

WELCOME TO THE PARISHES OF

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

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<p>SUNDAY MASSES Vigil Mass on Saturday 5.00pm, Sunday 11.30am</p> <p>WEEKDAY MASSES Wednesday 9.30 am – Holy Mass Exposition of the Blessed Sacrament and Rosary immediately after Mass Friday 9.30 am – Holy Mass P6 and P2 Class Mass Saturday 3.30 – 4.30pm Sacrament of Reconciliation, or on request</p>	<p>SUNDAY MASS Sunday - 9.30am</p> <p>WEEKDAYS Thursday 9.30 am – Holy Mass Perpetual Novena to the Miraculous Medal immediately after Mass</p> <p>Saturday 3.30 – 4.30pm Sacrament of Reconciliation in St. Pius X, or on request</p>
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11.30 Mass

First Reading

9.30 Mass

Jeremiah 33: 14–16

Response to the Psalm 24

To you, O Lord, I lift up my soul.

Second Reading

1 Thessalonians 3: 12–4:2

Gospel Acclamation

Alleluia, alleluia!

Let us see, O Lord, your mercy

and give us your saving help.

Alleluia, alleluia!

Gospel

Luke 21: 25–28, 34–36

Bidding Prayers

SICK, DECEASED & ANNIVERSARIES

Please remember in your prayers those who are sick: **Duncan Turner, Chrissie Ogilvie, Marie Haddon, Helen Harris, Denise Boyle, Yvonne Parks, Niel Park, Nan Henderson, Margaret Ann Young, Maureen Campbell, and Marc Campbell, Betty Ower, Thomas Spalding, Anne Abel, Robert Forrester.**

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

<p>HYMN LIST FOR ST. PIUS X</p> <p>Entrance ----- 117 Offertory ----- 610 Communion----- 100 Recessional----- 819</p>	<p>OFFERTORY COLLECTION & DONATIONS</p> <p>ST. PIUS X: Offertory on 24th November 2024: Vigil Mass = £169.96; Sunday Mass = £307.89; Total = £477.85; Hall Use = £40.00; Building Fund = £23.30; Bingo Night = £500.00; Candles = £78.86; St. Anthony’s Box = £7.01; Tea & Coffee = £11.00.</p> <p>ST. PATRICK’S: Offertory on 24th November 2024: Sunday Mass = £311.67; New Lectionary = £10.00.</p>	<p>HYMN LIST FOR ST. PATRICK’S</p> <p>Entrance ----- 129 Offertory ----- 678 Communion----- 133 Recessional----- 479</p>
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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.

SAFEGUARDING CHILDREN and VULNERABLE GROUPS: Please note that **Mr. Adedamisi Pegba-Otemolu** is the Child Protection Officer for our two parishes. His mobile number is: **07549 411173**; email: stpiusxpsc@dunkelldiocese.org.uk

DIOCESAN ADVENT RETREAT DAY

There will be a Diocesan Advent Retreat Day at the Diocesan Pastoral Centre, St Mary's Forebank, Church Hall, Forebank Road, Dundee, DD1 2PB on Saturday 7 December from 10am until 3pm. The keynote address will be given by Bishop Andrew McKenzie. Come and enjoy an Advent day with us. Sign up for a place at StAndrew@dunkelldiocese.org.uk or leave a message on **01382 275539**. Please bring a packed lunch.

REQUIEM MASS FOR BISHOP ROBSON'S MOTHER – MARJERY ROBSON

Please pray for the Repose of the Soul of MARGERY ROBSON, Mother of Bishop Stephen, who died on the 8th of November. The 1pm Mass on Wednesday, 4th December will be for my mother. All are welcome to attend. May her soul rest in peace. Amen.

ST. PIUS X: CHRISTMAS AFTERNOON TEA

Sunday 15th December after 11.30 am Mass.

Tickets available from Patricia Brough

Price £8.00.

You can contact her on **07743216898**.

Thank you.

SPECIAL COLLECTION

There will be a special collection today for the Poor Mission Fund of the diocese. Please, donate generously.

KEEP TELLING OF GAZA – AN EVENING OF WORDS, PRAYER AND SILENCE

All are invited to explore with Khawla Badwan and Alison Phipps their recently published *Keep Telling of Gaza* in which they share their ‘poetic cries’ as they, ‘workers aith words’, seek to express ‘Gaza’s truth’ with words, on **Wednesday 11th December – Online – 7:00 – 8:30pm (UK Time)**. Please see flyer on the noticeboard for further details.

ANNUAL SAFEGUARDING STATEMENT BY BISHOP ANDREW MCKENZIE

Copies of this Annual Statement by our Bishop are now available at the back of the church for pick up. Please, don't forget to pick up your own copy as you leave the church today. Thank you.

CATHEDRAL CEILIDH FOR YOUNG PEOPLE

The Next Cathedral Dinner for those 18-35 will be a Christmas Cathedral Ceilidh! It will take place on **Sunday 8th December**, at **7 pm**, just after the 6 pm Mass. There will be food and some refreshments available – come dressed for the occasion, and to help us prepare please let us know if you're coming by signing up here: <https://tinyurl.com/cathedralceilidh>

HOLY YEAR PILGRIMAGE TO ROME

The British Embassies of Rome and the Holy See have issued ten top tips for pilgrims to Rome next year. If you are considering a Jubilee Pilgrimage to Rome next year, these top tips are for you. Please, see the noticeboard for details. Thank you.

ST. PIUS X RC PRIMARY SCHOOL CHRISTMAS FAYRE

All are invited to come along for lots of festive fun, activities and crafts! On **Friday 6th December 2024** at **2–4pm**. Independent Stall Holders are most welcome. Please, contact the school if you are interested in a table. **Tel – 01382-438528**.

VOCATIONS EVENING

Anyone interested in the priesthood is being invited to an evening with Bishop Andrew in the **Cathedral hall** at **7pm** today, the **First Sunday of Advent**. Please, see poster for more details.

Items for the newsletter please email Father at stpiusx@dunkelldiocese.org.uk

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