



Vigil Mass 4.30pm

Vigil Mass 6pm

Sunday 10.30am (also streamed)

Sunday 11.30am

Sunday 10am

Monday-Saturday 10am

Tuesday 8.30 am

Monday & Wednesday 6.30pm

Saturday 9am

Friday 8.30am

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### Sunday 12th June—Solemnity of the Most Holy Trinity (C)

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**Our Beloved Dead:** Please remember in your prayers — Sr Stephanie Davidson OSC, Catherine (Kitty) Berry, Eddie Corns, Winnie Mudie, Veronica Donachie and Lena Robbins who have died recently and Jim Craig, Annie Bird, Romano Reyes, May Burns, Hugh Prophet, Ronald Devine, Bill Cleary, Meg Scott, Thomas Morgan, Arthur Connelly Jnr and Rena Curran whose anniversaries occur at this time. We also remember all those mentioned in our books of remembrance.

**Prayers for the sick:** Please continue to remember the sick and the terminally ill in your prayers, especially those mentioned on our sick lists. Lists for prayers for deaths and anniversaries and for the sick are available at the back of the church.

**Funerals:** The Funeral of Kitty Berry will take place in St Mary's, Forebank on Tuesday 21st June at 11am (a week on Tuesday) with burial at Balgay Cemetery taking place at 12.30pm. Reception of Remains into St Mary's, Forebank on Monday 20th at 5pm. Service for Jim Laing will take place in St Mary's on Monday 6th June at 12noon. There will be Mass as usual at 10am.

**Pastoral Council Meetings:** The next meetings of the PPCs will take place as follows: St Leonard & St Fergus, Monday 13th June at 7.15pm; St Columba's, Tuesday 14th June at 7pm; St Mary's, Thursday 16th June at 7pm. **Feast of St Columba—9th June:** Thank you to all who made the parish feast day such a joyful occasion both in the church at the Mass and in the hall afterwards. As usual, there was a great buffet for us all to enjoy while spending some social time together.

**Absence from the Parish:** I will be taking a few days away from the parish from next Monday, 20th June and returning on Friday 24th.

**First Holy Communions for St Fergus' PS:** Congratulations to the children who made their First Holy Communion this weekend and we renew our prayers for these children and for all those who received the Sacraments over these past weeks and months. We also pray for three of the children from our parishes who will celebrate their First Holy Communion next weekend. We pray for these children and for their parents at this important moment in their lives of faith.

**Guided Reading—Lectio Divina:** There will be no meeting this week as we have the meeting of the Parish Pastoral Council scheduled for this Thursday. Thank you to those who attended and took time to reflect upon and share their faith. Hopefully it is something that we can return to later in the year.

**Education Mass:** Many thanks to the staff and pupils of St Clement's RC Primary School, Dundee who hosted the Education Mass this year and led us in a joyful and uplifting celebration. Canon Tom Shields deputised for the Bishop in celebrating the Mass and helped us to recognise and value the importance of our Catholic Schools. I am sure that everyone present came away with a renewed sense of enthusiasm in their faith.

**World Meeting of Families: Family Love—A Vocation and a Path to Holiness:** The World Meeting of Families will take place in Rome from 22-26th June. The Holy Father, Pope Francis has asked us to join him in prayer and celebration. There have been prayer cards produced and these are available at the back of our churches. Please take one home and pray for all Christian families. We can also follow the events in Rome through the meeting's official website — [www.romefamily2022.com](http://www.romefamily2022.com)

**Facebook Mass:** Apologies for all those who tried to follow the Mass from St Mary's last weekend and discovered that it was not broadcasting. We have no idea what happened but hopefully normal service will be resumed this weekend.

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St Leonard & St Fergus' - St Leonard's Place, Ardler, Dundee. DD3 9HD Tel: 01382-825203  
Parish Priest - Fr Mark Cassidy | Assisting Priests - Fr Alexander Obiorah and Fr Jean Gové

**Collections:** St Mary's £1067 || St Columba's £417 || St Leonard & St Fergus' £915. Thank you for your continuing generosity to the work of the Church and to those in need. Could I ask those who are using envelope numbers 19 & 22 in **St Columba's** to make themselves known. We need to know whether donations are to be recorded for Gift Aid purposes.

**St Mary's Restoration Fund 100 Club:** Congratulations to this week's winner, Anne Hampton (33).

**St Leonard & St Fergus 100 Club (SCIAF):** Congratulations to this week's winner Terry Grubb (74).

**St Leonard & St Fergus Golden Jubilee:** Although the Jubilee of the church is not until 2025, we will have to start some remote planning in the near future. There are line drawings of proposals for the sanctuary area of the church. Again, these are proposals and while the drawings have been professionally produced, this is simply so that we can have something visual to discuss. Other plans will include looking at the lighting and the heating of the church as well as the provision of a welcome area. Thank you for the feedback received so far. Further feedback and comments are welcome and can and will be fed through to the Parish Pastoral Council where the proposals will be discussed in detail.

### **Think Vocations / Pray for Vocations**

"When the Spirit of Truth comes he will lead you to the complete truth." Ask the Holy Spirit to guide young people as they discern the life God is calling them to. Perhaps you are discerning a call to priesthood or religious life. Speak to Fr Mark, your local Vocations Director about priesthood or religious life, email *Priests for Scotland* or see the website or Facebook pages: PFS or VocationNetworkScotland. Diocesan Priesthood.

**Ordinations:** We continue to remember Rev Malcolm Hutchison in our prayers as he enters his final weeks of preparation for Ordination to the Priesthood. Malcolm's Ordination will take place in St Andrew's Cathedral on Wednesday 6th July at 7pm and his Mass of Thanksgiving ('First Mass') will take place in St Joseph's the following day at 1pm. As many of you will remember, Malcolm spent some time with us over a couple of summers and also during Lockdown and he is keen to make sure that all the parishioners from our communities know that they are more than welcome to join him for these important celebrations—important not just for Malcolm but for the Church throughout the Diocese.

**We are Mission:** The latest newsletter from **Missio** the Church's official wing of the Pope's Mission Societies for Scotland. Please take a copy of this newsletter and continue in your prayers to remember the Mission of the Church throughout the world—the mission which brings the Good News of Christ to others through spiritual, practical and financial help.

**Violence against Christians:** Last Sunday during the celebrations for Pentecost, gunmen with explosives stormed the Catholic church of St Francis Xavier in Owo Town, Ondo State in Southern Nigeria. The death toll was at least 50 and many children were counted among the dead. Although this took place in a different State from that of Fr Alex, his presence among us brings home to us in an even more acute way the horror of these events. We pray for all in the Church persecuted for their faith and for those who give their lives in witness to Christ. May they receive the palm of martyrdom in heaven.

**Pre-Pilgrimage Mass:** The Diocesan Pilgrimage to Lourdes will take place from 8-15th July and the pre-Pilgrimage Mass will take place in St Leonard & St Fergus on Wednesday 22nd June at 6.30pm with refreshments in the hall following the Mass. All are welcome to attend.

**Synodal Feedback Day:** This will take place on Saturday 25th June 2022 in the Church Hall at Our Lady of Victories', Forebank, Dundee from 10.30am-12.30pm. The Diocesan Synod Core Group has completed the collation of more than 10,000 written responses to the Synodal Questionnaires, Listening Group Sessions and Coffee Conversations held throughout the diocese. A huge thank you to all who took the time to participate. Core group members have now been entrusted with the important task of writing the final synthesis and are determined to ensure it is a true reflection of the joys and concerns of the people of the diocese. Bishop Stephen invites representatives of every parish to the above Diocesan Event when he will share the report with everyone. Could I ask all those interested in attending this feedback meeting to let one of the priests know so that can forward the names of those attending and representing our parishes.

**Hospitals:** Please note that if you are going into hospital or wish to see a priest while in hospital, the direct number for the priest chaplain on duty is 07821 624124. You can also ask the Ward staff to contact the duty chaplain through the switchboard.