

**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 07<sup>th</sup> May 2023**  
**Fifth Sunday of Easter-Year A**

Refreshments in the hall after 11am Mass



St Paul begins his first letter to Timothy: "I exhort therefore, that, first of all, supplications, prayers, intercessions, giving of thanks, be made for all men; For kings, and all that are in authority; that we may lead a quiet and peaceable life in all godliness and honesty. For this is good and acceptable in the sight of God our Saviour."

**Holy Mass- Please note changes**

**Monday 08<sup>th</sup> May-6pm**

**Tuesday 09<sup>th</sup> -10am only**

**Wednesday 10<sup>th</sup>-10am & 7pm**  
St John of Ávila

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

**Rosary at 6.45pm**

**Thursday 11<sup>th</sup>-Mass in HMP Perth**

**Friday 12<sup>th</sup>-10am with Primary 1**

**Monday 15<sup>th</sup> -1.30pm Requiem Mass**  
for Catherine Crawford

**& 6pm**

**Tuesday 16<sup>th</sup> -11am Requiem Mass**  
for Rosa Hohensee

**& 7pm**

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**Wednesday 17<sup>th</sup>-10am**

**Thursday 18<sup>th</sup> - The Solemnity of the Ascension of the Lord- Holy Day of Obligation-10am & 6.00pm**

**Friday 19<sup>th</sup>-No Mass**

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

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



**ANNIVERSARIES:** Denis Boner


*“As we enter Heaven, we will see them, so many of them, coming toward us and thanking us. We will ask who they are and they will say: ‘A poor soul you prayed for in purgatory.’” -The Venerable Archbishop Fulton J. Sheen*

The Mass to mark the recent retirement of, His Lordship Bishop Robson, on Thursday 11<sup>th</sup> May 2023 at 7.00pm in St Andrew’s Cathedral in Dundee has been cancelled as the Bishop recovers from surgery. Please keep him in your prayers.

We will celebrate our First Holy Communion Mass on Saturday 27<sup>th</sup> May at 10am.

There will be an afternoon of music and friendship in the hall on Wednesday 10<sup>th</sup> May from 1.30-3.30pm.

**Responsorial Psalm:** May your love be upon us, O Lord, as we place all our hope in you.



**13th May 1917**

“Do not be afraid, I will not harm you.  
I have come from heaven.

If you are **Willing** to **Offer** yourselves to **God** and **Bear** all the **Sufferings** **He** wills to send you as an **Act** of **Reparation** for the **Conversion** of **Sinners**, then you are going to have much to **Suffer**,

But the **Grace** of **God** will be your **Comfort**.”

- Words spoken by Our Lady of Fatima to Sis. Lucia

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9.00am/11.00am/6.30 pm

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