

WELCOME TO THE PARISHES OF

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<b>SUNDAY MASSES</b> Vigil Mass on Saturday 5.00pm, Sunday 11.30am <b>WEEKDAY MASSES</b> Wednesday 9.30 am – <b>Ash Wednesday Mass</b> <b>No Exposition of the Blessed Sacrament</b> Friday 9.30 am – <b>Holy Mass</b> <b>Day of Prayer for Those who have Suffered Abuse</b> <b>Divine Mercy Prayer Immediately after Mass</b> 5.00pm – <b>Stations of the Cross</b> Saturday 3.30 – 4.30pm <b>Sacrament of Reconciliation, or on request</b>	<b>SUNDAY MASS</b> Sunday - 9.30am <b>WEEKDAYS</b> Thursday 9.30 am – <b>Holy Mass</b> <b>Perpetual Novena to the Miraculous Medal</b> <b>immediately after Mass</b>  4.15 pm – <b>Catechism Class</b> Saturday 3.30 – 4.30pm <b>Sacrament of Reconciliation in St. Pius X,</b> <b>or on request</b>
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11.30 Mass

First Reading

9.30 Mass

Sirach 27: 4–7

Response to the Psalm 92

*It is good to give thanks to you, O Lord.*

Second Reading

1 Corinthians 15: 54–58

Gospel Acclamation

**Alleluia, alleluia!**

*Shine as lights in the world,  
 holding fast to the word of life.*

**Alleluia, alleluia!**

Gospel

Luke 6: 39–45

Bidding Prayers

**SICK, DECEASED & ANNIVERSARIES**

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

the recently deceased:

and those whose anniversaries occur at this time: **Jean Walker**

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

<b>HYMN LIST FOR ST. PIUS X</b>  Entrance-----979 Offertory-----643 Communion-----408 Recessional-----970	<b>OFFERTORY COLLECTION &amp; DONATIONS</b>  <b>ST. PIUS X:</b> Offertory on 23 <sup>rd</sup> February 2025: Vigil Mass = <b>£139.75</b> ; Sunday Mass = <b>£250.60</b> ; Total = <b>£420.35</b> ; Hall Use = <b>£340.00</b> ; Candles = <b>£78.41</b> ; Repository = <b>£15.70</b> ; Tea & Coffee = <b>£9.20</b> . <b>ST. PATRICK'S:</b> Offertory on 23 <sup>rd</sup> February 2025: Sunday Mass = <b>£262.71</b> ; Church Fabric = <b>£135.00</b> ; Candles = <b>£53.28</b> ; St. Anthony's Box = <b>£86.80</b> .	<b>HYMN LIST FOR ST. PATRICK'S</b>  Entrance ----- 572 Offertory ----- 870 Communion----- 347 Recessional----- 74
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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](mailto:stpiusxpsc@dunkelldiocese.org.uk)

#### **BEGINNING EXPERIENCE SCOTLNAD**

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 4<sup>th</sup>–6<sup>th</sup> April 2025 at Conforti Centre, Coatbridge. For details contact: Louise on 07962571004 or email: [louise398@gmail.com](mailto:louise398@gmail.com) Completed Applications must be returned by 21<sup>st</sup> March 2025.

#### **PALMS FOR ASH WEDNESDAY**

Please return the palms of last year to the church on or before Tuesday 4<sup>th</sup> March. They will be burned on that evening for use the following day during the Ash Wednesday Mass. Thank you.

#### **SCIAF LENTEN WEE BOX**

SCIAF Lenten Wee-Boxes are now available at the back of the church. Please pick them up as you leave today and bring them back on or before Holy Thursday. This year’s Lenten appeal focuses on families in the diocese of Apartadó in Colombia, and the effect that decades of war has on their daily lives – and their futures. You may also give at [sciaf.org.uk/weebox](http://sciaf.org.uk/weebox) or call **01413545555**. Thank you.

#### **SPUC – AFTERNOON FOR LIFE**

The annual SPUC Dundee **Afternoon For Life** will be held in the Pastoral Centre at Our Lady of Victories, Forebank, on **Saturday 4th March**. Tea and coffee and a chance to catch up with friends from 12 noon; and talks from 12.30-3.30pm. Please come along for all or part of the afternoon. For enquiries please contact: [mcgraw.clare@gmail.com](mailto:mcgraw.clare@gmail.com)

#### **PILGRIMAGE TO IONA – Led by Bishop Joseph Toal**

From 17<sup>th</sup>–18<sup>th</sup> May 2025. Cost per person sharing £199, single room supplement £20.00. Please see poster for further details.

#### **SEASON OF LENT**

This Wednesday is **Ash Wednesday**. It is the beginning of the season of Lent and 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. Thank you.

#### **AID TO THE CHURCH IN NEED: SCOTTISH CONFERENCE 'COURAGE TO BE CATHOLIC'**



Saturday 29<sup>th</sup> March, Glasgow Royal Concert Hall, 9:30am - 4:00pm. Hear from inspiring speakers, meet representatives of Catholic organisations from around Scotland, and help build Catholic community. Scan the QR code below or go **to <https://www.trybooking.com/uk/EHSR>** to register.

*Items for the newsletter please email Father at [stpiusx@dunkelldiocese.org.uk](mailto:stpiusx@dunkelldiocese.org.uk)*

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