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10TH MARCH 2024 4TH SUNDAY OF LENT – YEAR B

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 – No Mass Friday 9.30am – Holy Mass Stations of the Cross, and Divine Mercy Prayer Immediately after Mass Saturday 11.00am – Holy Mass for the Saturday Catechetical Class of the Sisters of St. Teresa Dundee 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 6.00pm – Stations of the Cross Saturday 3.30 – 4.30pm Sacrament of Reconciliation in St. Pius X, or on request

11.30 Mass

First Reading Chronicles 36: 14–16, 19–23 9.30 Mass

Gospel

John 3: 14-21

Response to the Psalm 136

O let my tongue cleave to my mouth if I remember you not!

Second Reading

Gospel Acclamation

Ephesians 2: 4–10

Glory and praise to you, O Christ!

God loved the world so much that he gave his only Son; everyone who believes in him has eternal life. Glory and praise to you, O Christ!

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, John Culliven

the recently deceased:

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

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

HYMN LIST FOR	OFFERTORY COLLECTION & DONATIONS	HYMN LIST FOR
ST. PIUS X	ST. PIUS X: Offertory on 3 rd March 2024: Vigil Mass	ST. PATRICK'S
Entrance 475 Offertory 849 Communion 846 Recessional 749	= £180.13; Sunday Mass = £65.50; Total = £245.63; Tea & Coffee = £9.50. ST. PATRICK'S: Offertory on 18^{th} February 2024: Sunday Mass = £229.58; Nigerian Community Mass = £41.41.	Entrance 253 Offertory 209 Communion 40 Recessional 215

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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.

NEWSLETTERFROM THE NATIONAL MARRIAGE, FAMILY & LIFE COMMISSION

"Catholic Families for Life" - Latest issue of newsletter from the Bishops' Commission for Marriage, Family & Life – download a copy on <u>www.marriagefamilyandlife.org.uk</u> from 1st March onwards.

BEGINNING EXPERIENCE

The Beginning Experience are holding a weekend for those who find themselves suffering bereavement through divorce, separation or widowhood. The weekend will take place from $5^{th} - 7^{th}$ April 2024 at St. Mary's, Kinnoull, Perth. For details contact: **Louise** on **07926571004** or e-mail: *louisep398@gmail.com* Completed Applications must be returned by 22nd March 2024.

MOTHERING SUNDAY

I wish to use this medium to extend my very warm and heartfelt congratulations to all mothers and those who play the role of mothers in one way or another in our parish. May God continue to bless and reward you abundantly for the love and care you show to your children and wards.

HOLY YEAR 2025 WALKING PILGRIMAGE

In preparation for the Holy Year, a walking pilgrimage from Motherwell Cathedral to St Andrews is being organised. This is a distance of about 110 miles (175 km) and will be walked over 10 Tuesdays starting on the 2nd of April 2024. For more information visit the Holy Year Scotland 2025 page on

https://www.facebook.com/holyyearscotland2025 or email info@holyyear2025.org.uk or contact Jim McKelvie on 07957 847290.

WOULD YOU LIKE TO BE A YOUTH MINISTRY LEADER IN THE LAKE DISTRICT?

Castlerigg Manor (Diocese of Lancaster Retreat Centre) are looking for a Programme Leader to join their youth ministry team. The work involves working on retreats in the heart of the Lake District, and occasionally working on outreach visits around the area. The post is residential and comes with a salary package in the range of £26-28k, made up of paid salary, accommodation, food etc. Would suit somebody with youth ministry experience perhaps recently graduated. Interested – jack@castleriggmanor.co.u

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.

SPUC DUNDEE AFTERNOON FOR LIFE

The annual SPUC Dundee Afternoon For Life will be held at the Pastoral Centre at Our Lady of Victories, Forebank, on Saturday 16th March. Tea and coffee and a chance to catch up with friends from 12.30pm; and talks from 1 - 4.30pm. This year's speakers are Bishop John Keenan, Richard Lucas and Dr Gillian Wright (see poster for more details). Feel free to join us for all or part of the afternoon. For enquiries please contact: *mcgr aw.clare@gmail.com*

Young people's Cathedral dinner

The next Cathedral Dinner for those aged 18-30 will take place on Sunday 17th March, in the Cathedral Hall just after the 6 pm Mass. If you would like to come, please sign up to help us prepare enough food! Sign up

here: https://forms.gle/1GZdmXxyNHtJpbWw6

ACROSS BINGO

Across Charity will be holding a Bingo Night on Friday **15th March 20124** in **St Mary's Church Hall**, Lochee, Eyes down at **7.00pm**. Tickets – **£1.00** (to include refreshments). All welcome.

SPECIAL COLLECTION

This Sunday, 10 March, there will be a special collection for Papal & Episcopal Charities (including SCIAF). Please donate generously. Thank you.

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