

**SUNDAY MASS:** 11.30am  
**WEEKDAY MASSES:** 9am  
**SATURDAY MASS** 12 noon  
**CONFESSIONS:** Saturday: 11.15-11.45am  
**BAPTISMS:** At least 4 months' notice  
**MARRIAGES:** At least 1 years' notice  
in writing

# St. Peter's ....

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## 5th Sunday of the Year (C) ~ 7th February 2010 ~ Catholic Education Sunday

**Today** is Catholic Education Sunday and opens Catholic Education Week. However, the Special Collection for the Scottish Catholic Education Service will not be taken up until next Sunday 14 February.

Children's Liturgy during Mass as usual  
Coffee in Parish Room after Mass – all welcome

**Thursday** *Memorial of Our Lady of Lourdes and World Day of the Sick*

Fr Kerr returns for 9am Mass  
7.30pm Prayer Group in Parish Room

**Friday** 9am St Peter's Pals meet in Parish Room -

### Catholic Education Sunday

Today some of the pupils from St Peter's Primary will take part in the offertory procession, bidding prayers and post communion reflection.

Primary 4 pupils have prepared an A4 sheet about themselves, displayed at the back of the church, as they prepare for the Sacraments of Holy Communion and Confirmation. In order to strengthen the link with the parish, we are looking for parishioners to be their prayer partners. This would involve a parishioner praying for a pupil over the coming months before they receive the sacraments. At a later date prayer partners may be invited into school to meet the children for coffee.

If you would like to participate and become a prayer partner, then please sign one of the sheets at the back of the church. The link between the school, home and parish is extremely important as the pupils progress on their faith journey. We would like to thank you in advance for your co-operation.

*Mrs Dorothy Johnstone (Acting Headteacher, St Peter's Primary School)*

Fr Kerr's **Lenten Letter** will be distributed as you leave the church today. Please take a copy home for yourself and for anyone you know who may like one. Eucharistic Ministers please take copies to those you visit.

**Eucharistic Ministers** please fill in the availability sheets at the back of church.

**An Evening of Reflection for Eucharistic Ministers** will be held in the Parish Room on Monday 22 February at 7.30pm. Please add your name to the appropriate list.

### 40th Anniversary of Fr Kerr's Ordination to the Priesthood

Friday 19th February: Holy Mass of Thanksgiving 7pm in St Peter's Church followed by a reception at Gillis Centre. The list for the reception is now full – if you find that you cannot attend please contact Ann Royan 447 3151 so we can give your place to someone on the waiting list. There will also be a celebration in the Parish Room after Mass on Sunday 21 February to which all are welcome.

### Tuesday Club

in St Columba's Middle Hall  
2-4pm \* February 9 \*  
*The History of John Lewis & Son*  
– Tracy Liddle

### Baptismal Preparation Course

Wednesdays 10 & 17 March 2010  
at 7.30pm in Parish Room.  
Application forms from Sacristy.

### St Peter's Primary School 1910 –2010

Centenary Celebration – An evening for friends of St Peter's to celebrate the School's Centenary at Edinburgh City Chambers on Friday 7 May \*7pm-1am \* £15 \*  
Welcome Drink, Ceilidh, Hot supper. Donations for raffle gratefully received. See poster on Noticeboard.

**Old photographs of the School?** Please hand in to School with name & contact details.

See School website for details of events and an area for sharing 'Memories of St Peter's Primary' on the Centenary page. [www.st-peters.edin.sch.uk](http://www.st-peters.edin.sch.uk)

**Vocation Mass** at St Joseph's House, Gilmore Place on  
Tuesday 9th February at 7.30pm. Parking available \*

### Ecumenical Friends, Edinburgh Lunch-time Talks

in St Cuthbert's Church Hall, on Thursdays: tea/coffee available from 12.15pm. Cost £1.50. Thursday 11 February "*How the Gospels came to be written*" \*  
Dr Helen Bond

### 200 Club

#### January winners

- (1) Fr Brown (£25)
- (2) Margaret Hunter (£15)

### MASS INTENTIONS

**Sun** Special Intention  
**Mon** Gerry Ormand  
**Tues** Intentions of Kathleen & Jimmy Haggerty  
**Wed** Elizabeth Morrison  
**Thurs** Grace Ellis (Short)  
**Fri** Grace Ellis (Jamieson)  
**Sat** Alexander Brooks

Mary Jane Stich thanks parishioners for their prayers during her surgery. She is recovering well.

Items for inclusion in Newsletter to Mary Wastle 447 3442 or email: [wastles@btinternet.com](mailto:wastles@btinternet.com) by Wednesday please. For website contact Juliet MacKellaig 447 6936 or [julietmackellaig@yahoo.com](mailto:julietmackellaig@yahoo.com). St Peter's is a Parish of the Roman Catholic Archdiocese of St Andrews and Edinburgh, a Charity registered in Scotland – number SC008540.

**OFFERTORY COLLECTION - £639**  
**SPECIAL COLLECTION - £912**

