

WELCOME TO THE PARISHES OF

ST. PIUS X, DOUGLAS & ST. PATRICK'S, STOB SWELL DUNDEE

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SUNDAY MASSES

Vigil Mass on Saturday 5.00pm
 Sunday 11.30am

WEEKDAY MASSES

Wednesday 9.30 am

Exposition of the Blessed Sacrament and Rosary
immediately after Mass

Friday 9.30 am

Divine Mercy Prayer Immediately after Mass

5.00pm – Stations of the Cross

Saturday 3.30 – 4.30pm

Sacrament of Reconciliation, or on request

SUNDAY MASS

Sunday - 9.30am

WEEKDAYS

Tuesday 6.00 pm

Stations of the Cross

Thursday 9.30am – Perpetual Novena to the Miraculous

Medal Immediately after Mass

Sacrament of Reconciliation in St. Pius X, or on request

11.30 Mass

First Reading

Exodus 17: 3-7

9.30 Mass

Response to the Psalm 94

O that today you would listen to his voice: 'Harden not your hearts.'

Second Reading

Romans 5: 1-2, 5-8

Gospel Acclamation

Glory to you, O Christ, you are the Word of God!

Lord, you are really the saviour of the world;

give me the living water, so that I may never get thirsty.

Glory to you, O Christ, you are the Word of God!

Gospel:

John 4: 5-42

Bidding Prayers

SICK, DECEASED & ANNIVERSARIES

Please remember in your prayers those who are sick:

Duncan Turner, Chrissie O'Rourke, Norman Hadden,

Helen Harris, Denise Boyle. Fr. John Mundakal

the recently deceased: **Bette Gaffney, Sara Lions, John Joseph MacDonald**

and those whose anniversaries occur at this time: **Joe McMahan, Anne Simpson**

May their souls and the souls of the faithful departed through the mercy of God rest in peace. Amen

OFFERTORY COLLECTION & DONATIONS

ST. PIUS X: Offertory on 5th March: Vigil Mass = **£187.87**;
 Sunday Mass = **£123.01**; **Total = £310.88**; Tea and Coffee
 = **£12.40**.

ST. PATRICK'S: Offertory on 5th March: Sunday Mass =
£315.50.

HYMN LIST

ST. PIUS ----- ST. PATRICK'S

Entrance 922 ----- 80

Offertory 803 ----- 399

Communion 627 ----- 730

Recessional 764 ----- 118

DEAR VISITORS, If you would like to help our small parish, you can do this by “Gift-Aiding” your collection to us today. If you are a tax payer, simply put your offering in the envelopes provided in the church porch and complete your name, address and date. We will then receive an additional **25p** per **£1.00** of your offering which would make a big difference to us. Many thanks.

PLEASE NOTE that the Gift Aid Scheme is completely **CONFIDENTIAL**. It is a requirement of **LAW** that anyone who completes a **Gift Aid Form** must ensure that they pay tax and that it must be enough to cover the donation. If you do, then the church would receive 25p for every £1.00 donated to the church funds. This extra revenue would greatly benefit our church. If you wish to do so, then ask Father for Gift Aid envelopes to use every week. Thank you.

ST. PIUS X: TEA AND COFFEE



As our church hall is not being used because of the damage caused by a burst pipe, we will now be using the room next to the sacristy to serve tea and coffee after the 11.30am Mass until the hall is repaired. All are invited. Please support this initiative and encourage our parishioner who has worked so hard to tidy up the room and provide the tea and coffee by dropping in and meeting other parishioners and visitors alike. Thank you.

ST. PATRICKS: TEA AND COFFEE



Tea, Coffee and Biscuits are available in the hall after the 9.30am Mass today. Please support the parishioners who provide this and meet other parishioners and visitors alike.

ST. PIUS X: SACRAMENT OF CONFIRMATION

The Sacrament of Confirmation will be celebrated for the children that have been prepared in the school during the 11.30 am Mass next Sunday. They are: **Kesja Zglinicka, Michalina Slusarek, Daniell Davidson, Nyla Stewart and Gabriela Lesiecka.** Please, remember them in your prayers. Thank you.

LOURDES DIOCESAN PILGRIMAGE

Bookings for the Dunkeld Lourdes Diocesan Pilgrimage (14th to 21st of July 2023) for those planning on staying in the Panorama or Louis de France Hotels can now be made online to Joe Walsh Tours at <https://joewalshstours.co.uk>. Physical booking forms should be in parishes this week. If you, or anyone you know, would like more information about our pilgrimage, the services offered by the Dunkeld Lourdes Service (yellow t-shirts) or our medical team please contact Ruth Anne O’Neill on ruthanne@pobox.com or 07801 227443.

SPECIAL COLLECTION: PAPAL & EPISCOPAL CHARITIES (Including SCIAF)

There will be a special collection next week for the Papal and Episcopal Charities Fund of the Diocese including SCIAF. Please, donate generously. Thank you.

ST. PIUS X: FUNERAL OF ELIZABETH (BETTE) GAFFNEY

The funeral of Late Bette Gaffney will take place in St. Pius X as follows: the Reception of Remains into the church will take place on **Tuesday 14th March 2023** at 4.00pm, and the Funeral Mass will be on **Wednesday 15th March 2023 at 2.00 pm**, then on to Dundee Crematorium for cremation at 3.30 pm. The funeral will be conducted by Mgr. Aldo Anzelosanto. May her soul rest in peace.

YOUTHS LENTEN RETREAT

Youths (18-30years) residing in Dundee are invited to a half-day Lenten retreat. The retreat will be held in St Andrews on Saturday 18th March, from 10am to 1pm. We will conclude with lunch together. All those interested can sign up by scanning the QR code on the poster, or by contacting Fr. Jean Gové for more information.

FUNERAL PROTOCOL IN OUR PARISHES

My dear Parishioners, since taking up the post of Parish Priest of St Pius X and St Patrick’s Parishes last August, funerals have taken place in both churches officiated by myself or visiting priests. To ensure the smooth organisation of these services, a Parish Funeral Protocol has been drawn up and which has already been shared with Funeral Directors. This Protocol will help parishioners and non-parishioners alike to know what steps should be taken when faced with the challenge of organising the funeral of a loved family member or friend. A copy is available for parishioners to read or pick up at the back of the church. Thank you.

CECILIAN CHOIR CONCERT

Cecilian Choir Concert, in St Mary’s Lochee (DD2 3AP) on Wednesday 22nd March, 7pm-8pm (Refreshments afterwards). **FREE ENTRY.** Optional donation on departure in aid of St Mary’s Renovation fund.