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WELCOME TO THE PARISHES OF

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SUNDAY MASSES

Vigil Mass on Saturday 5.00pm Sunday 11.30am

WEEKDAY MASSES

Wednesday 9.30am – Ash Wednesday Mass
No Exposition of the Blessed Sacrament and Rosary
Immediately after Mass

Friday 9.30am – **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

Thursday 9.30am – Holy Mass Perpetual Novena to the Miraculous Medal Immediately after Mass

Saturday 3.30 – 4.30pm

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

11.30 Mass

First Reading

9.30 Mass

Leviticus 13: 1-2, 44-46

Response to the Psalm 31

You are my refuge, O Lord; you fill me with the joy of salvation.

Second Reading

Gospel Acclamation

1 Corinthians 10: 31–11: 1

Alleluia, alleluia!

May the Father of our Lord Jesus Christ enlighten the eyes of our mind, so that we can see what hope his call holds for us. **Alleluia!**

Gospel

Mark 1: 40–45

Bidding Prayers

SICK, DECEASED & ANNIVERSARIES

Please remember in your prayers those who are sick: **Duncan Turner, Chrissie Ogilvie, Norman Hadden, Helen Harris, Denise Boyle, Yvonne Parks, Niel Park, Nan Henderson, Allan Gourlay, Margaret Ann Young.**

the recently deceased: Mary Malone

and those whose anniversaries occur at this time:

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

HYMN LIST FOR ST. PIUS X

Entrance ----- 278
Offertory ----- 772
Communion----- 432

Recessional----- 877

OFFERTORY COLLECTION & DONATIONS

ST. PIUS X: Offertory on 4^{th} February 2024: Vigil Mass = £157.00; Sunday Mass = £132.60; Total = £289.60; Tea & Coffee = £10.00.

ST. PATRICK'S: Offertory on 4th February 2024: Sunday Mass = £254.23.

HYMN LIST FOR ST. PATRICK'S

Entrance ----- 513
Offertory ----- 383
Communion----- 347
Recessional----- 812

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.

If you would prefer to make your offering by BACS, please transfer the money to the following Parish Bank Account details: St Pius X: Royal Bank of Scotland, Name: Trustees of Dunkeld Diocese St Pius X Church, Sort Code: 831814, Account Number: 00276070.

St Patrick: Virgin Money, Name: The RC Diocese of Dunkeld, Sort Code: 826214, Account Number: 10011047. Thank you.

CELEBRATION OF THE FEAST OF OUR LADY OF LOURDES

All are invited and welcome to the Holy Mass at 7.00pm in St Mary's Church, Lochee on Monday 12th February 2024.

PALMS FOR ASH WEDNESDAY

Please return the palms you received on Palm Sunday last year to the church on or before Tuesday 13th February. They will be burned on that evening for use the following day. Thank you.

SEASON OF LENT

The season of Lent begins with Ash Wednesday. It is a day of Fasting and Abstinence. The season of Lent prepares us to celebrate the Paschal mystery as the centre of the liturgical year and of the Christian life. Everyone is encouraged to take part in the weekly Stations of the Cross and other Lenten observances.

SCIAF WEE BOXES

SCIAF Wee Boxes are available for parishioners who would like to save money in them for their Lenten Almsgiving. Please collect your box at the back of either of our churches and bring them back on or before Holy Thursday.

ST. PATRICK'S - FIRST COMMUNION

This Sunday, 11th February 2024, two of our altar servers at St Patrick's Church will be receiving the Sacrament of Holy Communion for the first time. Please keep McCharles and Johnhenry Nwobodo in your prayers as they receive this very important sacrament.

PILGRIMAGE TO KNOCK

(Return flights Edinburgh to Knock)

Dear Parishioners, as I announced before my trip, I will be leading a 5 day pilgrimage to Knock from **14-18 October** this year. The cost is **£709** per person (sharing). Places are filling up as this pilgrimage has been advertised across the Diocese. However, it would be so nice to have some of my own parishioners accompany me. Contact me or put your name on the list if you are interested. There is more information about this pilgrimage at the back of the churches. Thank you.

TEA AND COFFEE IN BOTH CHURCHES



Tea and Coffee will be served in the halls of both churches after the **9.30am** and **11.30am** Masses, respectively. All are invited. Please support this initiative by dropping in and meeting other parishioners and visitors alike. Thank you.

ST. PIUS SCHOOL – POUNDS FOR PRIMARIES

Please let's help our own primary school. D C Thomson is running a scheme to help all primary schools with additional funding. From 3rd February to 2nd March, parishioners are asked to collect the special tokens in the Courier and Evening Telegraph and post them in the box at the back of the church where they will be donated to St Pius Primary school. Every school that collects 250 vouchers will receive at least £100. Thank you.

RECEIVING HOLY COMMUNION

Please, this is a reminder to everyone who receives Holy Communion "in the hand". You **must** consume the Sacred Host immediately as you stand in front of the priest, or step to the side and consume it while facing the altar. You must not walk away from the altar until the host has been consumed. THANK YOU

SPECIAL COLLECTION

A special collection will be taken up next Sunday for the Ecclesiastical Students Fund of the diocese. Please donate generously. Thank you.

NEW BISHOP FOR DUNKELD DIOCESE

At 12 noon on 2nd February 2024 in Rome, it was announced, that Pope Francis had nominated **Fr. Martin Chambers,** of Galloway Diocese, as the new Bishop of the Diocese of Dunkeld. He will succeed Bishop Stephen Robson who was Bishop of Dunkeld from 2013 to 2022 when he retired on health grounds, since when it has been administered by Fr. Kevin Golden. We are all rejoicing in the Diocese to hear this wonderful news. Please keep Fr. Martin in your prayers as we wait to welcome him as shepherd of our Diocese.