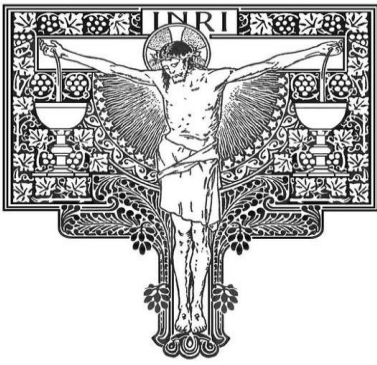




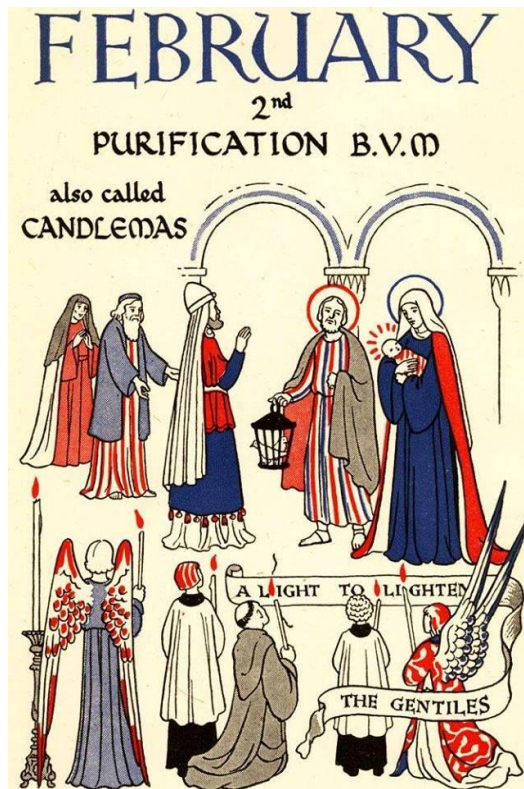
St John the Baptist Catholic Church-The Mother Church of Perth

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 02nd February 2025-Candlemas-The Presentation of the Lord



Psalm Response: The Lord of hosts, he is the king of glory!

Monday 03rd February 2025-St Blaise with
Blessing of Throats-6pm Mass

Tuesday 04th -10am Mass

(Diocesan Fabric & Finance 2pm-4pm)

**Adoration of the Most Blessed Sacrament
& Confessions from 6pm-6.45pm**
followed by 7pm Mass

Wednesday 05th- No Mass (meeting in HMP
Perth 1pm-2.30pm)

Thursday 06th-HMP Perth

Friday 07th- 10am Mass with P5

Vocations Evening with Bishop Andrew McKenzie, Fr Jim Walls (Vocations Director) and Fr Malcolm Hutchison (newest priest of the Diocese) on Sunday (2nd February) in St Andrew's Cathedral Hall at 7pm. Anyone interested in the priesthood is welcome to attend.



Sincere apologies for mishap last week and the necessary rescheduling of the **Sacramental Preparation Meeting** with parents/carers for Tuesday 04th February in the hall. The meeting will begin with refreshments at 5pm and the meeting will conclude by 6pm. This meeting is open to any parent/carer of a child preparing for the Sacraments. All are welcome.

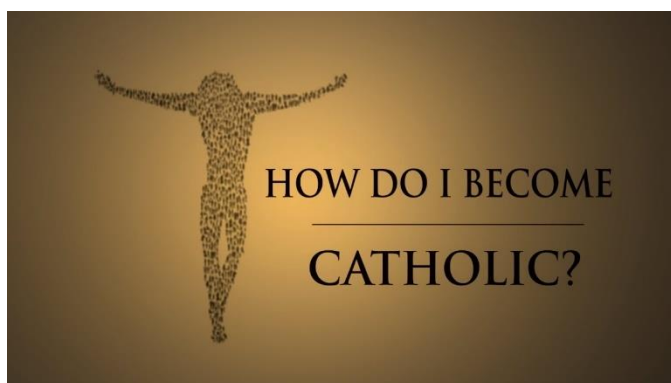
Sunday Masses: Saturday 4.00pm (Anticipatory Sunday Mass) 9.00am, 11.00am & 6.30 pm

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

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There will be a meeting on **Monday 03rd February at 7pm** in the hall for those who have expressed interest in becoming a Catholic and anybody wondering about doing so. All are welcome to this initial meeting with Canon Steven.



A **warm welcome** to Sr. Mary Collette Obika who has joined Sr M. Delphine & Sr M. Kosy in community. Sr M Colette arrives with a breadth of experience and responsibilities in Europe. We pray she settles in well to her new home in Perth.

There will be a foodbank donation collection this weekend.

UCM Mini Bingo fund raising
04th February 2025 after 7pm Mass

If you have volunteered recently to be a new reader or would like to do so, please speak to Canon Steven after Mass. New **rota** for readers available from Sacristy.

RECENTLY DEAD: Irena Miller & Mary Darragh
ANNIVERSARIES: Archbishop Charles Heerey, CSSP,
Betty Fyall & Eileen Ward
Fidelia animae per misericordiam Dei requiescant in pace.

Next Second Collection: Sunday 16th February-The Ecclesiastical Students Fund

Refreshments in hall after 11am Sunday Mass- All welcome.