

14/1/2024

2nd Sunday of the year - Year B



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DEVOTIONS	Confessions: are heard and the Rosary is prayed before all Holy Masses.	Adoration: of The Most Blessed Sacrament before all week-day Holy Masses.

Readings: 2nd Sunday of the Year - Year B

1st Reading. Is 49:3.5-6 **RP.** Ps 39 **2nd Reading.** 1 Cor 1:1-3 **Gospel** Jn 1:29-34

Holy Mass Times	Hawick	Jedburgh		Kelso	Ordo	Intentions
Sat 13 th Jan		5.30pm Vigil Mass			The Feast of St Kentigern	For the people of the parish
Sun 14 th Jan	11.30am	Holy Hour 4pm	Mass 5pm	9.30am	2 nd Sunday of the year	For the people of the parish
Mon 15 th Jan					2 nd week of the year	Fr Ricky <i>Sp Int</i>
Tue 16 th Jan				10am	2 nd week of the year	Lewis Kelly <i>Sp Int</i>
Wed 17 th Jan		10am			Memorial of St Anthony	John & Christine Kelly <i>Sp Int</i>
Thur 18 th Jan		10am			2 nd week of the year	Marion and John McParland <i>Sp Int</i>
Fri 19 th Jan				10am	2 nd week of the year	Fr Cromy <i>Sp Int</i>
Sat 20 th Jan		5.30pm Vigil Mass			3 rd Sunday of the Year Sunday of the Word of God	For the people of the parish
Sun 21 st Jan	11.30am	Holy Hour 4pm	Mass 5pm	9.30am		For the people of the parish

Collections: 7/1/24

Hawick... £ 239.10

Jedburgh... £181.50

Kelso... £193.10

Parish News

Kelso- St Mary's

Table-top Sale

Starting Sunday **28th January** in the Parish Rooms. The table will stay up for a week or so... Please bring in unwanted Christmas gifts, toiletries, etc. from now on and, nearer the time, home-baking.

A **short** meeting to organise this will be after Mass on **Tuesday 16th January**. All welcome.

Raffle

A lovely large food hamper is to be raffled at St Mary's Church, Kelso.

The hamper will be on display at the rear of the church after Sunday Mass on Jan 14th and 21st January.

Tickets are £1 each and will be on sale at the back of Church this week and next week with the draw taking place on Sunday afternoon next week 21st Jan.

All proceeds of these 2 functions will go to parish funds. Please support both these initiatives as generously as possible. Thank you.

This Sunday January 14th.

mary's
meals

I will give a very short after Mass talk about Mary's Meals, my involvement as a volunteer for the charity and my role in representing Mary's Meals in the Border Catholic Parishes.

I will bring collecting boxes, magazines and copies of the Book....

'The Shed That Fed 2 Million Children'

written by the founder

Magnus MacFarlane-Barrow.

Free to read and return for others to read.

My aim is to raise awareness of the Charity rather than making a financial appeal. However any donations anyone would like to make would be very welcome.

Until January 22nd all donations will be **doubled** by a group of anonymous supporters. **£19.15** can feed a child for a whole school year. Before January 22nd £19.15 will feed **2** children for a whole school year.

Clare Morrison (clare.morrison@Marysmeals.org)

Celebrations this coming week.

Saturday 13th January.

The Feast of St Kentigern—Mungo (518-603)

His Mother, St Enoch, was a Lothian princess who became pregnant through rape. Her father cast her off into the Firth od Forth in a coracle. She landed on the opposite shore at St Serf's monastic school at Culross.

Kentigern became the first Bishop of Glasgow. He was forced out by pagan opponents and spent some time in England and Wales. He returned to spend many more years preaching the Word and praising the Name.

Wednesday 17th January

The memorial of Saint Anthony, the Abbot (251 to 356)

St Anthony is known as the father of "Christian Monasticism." As a teenager he gave up all his possessions when his parents died and went to live as a hermit in the Egyptian desert. However, he gave public support to the local church in times of difficulty particularly helping St Athanasius, Bishop of Alexandria, in opposing the Arian heresy.

Prayer to the Holy Spirit

*Come Holy Spirit,
fill the hearts of your faithful
and kindle in them the fire of your love,
send forth your spirit and they shall be created.
And you shall renew the face of the earth.*

*O, God, who by the light of the Holy Spirit,
did instruct the heart of the faithful,
grant that by the same Holy Spirit,
we may be truly wise and ever rejoice in His consolation.
Through Christ Our Lord.*

James (Jimmy) Graham—Passed away peacefully on 4th January 2024. Husband of Helen Graham. R.I.P

Funeral: Jan 23rd, 11.45am Beatties Funeral Directors. Hawick.

Every Blessing for the week ahead.