### 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

**First Reading** 

Ecclesiastes 1: 2, 2: 21-23

11.15 Mass Helen Flight

Response to the Psalm 94

O that today you would listen to his voice!

Harden not your hearts.

Gavin Gowans

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**Second Reading** 

Colossians 3: 1 – 5, 9 - 11

Helen Flight

**Gospel Acclamation** 

Alleluia, alleluia

Colossians 3. 1 3, 3 1

Gospel

Your word is truth, O Lord,

consecrate us in the truth.

Luke 12: 13 - 21

Alleluia, alleluia

Gavin Gowans Bidding Prayers Helen Flight

Alisdair MacDonald READERS / BIDDING PRAYERS FOR SUNDAY 7<sup>th</sup> August 2022 Jim Johnston

**OFFERTORY COLLECTION & DONATIONS** 

SICK, DECEASED & ANNIVERSARIES

St Fergus – Vigil £44.45 Please remember in your prayers those who are sick:

St Anthony – Sunday £91.40 Robin Mather, Sheena Gallagher, Eileen Morgan, Ann Saba,

St Fergus – Sunday £72.82 Anne Simmonds, Andrzej Axenti, Bruce Durning, Annete Fraserburgh,

TOTAL £208.67 John Quinn, Gerry Quinn, Thelma Ellis, Alan Draper, Robin Mathew

Building Fund £10.00 the recently deceased

GA RENT FOR HALL USE IN FORFAR £120.00

and those whose anniversaries occur at this time:

**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.

### SPECIAL COLLECTION

Today, 31<sup>st</sup> July, there will be a Special Collection for the Bishop's Mensal Fund. Please, donate generously

### PARISH CELEBRATION FOR BILL FLIGHT AND FAREWELL TO FATHER TOBIAS

There is a joint reception being held on Monday 15th August, in the St Fergus Church Hall to celebrate the time that Father Tobias has spent in Forfar and Kirriemuir and the awarding of the Bene Merenti Medal to Mr Bill Flight. This will take place after the celebration of Holy Mass at 7.00pm.

### The Bishop will also be present.

We need donations of food for the evening and lists have gone up in both churches to help in the organisation of this event.

Please contact Lynda Stobbs 01307 466342, Mobile No 07930230930 or

Elena Visocchi 01575 572683, Mobile No 07712925117 if you have any questions or wish to help on the evening.

Thank you, Lynda Stobbs.

### **DIOCESAN CLERGY APPOINTMENTS**

Canon Mark Cassidy has been appointed as the new Rector of the seminary, the Scots' College in Rome, and Fr. Rogi Thomas as the new spiritual director of the same seminary. Fr. Jim Walls who returned from this seminary as spiritual director has been appointed parish priest of St. Mary's Lochee.

Father Ninian Doohan has been appointed to a parish in the Archdiocese of Saint Andrews and Edinburgh, and I have been appointed to replace him in the parishes of St Patrick's and St Pius X, while Fr. Dijo Thomas will replace me here. As the priests in Dundee share the duty of chaplain to visit the hospitals, I have also been added in the rota for visiting the sick in the hospitals within the city of Dundee. Please, keep us in your prayers.

### ST. ANTHONY'S KIRRIEMUIR: SACRAMENT OF MARRIAGE

The Sacrament of Marriage will be celebrated in St. Anthony's Kirriemuir between **Aileen Bernadette Frost** and **Paul Stewart Calder** on Saturday August 6 at 12.30pm. The couple have come from Our lady of Victories Dundee but have chosen to wed in our church due to its proximity to the hotel in Glen Clova where they will hold their reception. Please, remember them in your prayers.

### APPEAL FOR CHARITY DONATIONS

A box is provided at the back of the church to collect food items which will be distributed to those in need. Please, your donations of foodstuff (and money) will enable me to support those who come to me begging for help, since we do not have a viable St Vincent de Paul Society in our parish. Thank you in anticipation for your usual generosity.