

WELCOME TO THE PARISH OF
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SUNDAY MASSES

Vigil Mass on Saturday – 6.00pm
Sunday - 11.15am

WEEKDAY MASSES

Wednesday 9.30am
**Exposition of the Blessed Sacrament
immediately after Mass**
Thursday 9.30am
Saturday 4.30 – 5.30pm
Sacrament of Reconciliation, or on request

SUNDAY MASS

Sunday - 9.15 am

WEEKDAYS

Tuesday 9.30am

Friday 9.30am

**Sacrament of Reconciliation in Forfar
or on request**



St Anthony's
3 St Mary's Close
KIRRIEMUIR

09.15 Mass

Margaret Newton

First Reading

Isaiah 53: 10 - 11

11.15 Mass

Frances Hampton

Response to the Psalm 32

May your love be upon us, O Lord, as we place all our hope in you.

Margaret Newton

Second Reading

Hebrews 4 : 14 - 16

Frances Hampton

Gospel Acclamation

Alleluia, alleluia!

*I am the Way, the Truth and the Life, says the Lord;
no one can come to the Father except through me.*

Alleluia!

Gospel

Mark 10: 35 - 45

Margaret Newton

Bidding Prayers

Frances Hampton

READERS / BIDDING PRAYERS FOR SUNDAY 24 October 2021

Catherine Carr

Margaret McCauley

OFFERTORY COLLECTION & DONATIONS

St Fergus – Vigil £61.00
St Anthony – Sunday £87.00
St Fergus – Sunday £108.65
TOTAL £256.65
Building Fund £31.50

SICK, DECEASED & ANNIVERSARIES

Please remember in your prayers those who are sick:

**Sadie Callan, Eileen Morgan, Martin K-Smith, Helen Philip, Irene Miller,
Jenny Robertson, Sheena Gallagher, Bruce Durning, Annmarie Bray, Annete
Fraserburgh, Ann Saba, Felix Baird, John Quinn, Gerry Quinn, Thelma Ellis,
Andrzej Axenti**

the recently deceased:

and those whose anniversaries occur at this time

Hugh Trayor, Pat Sweeney

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

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.

MEETING CENTRE INFORMATIONS MEETING – MONDAY 25 OCTOBER, 7 PM AT STRATHMORE CRICKET CLUB

We are delighted to be part of a partnership which has secured some funding to open a Meeting Centre to support people with mild to moderate dementia and their family carers in Forfar. **We would like to invite you to an Information Meeting on Monday 25 October 2021 at 7 pm in Strathmore Cricket Club, Graham Crescent, Forfar, DD8 1DU to find out more about this exciting new development and how you might become involved.** Meeting Centres are well established in the Netherlands where they have demonstrated benefits for people living with dementia, reducing behavioural and psychological problems and delaying admission to residential care. They are growing quickly in the UK and we are very fortunate to have a very successful Meeting Centre in Kirriemuir – Kirriemuir Connections. Although we at Strathmore Cricket Club are taking the initiative in the early stages of this project, we believe that its success will depend on the extent to which others become involved. We see this as an opportunity for individuals, community organisations and public agencies to work together, building on their strengths, to deliver something which can make a positive difference to the quality of life for Forfar residents. This is a very exciting project and one which has the potential to improve and support the well-being of people with dementia and their families living in locally. This initial meeting is open to all who think they may be interested – so the wider we make the invitation list the better at this stage. Please feel free to share this invitation with anyone that you think might be interested. Following the Dutch model, we will then form a smaller Initiative Group which will be the group of people who will make this happen, identifying families, deciding referral routes, steering the programme etc. We have decided to hold the Information Meeting in Person, rather than online, but we are very aware of the need to manage it safely. We will be implementing a number of simple public health measures to help keep people safe and feel comfortable, including:

- Maintaining physical distance between attendees
- Wearing of face coverings
- Asking all participants to register in advance.

Please come and have your say. You can register here:
<https://www.eventbrite.co.uk/e/meeting-centre-information-meeting-tickets-189138025927> If you are not able to register online, please email me at this email address **strathmorecc@hotmail.com** and we will reserve your place. If you are not able to attend, we will keep you informed of progress on this project unless we hear from you to the contrary. If you have any questions about the meeting or the project, please feel free to contact me. **Graham Hewitson (for Strathmore Cricket Club)**

CATECHISM CLASSES

I wish to inform parents that the Catechism Classes will resume this week on **Wednesday 20th October at 6.00 pm**, which is a week earlier than planned. Please endeavor to bring your children for the instruction as usual. Thank you.

ANNUAL TORCHLIGHT PROCESSION

On Thursday 28 October 2021, SPUC Scotland will hold the Annual Torchlight Procession to remember the lives lost from abortion over the last 54 years. Gathering at George Square, Glasgow, from 6pm, Rosary will commence at 6.30pm followed by the procession at 7pm to St Andrew's Cathedral, where Mass will begin at 7.30pm. All are welcome. For further information, please contact SPUC Scotland on 0141 221 2094 or email me on **charlie@spucscotland.org**.