WELCOME TO THE PARISH OF

ST FERGUS, FORFAR & ST ANTHONY'S, KIRRIEMUIR

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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 - 9.15am

WEEKDAYS

Tuesday 9.30am

Friday 9.30am



St Anthony's 3 St Mary's Close **KIRRIEMUIR** Angus DD8 4GW

Sacrament of Reconciliation in Forfar or on request

09.15 Mass

Gavin Gowans

First Reading

Acts 7: 55 - 60

11.15 Mass

Anne Cormie

Response to the Psalm 96

Bidding Prayers

READERS / BIDDING PRAYERS FOR SUNDAY 5th June 2022

The Lord is king, most high above all the earth.

Gavin Gowans

Second Reading

Apocalypse 22: 12 – 14. 16 – 17. 20 Anne Cormi

Gospel Acclamation

Alleluia, alleluia

Gospel

I will not leave you orphans, says the Lord; John 17: 20 - 26

I will come back to you, and your hearts will be full of joy.

Alleluia, alleluia **Gavin Gowans**

Margaret Newton

£430.70

Anne Cormie

Frances Hampton

OFFERTORY COLLECTION & DONATIONS

SICK, DECEASED & ANNIVERSARIES

St Fergus - Vigil £ No Mass St Anthony – Sunday £72.50 St Fergus – Sunday £141.45 **TOTAL** £213.95 GA Donation for Hall £120.00

St. Patrick's Mission Appeal

Please remember in your prayers those who are sick: Sheena Gallagher, Eileen Morgan, Ann Saba,

Andrzej Axenti, Bruce Durning, Annete Fraserburgh, Anne Simmonds, John Quinn, Gerry Quinn, Thelma Ellis,

Robin Mather

the recently deceased:

SCIAF Wee Boxes Collection £304.83 and those whose anniversaries occur at this time:

Lindsay Kennedy

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.

KIRRIEMUIR

FREE BAPTIST CHURCH, KIRRIEMUIR AND TRINITY BAPTIST CHURCH, DUNDEE

You and your family are invited to the Ordination and Induction Service of Martin H Bakker in Kirriemuir Town Hall – 28/30 Reform Street, Kirriemuir, DD8 4BS, on Saturday 11 June 2022 followed by a buffet tea. Preacher will be Derek Johnston, Blairgowrie. To help us plan the catering, please reply to Lis Shrimpton by Tuesday 31 May – *emshrimpton@virginmedia.com/01382 621467*.

FORFAR: REPOSITORY

New stock has arrived for First Holy Communion and Confirmation, as well as Rosaries and Missals, all available in the bookcases at the back of the Church. Anne Cormie

QUEEN'S PLATINUM JUBILEE

All are invited to join on Thursday June 2 at 9.00 pm for the lighting of the Jubilee Beacon outside the steeple door of the East & Old church. There will be a bugle fanfare, a pipe, everyone singing the National Anthem and refreshments afterwards including the Jubilee tart. You are assured of a warm welcome in June. For further information, contact the Beacon Organiser Mr Bob Kidd on **01307-462701** or email: *es.3bob@talktalk.net*

ANNOUNCEMENT FROM SCALAN ASSOCIATION

The Annual Mass of the Scalan Association is arranged for Sunday 3 July at 4pm prompt. Bishop Toal has agreed to preach the homily. AB37 9JS is a useful postcode for the event. Fr. Michael Briody, President, Scalan Association.

FLOWER DONATIONS

Dear Parishioners, in a few weeks, children from our parish will be receiving the Sacraments of Confirmation and First Holy Communion. We would like to ask you to consider making a donation for flowers to decorate the altar and some pews for these special occasions. There is a "Flower" collection box at the back of the church, so, if you can, please give. Thank you. The Catechism Instructors.

COACHING IN COMMUNITIES (CIC) OPEN DAY QUEEN'S JUBILEE HOLIDAY

Coaching in Communities is a new youth and community support group based in Forfar. Please, come along on Friday 3rd June from 12pm to 3pm at Steele Park Forfar, to make lots of happy memories and begin the fun. We will also be celebrating the Queen's Platinum Jubilee on this day with ice cream, fire engines, face painting, bouncy castle, BBQ, water slide and so much more. FREE ENTRY but DONATIONS WELCOME.

FORFAR: CHURCH CLEANING

Thank you to our team of church cleaners who faithfully clean our churches on a regular basis. We would now like to give St. Fergus' Church a good "spring clean" in time for the children receiving their Sacraments of Confirmation and Eucharist on 12th and 19th June respectively. The big clean will take place at St. Fergus' Church on Friday 10th June at 7.00 pm. Please, consider volunteering if you have a little free time. All offers of help will be most welcome and appreciated. Thank you.

Items for the newsletter please email Maureen Jackson at bctj02@outlook.com