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## SUNDAY 27 JANUARY 2019

### Third Sunday of the Year - Year C



Today we begin the consecutive reading of Luke's Gospel, which was originally joined to Luke's other work, the Acts of the Apostles. The way the story is told prepares us for what happens in Acts.

Today's Gospel shows Jesus proclaiming the word of God in the synagogue at Nazareth. From the scroll of Isaiah he selected the passage that contained the prophet's

messianic vision of pardon, healing and liberation (61:1-2). Then he declared that this marvellous prophecy was being fulfilled among them (in and through his ministry).

Jesus was sent, not to the wealthy or the powerful, but to the poor and the lowly, the oppressed and the suffering. Here we see Luke's concern for the poor and the afflicted. Who are the poor? In the first place, the poor are those who live on bread alone and who never hear the Word of God. But the poor are also the dispossessed of this world, those who are waiting for liberation. The good news must not be limited to spiritual blessings only.

### Confession:

St Andrew's: Sat 9am & 4.30pm

St Peter's: Sat 10am

St Philip's: Sat 9am

St Theresa's: Sun after 11.30am

### Adoration:

St Andrew's: Tue 10am to 11am  
Thu 7pm to 8pm

Sat 4.30pm to 5pm

St Peter's: Sat 10am to 10.30am

St Philip's: Sat 9am to 9.15am

### Morning Prayer:

St Philip's: Tue, Thu & Sat  
9.15am

### Parish office opening hours:

Mon, Tue, Wed & Thu

9.30am to 12.30pm

Welcome  
to our Church

## Shared News ...

**Sacramental Programme:** Presentation of the Creed takes place this morning for those children who will receive First Holy Communion later in the year.

**Youth Club:** On Sunday evenings in the Lanthorn from 6.00pm - 8.00pm. Why not think about becoming a Youth Club helper ... we are looking for adult helpers of all ages. No particular skills are required, just a willingness to share time with our youngsters doing arts and crafts, board games, sports and other activities. A great way to serve our parishes and a wonderful opportunity to make new friends within our parishes too. PVG and safeguard training will be arranged for you. If interested, please speak to one of the priests or contact the parish office.

**PPC Formation Day:** There will be a get together for all PPC members this afternoon, Sunday 27th, from 1.00pm - 3.00pm in St Theresa's.

**Parish Pastoral Council:** Many thanks to Frances Laing, Chair and Brian King, Secretary, for the great work they have done over the last two years to establish our joint PPC. The new Chair will be Christine Cooper from St Peter's parish and our new Secretary will be Rosalyn Mauchline from St Philip's. They will take up office at the February meeting. Many thanks to all other parishioners who give service on our PPC.



Fr Kenneth will lead the next session on Wednesday 30 January at 7.00pm in St Theresa's. The topic will be 'How does faith grow?'

**St John's Hospital Mass:** Fr Peter will celebrate Mass in the hospital on Friday 1 February at 5.00pm.

**'Come all who are thirsty (Is 55:1) Retreat:** True Life in God Scotland invite you to join their Lenten retreat in SS John Cantius & Nicholas, Broxburn, starting on the evening of Thursday 28 February, finishing at lunchtime on Sunday 3 March. The retreat will be led by Fr Jeremy Bath and Fr John Corbett from New Jersey, USA. For more information and details of how to register go to <https://www.eventbrite.co.uk/e/true-life-in-god-gathering-in-scotland-tickets-54495352065>.

**Foodbank:** Many thanks for the generous donations to the recent various appeals, in particular to those who came to the Advent Reconciliation Service.

**Next Sunday's Readings (03.02.19):** Jeremiah 1:4-5. 17-19; Psalm 70; 1 Corinthians 12:31-13:13; Luke 4:21-30.

**Recently Deceased:** Akaina Pron, Brian Cullion, Winifred Williamson, Liz Smith, **Anniversaries:** Patrick Henderson, John Wardlaw, Margaret Watt, Brian Craig, Mary Greenan, Robert Greenan

### ST PETER'S ...

**P4 Class Mass:** The children from P4 will join us for Mass on Wednesday morning.

**Knit & Natter Group:** Meet every Wednesday at 12.30pm and everyone is welcome. Cost is £1 per week which includes tea and cake. All money raised is donated to charity.

**St John Ogilvie PFA:** The AGM takes place on Monday 4 February at 7.00pm in the school. Everyone is welcome. Positions available are Chairperson, Vice Chairperson, Secretary, Treasurer and Publicist.

**200 Club:** Subscriptions are now due. For a mere £12 per year you can join in the excitement of a monthly draw of cash prizes while helping the parish (residue funds go to the building fund). Plenty of numbers available and no limit to how many you can have. Please use the envelopes provided in the foyer, writing your name and address on the front. Once you have enclosed your subscription, put the envelope in the box on the wall. Any questions, speak to Tricia Hart after Mass on Sunday morning or contact her on 07818465028 or email [triciahart@gmail.com](mailto:triciahart@gmail.com). Thanks to everyone for your support last year.

**Last Sunday's Collection:** £969.85; **Church Stall:** £50.89



## ST THERESA'S...

### Last Sunday's Collection:

£624.64; **Crib:** £55.96; **Cards:** £138.75; **Bonus Ball Winner:** No 45 Glynn Cole

## ST ANDREW'S ...

**2020 Meeting:** The next meeting will be held on Tuesday 29 January at 7.00pm in the shalom chapel.

### Last Sunday's Collection:

£914.44; **Building Fund:** £257.19; **200 Club:** No 1& No 22; **Sanctuary Candle:** Iain Campbell RIP

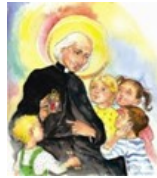
## ST PHILIP'S ...

**P3 Class:** The children from P3 will join us for Mass on Tuesday morning.

**Fairtrade:** Next stall on Sunday 3 February.

**Coffee Bar:** LSCC £80.00; Altar Servers/Passkeepers £40.00; Malawi £60.00.

**Last Sunday's Collection:** TBC;  
**200 Club:** TBC; **Sanctuary Candle:** TBC



## On 22 January we celebrated the feast of St Vincent

**Pallotti.** This Roman diocesan priest (1795 – 1850) created the Society of the Catholic Apostolate - an international community of priests and brothers. His name is the reason for the popular name "Pallottines". The official Latin name is *Societas Apostolatus Catholici* and SAC, the abbreviation used by the Pallottines, stems from the first letters of this name.

**The Society is part of the Union of the Catholic Apostolate founded in 1835. Currently, the Society counts 2,300 members, who live in more than 300 local communities in all continents and in more than 40 countries.** The Pallottines are ranked 17<sup>th</sup> in the world of religious communities for men and are the 3<sup>rd</sup> biggest order in Poland.

The members, priests and brothers, bind themselves to the Society by the promises of chastity, poverty, obedience, perseverance, the sharing of resources and the spirit of service. The basic motto of the Society is the words of St Paul "the love of Christ urges us" (2 Cor 5,14). Mary, Queen of Apostles, is the Patroness of the Society.

The SAC has a hierarchical structure at three levels. The supreme administrative organ is the General Administration with its office in Rome. The second level is constituted of the 12 Provinces and 8 Regions. At the third level we have Local Communities throughout the world and there are around 300 of them. Some are small (in Scotland there are currently 7 Pallottines), and others have larger numbers (in India there are over 200 novices and students and in Oltarzew/Warsaw, Poland we have together 80 community members).

The SAC started as an Italian order which quickly became international with the largest number of German and Polish members in the 20<sup>th</sup> century. In recent years, there has been a growing number of Indian, African and South American Pallottines. We co-operate with the Pallottine Sisters and with many thousands of lay people forming the Union of the Catholic Apostolate (UAC).

More about our charism and spirituality can be found at [sac.info](http://sac.info)

Fr Peter Krakowiak SAC



## WIADOMOŚCI POLSKIEJ WSPÓLNOTY W LIVINSTON



Drodzy, usłyszeliśmy w dzisiejszej Ewangelii, że Jezus rozwinął księgę i znalazł miejsce, gdzie było napisane: *"Duch Pański spoczywa na Mnie, ponieważ Mnie namaścił i posłał Mnie, abym ubogim niósł dobrą nowinę, więźniom głosił wolność, a niewidomym przejrzenie"*. Naśladując Mistrza z Nazaretu przez wieki całe rzesze świętych kobiet i mężczyzn czuło duchowe powołanie do wyznaczenia szczególnej drogi duchowego rozwoju w Kościele, tworząc różne wspólnoty. Ponad 150 lat temu św. Wincenty Pallotti (1795-1850) zwrócił uwagę na nagłą konieczność ożywienia wiary i rozpalenia miłości wśród katolików, aby doprowadzić w ten sposób wszystkich ludzi do jedności w wierze Chrystusowej. Uważał, że dla osiągnięcia tego celu niezbędne jest pozyskanie duchownych i świeckich, oraz że dla pełniejszego wykonania apostołskich zadań Kościoła należy zjednoczyć ich wysiłki. (Prawo SAC, Wprowadzenie)

W prezencie dla Was, którzy współpracujecie z Pallotynami zachęcam do obejrzenia wywiadu z ks. Stanisławem Stawickim SAC. Po co świętować Uroczystość Pallottiego? Czego nie wiemy o Don Vincenzo? Jak być dzisiaj – *punto di mezzo* – budowniczym pomostów? Zobaczcie rozmowę z ks. Stawickim SAC, opiekunem kościoła SS. Salvatore in Onda w Rzymie. Rozmowa nosi tytuł: ***Punto di mezzo*** – dobrze oddając to, co chciał zrealizować Pallotti – by być 'pomostem' w życiu naszych wspólnot: [www.youtube.com/watch?v=ZZPe8nlrpNs](http://www.youtube.com/watch?v=ZZPe8nlrpNs) **Szukajmy tego, co nas łączy, a nie dzieli! Ks. Piotr**

DATE	ST ANDREW'S	ST PETER'S	ST PHILIP'S	ST THERESA'S	FEAST DAY
<b>Sun 27 Jan</b>	9.30am Polish PK 11.30am Mass KO <i>Francis Quek</i>	9.30am Mass SH <i>Thom Family</i> 5.30pm Mass SH <i>People of the Parish</i>	9.30am Mass KO <i>People of the Parish</i>	11.30am Mass JS <i>Donor's Intention</i>	3rd Sunday of the year - Year C
<b>Mon 28 Jan</b>	No Service	No Service	No Service	9.00am Mass JS	Memorial of St Thomas Aquinas
<b>Tue 29 Jan</b>	9.30am Mass JS <i>Julian Bath RIP</i>	6.00pm Mass SH <i>Patrick Timmins</i>	9.30am Mass KO	No Service	Tuesday week of the year
<b>Wed 30 Jan</b>	9.30am Mass JS <i>Marion Doherty</i>	9.30am Mass <i>Susan Wetherspoon</i>	No Service	6.00pm Mass PK	Wednesday 3rd week of the year
<b>Thu 31 Jan</b>	9.30am Mass JS <i>Dr Julian Bath RIP</i>	9.30am Mass PK	9.30am Mass KO	No Service	Memorial of St John Bosco
<b>Fri 1 Feb</b>	9.30am Mass JS <i>John McQuade RIP</i>	9.30am Mass SH	No Service	9.00am Mass KO <i>Patricia Meenahan RIP</i>	Friday 3rd week of the year
<b>Sat 2 Feb</b>	9.30am Mass JS 5.30pm Vigil JS <i>Charles Divers RIP</i>	9.30am Mass SH 6.30pm Polish PK	9.30am Mass KO <i>Sam Lawrence RIP</i>	No Service	Feast of the Presentation of the Lord
<b>Sun 3 Feb</b>	9.30am Polish PK 11.30am Mass JS <i>George Davis</i>	9.30am Mass SH <i>Hugh &amp; Helen Brown</i> 5.30pm Mass SH <i>People of the Parish</i>	9.30am Mass KO <i>Mary Wilkinson</i>	11.30am Mass KO <i>People of the Parish</i>	4th Sunday of the year - Year C