have commented how much they enjoyed the services. The candidates did superbly well, so many congratulations to them. The Bishop clearly enjoyed his visit enormously, and I have written to him to thank him for taking such care as he presided at the throne, as well as with the candidates. Many people have helped in various ways so many thanks!

Safeguarding – PCC's: Safeguarding is rightly being taken very seriously now across all parishes and dioceses, and it is encouraged that all PCC members (and obligatory that those who work directly with children and vulnerable adults) attend Safeguarding Training. This is offered at various churches around the diocese, and both daytime and evening events are available.

Strathmore & S Saviour's Scouts (etc): it was noticed last week that a significant amount of the Scout (etc) equipment had been removed from the back of the church hall. Later in the week more items were seen to have disappeared. It was after this that we received an email informing us that the Scout (etc) organisation had decided to move to another premises. This means that there will no longer be a Parade Mass on the 1st Sunday of each month. A number of us had really made a very great effort to make them welcome and included in our worship on those Sundays; not least of all with the printing of detailed mass sheets, the exceptional use of a free-standing altar, and a homily always geared towards the children. Many thanks to those who have helped with all that over the past few years.

S Saviour's Coffee Morning: will be on the 1st Saturday each month; **the next will be on October 7th. This will also be the day of the Jumble Sale.** Please spread the word, and many thanks to all those who help. Many thanks to all those who helped and came along yesterday.

S Saviour's PCC met last week. Many thanks to everyone for a positive meeting as always, and to all those who work hard in their roles.

S Mary's clothing bags (which contain clothing, shoes, handbags but NO bric-a-brac or bedding) will be collected on October 9th – people are now leaving bags at my garage – you are more than welcome to add to them!

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