**DIOCESE OF DUNKELD** 

Scottish Charity No:- SC001810

# 17<sup>TH</sup> MARCH 2024 5<sup>TH</sup> SUNDAY OF LENT – YEAR B

# WELCOME TO THE PARISHES OF

ST. PIUS X, DOUGLAS & ST. PATRICK'S, STOBSWELL DUNDEE e-mail:- <u>stpiusx@dunkelddiocese.org.uk</u> or <u>stpatrick@dunkelddiocese.org.uk</u> Website: <u>https://st-piusx-dundee.org.uk/</u> or <u>www.stprcc.com/</u>

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SUNDAY MASSES Vigil Mass on Saturday 5.00pm Sunday 11.30am

WEEKDAY MASSES Wednesday 9.30am – Holy Mass Exposition of the Blessed Sacrament and Rosary Immediately after Mass Friday 9.30am – Holy Mass Stations of the Cross, and Divine Mercy Prayer Immediately after Mass 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 Jeremiah 31: 31–34 Response to the Psalm 50

A pure heart create for me, O God. Second Reading

Hebrews 5: 7–9

**Gospel Acclamation** 

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

If a man serves me, says the Lord, he must follow me; where I am, my servant will be there too.

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

**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:

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	OFFERTORY COLLECTION & DONATIONS ST. PIUS X: Offertory on 10 <sup>th</sup> March 2024: Vigil Mass = £202.94; Sunday Mass = £130.37; Total = £333.31; SCIAF = £159.20; Candles = £80.93; St.	HYMN LIST FOR ST. PATRICK'S
Entrance 749	Anthony = <b>£6.00</b> ; Charles Trotter Trust = <b>£1000.00</b> ;	Entrance 187
Offertory 609	Tea & Coffee = <b>£15.00.</b>	Offertory 302
Communion 627	ST. PATRICK'S: Offertory on 10 <sup>th</sup> March 2024:	Communion 730
Recessional 751	Sunday Mass = <b>£259.96;</b> SCIAF = <b>£169.92</b> ; Tea & Coffee = <b>£70.00.</b>	Recessional 487

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Gospel John 12: 20–30

9.30 Mass

**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.

#### DUNKELD SERRA VOCATIONS MASS – CHANGE OF DATE

The next Mass and Holy Hour to pray for Vocations and for our priests will be on Tuesday 9th April. The following one will, as usual, be on the last Tuesday of April, that is, April 30th.

### **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  $5^{\text{th}} - 7^{\text{th}}$  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 22<sup>nd</sup> March 2024.

ST. PATRICK & ST. PIUS X - CHURCH CLEANING: There will be church cleaning for Easter in St. Patrick on Saturday  $23^{rd}$  and in St. Pius X on Tuesday  $26^{th}$  March, respectively. All are welcome to help. Thank you.

**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.

### ST. PIUS X SCHOOL – SCIAF COFFEE MORNING

Our Mini Vinnies are having a coffee morning in the school next **Friday 22nd March** from **9am-10.30am** to raise money for SCIAF. Parishioners are more than welcome to attend. We are also looking for donations of cake and candy and chocolate items for our tombola. If anyone has anything these can be handed into the school office. Thank you.

#### **RECONCILIATION SERVICE**

Our Lenten reconciliation service this year will take place in **St. Patrick** on **Thursday 21<sup>st</sup>** and in **St. Pius X** on **Friday 22 March** at **7.00 pm**, respectively. Please keep these evenings free in your diaries and avail yourselves of this opportunity to make your confessions before Easter.

## EASTER FLOWER DONATIONS

There will be a special collection next Sunday for Easter flowers. Please, your generous donation is anticipated to enable us to provide beautiful flowers to decorate our churches for the forthcoming Easter.

### MAUNDI THURSDAY—FEET WASHING

Volunteers are needed to take part in the Washing of Feet during the Last Supper evening Mass on Holy Thursday. Please indicate to the priest of your interest.

### MASS OF CHRISM

The Mass of Chrism will be celebrated in St. Andrew's Cathedral, Dundee, on Wednesday 27<sup>th</sup> March at 7.00 pm. All are invited to participate in this important event.

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