





Vigil Mass 4.30pm

Sunday 10.30am (also streamed)

Monday-Saturday 10am

Sunday 11.30am Tuesday 8.30 am Saturday 9am Vigil Mass 6pm
Sunday 10am
Monday & Wednesday 6.30pm
Friday 9.30am

## Sunday 19th June—Solemnity of the Body and Blood of Christ (Corpus Christi)

Our Beloved Dead: Please remember in your prayers — Elizabeth (Betty) Farrell, Kitty Berry, Leona McDonnell, Jimmy Heron and Billy Donnelly who have died recently and Helen and Bob Bell and Robert Donachie 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.

**Celebration in Honour of the Blessed Sacrament:** This will take place today (Sunday) at 3pm in the Cathedral with Exposition of the Blessed Sacrament, Eucharistic hymns, Sung Vespers and Benediction. All are welcome as we renew our devotion to Jesus present in the Blessed Sacrament.

**Friday Mass—St Leonard & St Fergus:** Please note the change in the Mass time to 9.30am to accommodate the children from the school.

**Funeral:** The Funeral of Kitty Berry will take place in St Mary's, Forebank this Tuesday, 21st June at 11am with burial at Balgay Cemetery taking place at 12.30pm. Reception of Remains into St Mary's, Forebank tomorrow, Monday 20th at 5pm.

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

**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 this Wednesday, 22nd June at 6.30pm with refreshments in the hall following the Mass. All are welcome to attend.

**First Holy Communions:** Congratulations to Charlotte, Alfie and Ruairdh who are making their First Holy Communion this weekend in St Mary's. We pray for these children and for their families—that they may stay close to the Lord all the days of their lives.

**SERRA Holy Hour and Mass:** The customary Holy Hour (6pm) and Mass (7pm) to pray for priests and vocations to the priesthood will take place in St Mary's on Tuesday, 28th June. The evenings prayers and devotions will be in intercession for Deacon Malcolm Hutchison as he approaches his Ordination to the Priesthood. This Mass will also be a Vigil Mass for the Feast of St Peter & Paul.

**Ordinations:** We continue to remember Rev Malcolm Hutchison in our prayers as he enters these 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. All are welcome to attend either / both these celebrations.

Masses for the Feast Day of St Peter & St Paul (Holyday of Obligation) - 28-29th June: Please note that the schedule will change slightly for this year's Masses: St Mary's will have a Vigil Mass at 7pm on Tuesday 28th (instead of the evening Mass on the Feast Day itself); the morning Masses in St Mary's will be at 9am and 10am. St Columba's, 9.30am; St Leonard & St Fergus, 11am, 1.30pm and 6.30pm.

**Collections:** St Mary's £962 || St Columba's £334 || St Leonard & St Fergus' £864. Thank you for your continuing generosity to the work of the Church and to those in need. **There will be a second collection next weekend (26-27 June) for Peter's Pence.** This collection is our contribution / gift to the Holy Father, Pope Francis.

**St Mary's Restoration Fund 100 Club:** Congratulations to this week's winner, Raymond Taylor (9). Again we are grateful for the generous donation of £1,000 from one of our parishioners and his wife. Other income to the Restoration Fund from our general fundraising over the past weeks totaled £450. We also had some work done in the house at St Mary's in lieu of a donation which saved us over £500 which will also be transferred to the Restoration Fund.

**Mary's Meals:** Two donations of £120 and £40 were forwarded to the charity and £16 forwarded to SCIAF from a jar of coins handed in. Once again, thank you for your generosity to these Church charities.

**Stamps for ACROSS:** We have been asked to collect used stamps for ACROSS, the charity that takes pilgrims to Lourdes on the Jumbulance. I know that we all receive fewer letters and cards, but any stamps will be gratefully received and passed on.

St Leonard & St Fergus 100 Club (SCIAF): Congratulations to this week's winner Evelyn Gardiner (90).

**SVdP Outreach to those in need:** At a recent meeting of the St Mary's Conference, the members discussed ways in which they could reach out to anyone in the parish who might be needing assistance in these difficult times. There is a box at the back of the church where anyone in need can place their name and phone number. These requests will be treated in the strictest confidence. Alternatively, you can use an envelope with the same information, mark it clearly SVdP and drop it into the collection box. These will be passed directly to a member of SVdP without being opened by anyone else, including the priests.

## 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.

**Synodal Feedback Day:** This will take place next 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.

**World Meeting of Families: Family Love—A Vocation and a Path to Holiness:** The World Meeting of Families will take place in Rome this week 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

**Father Ninian Doohan:** will be leaving the diocese, with the permission of Bishop Stephen, for an initial period of one year, to join a new initiative in the Archdiocese of Saint Andrews and Edinburgh, a community of diocesan priests, initially two priests from different dioceses. Father Ninian will be departing as from the weekend of 9-10 July, 2022. The Bishop has intimated that he will be appointing very shortly a new parish priest to serve the parishes of St Pius X and St. Patrick's in Dundee.

**St Leonard & St Fergus Rotas for Offertory and Welcoming Groups:** Copies are available at the back of the church and on the noticeboard. The rotas will start on the weekend of 2nd-3rd July.

**Facebook Mass:** Apologies again that our system failed again last weekend—at least partially in that the sound continued but there was no picture. Once more we have no idea what happened but hopefully normal service will be resumed this weekend.