





Vigil Mass 4.30pm

Sunday 10.30am (also streamed)

Monday-Saturday 10am

Sunday 11.30am

Tuesday & Thursday 8.30am

Saturday 9am

Vigil Mass 6pm Sunday 10am

Monday 6.30pm, Wednesday 10am

Friday No Mass

## Sunday 17th July—16th Sunday of the Year (C)

**Our Beloved Dead:** Please remember in your prayers — Edmund (Eddie) Clarke, Muriel Smart, Eleanor Vogan and Cath Carnegie who have died recently and Fiona Kelly, Archie Tinney, Tedi Tront, Joe Tront, Sandra Lawson, Lynn Morris, Elizabeth and James McHale and Gerard Noonan 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.

**Mass Cover:** Unfortunately Fr Jim Walls tested positive for COVID this past week and so we will help Fr Kevin with the Mass at St Mary's, Forebank this weekend. We are also helping to cover St Peter & St Paul's for a final weekend.

**Funerals:** Monday 19th July, 10am, St Mary's—Cath Carnegie; Wednesday 20th, 10am, St Leonard & St Fergus—Muriel Smart (Reception of Remains, Tuesday 5pm); Thursday 21st, 1.30pm, Dundee Crematorium—Eleanor Vogan; Friday 22nd, 10am, St Columba's—Edmund Clarke (Reception of Remains, Thursday, 5pm).

**Change on Mass Times:** Please note the change in Mass times due to this week's funerals. The Mass in St Leonard & St Fergus on Wednesday will be the funeral Mass at 10am. I know that there will be good attendance from the parishioners wanting to attend Muriel's funeral. Also there will be no morning Mass in St Leonard & St Fergus **on Friday Morning**. The Mass that day will be the funeral Mass at 10am in St Columba's.

**Fr Jean:** Returns to Malta this Tuesday, 19th July for the summer and will return to St Andrews in September for another year of study / work at the university. Fr Jean will be helping out in parishes in Malta over the summer as well as catching up with family and friends. We wish him every blessing during his time at home. It is not clear at the moment whether Fr Jean will return to our group of parishes after the summer or whether the Bishop will ask him to serve at weekends elsewhere in the city. I am sure that if Fr Jean also leaves the parishes, there will be the opportunity for him to return so that he can be thanked properly for his work over the past four years.

**Fr Malcolm** will celebrate the Masses in St Mary's next weekend. As you know he was on placement with us one summer and then stayed with me at St Mary's during Lockdown and was a great help behind the scenes, helping in all that we did to serve the parishes during that time. Please continue to remember Fr Malcolm in your prayers.

**Appointment:** Thank you again for your support and good wishes on the news of my appointment to the Pontifical Scots College in Rome as Rector. I know that you will give Fr Jim the same unstinting support that I have received over the 3-4 years that I have been here—a support that both Fr Alex and Fr Jean have also experienced. I hope to be able to visit all who receive Holy Communion at home before I leave the parish.

**Absence from the Parish**: I will be away from the parish on holiday from 26th July until 6th August. Fr Jim Walls will help with the weekend Masses (30-31st July). Fr Alex has generously agreed to cover both daily Masses in the churches except for Saturday 30th July when there will be a Eucharistic service in St Mary's at 10am. These arrangements may have to change if there are funerals during that period.

**Collections: Ordinary || Stella Maris:** St Mary's £1095 || £196; St Columba's £271 || £62; St Leonard & St Fergus' £881 || £188. Thank you for your continuing generosity to the work of the Church and to those in need

**St Mary's Restoration Fund 100 Club:** Congratulations to this week's winner, Ella Hoey (75). The proceeds from last weekend's sale and money from the 100 Club added another £459 to the Restoration Fund. Thank you for all your support.

**St Mary's Summer Fayre: Sat 30th July 11am-2pm.** The fundraising activity for the end of July for St Mary's Restoration Project will be a summer fayre. Usual stalls and admission is free. Cream Teas will be available—adults £2 and children £1.

St Leonard & St Fergus 100 Club (SCIAF): Congratulations to this week's winner Liz Jordan (9).

Mary's Meals: A donation of £53 was forwarded to the charity.

**St Columba's Thursday Afternoon Teas and Coffees**—has stopped for the summer and will resume after the school holidays.

**SCIAF**: £30 will be sent on to SCIAF from the proceeds from the teas and coffees outside St Mary's and the sale of flowers.

**Book of Remembrance (St Mary's):** Thank you to those who have already handed back names to be added to the Book of Remembrance. There are forms still available at the back of the church. I would ask you to return your forms as soon as possible so that we can have the names added over the summer. If you wish to make a donation, this will go to the Restoration Fund.

**SVdP Outreach to those in need:** There are boxes at the back of the churches 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/plate. These will be passed directly to a member of SVdP without being opened by anyone else, including the priests.

**Collection of Foodstuffs:** You should find boxes at the back of our churches for any donations which can be distributed to those in need. Non-perishable items would be appreciated.

## Think Vocations / Pray for Vocations

Martha does the serving while Mary listens to Jesus speak. Do you find yourself drawn to do God's work among his people, or perhaps to a more contemplative 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.

**SERRA Mass for Vocations:** There will be the monthly Holy Hour (Exposition of the Blessed Sacrament, reflection and Benediction) and Mass for Vocations in St Mary's on Tuesday 26th July at with Exposition of the Blessed Sacrament at 6pm, followed by Mass at 7pm.