

**St John the Baptist Catholic Church-The Mother Church of Perth**

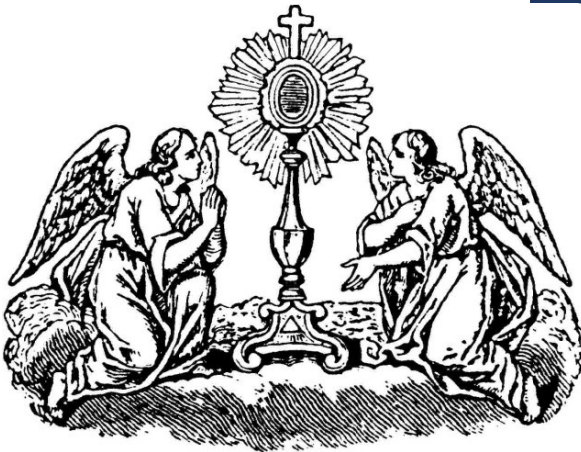
A warm welcome to our Church. Countless Catholics and visitors have crossed the threshold of this holy place, sensing the presence of God and filling it with prayer and contemplation. Rooted in the Gospel of Jesus Christ, our mission is to glorify God by our lives.

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**Sunday 23<sup>rd</sup> October 2022-30<sup>th</sup> Sunday in Ordinary Time Year C**

Refreshments in the hall after 11am Mass

Responsorial Psalm: This poor man called; the Lord heard him.



Holy Mass

Monday 24<sup>th</sup> October-6pm

Tuesday 25<sup>th</sup>-10am & 7pm

Adoration of the Most Blessed Sacrament  
& Confessions from 6pm-6.45pm

Wednesday 26<sup>th</sup> -10am

Thursday 27<sup>th</sup> September- No public Mass

Friday 28<sup>th</sup>- St Simon & St Jude  
9.45am Rosary & 10am Mass

**Date for the diary:** Join us for a merry pre-Christmas parish meal with live music and dancing in the hall. The date is Wednesday 14<sup>th</sup> December at 6.30pm. We will use the outside caterers that provided our lovely meal to celebrate the UCM's 75<sup>th</sup> anniversary. You are invited to sign up on the sheet provided for us to ascertain numbers. During November you will be able then to choose your meal from a menu. We will then share the cost. However, it is important that all join in so please sign up as no one will be turned away that may struggle to pay.

The Sacrament of **Confirmation** with pupils from St John's Academy will be conferred on Wednesday 23<sup>rd</sup> November at 6.00pm. Pupils who do not attend St John's Academy are very welcome to join them. Please speak to Canon Mulholland.

There will be a registration and information meeting for **P4** parents in the parish hall on Tuesday October 25<sup>th</sup> at 5pm for the Sacraments of First Confession (15/03/2023) & First Holy Communion (27/05/2023). Children who were not baptised in St John's are requested to bring a Baptismal Certificate to this meeting.

**Sunday Masses:** Saturday 4.00pm (Anticipatory Sunday Mass) 9.00am, 11.00am & 6.30 pm

**Tuesdays:** 6.00pm-6.45pm (Confessions in Church)

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The Catholic Church has been praying for the departed souls since the time of the Apostles. This fact of praying for them implies the belief that these souls are not in Heaven and yet, neither are they hopelessly lost in hell. Our belief in Purgatory as a place of expiation is an excellent example of what is meant by the tradition of the Church. During the month of November, we will offer our up our many Masses and prayers for the Holy Souls.

**Holy Soul November lists are now available.**

**Wednesday 2<sup>nd</sup> November 2022  
All Souls**

7.00am & 10am

12.30pm Requiem Mass  
for Joan Cruickshanks

**6.30pm Vespers for the Dead**

before 7.00pm Mass in St John's

There will be a second collection for **Missio** this weekend.

**RECENTLY DEAD:** Joan Cruickshanks & Iain MacKinnon

**ANNIVERSARIES:** Ian Mackle

*Fidelia animae per misericordiam Dei requiescant in pace.*

There will be an initial **RCIA** meeting of those adults interested in joining the Catholic Church on Thursday 27<sup>th</sup> October at 7pm in Our Lady's Hall in Letham. The evenings will also be designed for those adults wishing to deepen their understanding of our Faith. It will last approximately 1 hour.



## The clocks go back 30<sup>th</sup> October

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9.00am/11.00am/6.30 pm

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