



Meigle Musicality present 'An Hour of Our Kind of Christmas Music' on Saturday 10 December at Meigle Parish Church at 7 pm. Entry is £6 including coffee and home baking with tickets available from Barrie and Jacqueline Starck after the Vigil Mass on Saturdays. Limited tickets are available on the door. Funds go towards Tayside Children with Cancer and Leukaemia.

**Ecumenical News**



Kirriemuir Churches Together (KCT) traditionally gather to sing Christmas Carols during the first evening of late-Night Shopping. This year this is **Wednesday 23 November 2022**. Great opportunity to get into the Christmas spirit and bag some Christmas bargains. If you feel like joining the singing, meet at 6.30 pm at the Peter Pan statue in Kirriemuir. Carol sheets will be provided.

**Saturday 26 November 2022** is the Switch-on of Christmas Lights in Kirriemuir. This is a fab night in which KCT hand out free Hot Chocolate to those turning up for the Lights. Proceedings kick-off around 4 pm.

The Salvation Army Band returns to Forfar on **Sunday 11 December 2022** at the Lawson Memorial Church at 6.30 pm. Profits from the evening will go towards the Lawson Foodbank to help meet the demands for this service in Forfar.

**CHRISTMAS PARTY**

**Children's Christmas Party takes place in St Fergus' Church Hall on Saturday 17 December 2022 between 4-6 pm.**



**CHRISTMAS CARDS, ADVENT CALENDARS AND 2023 CALENDARS**



**The Diocesan Choir**

The Diocesan Choir needs more **male** voices, tenors and basses but tenors in particular, for a Mass towards the end of January. Ability to read music is not essential. Anyone interested can email me on [StAndrew@dunkelldiocese.org.uk](mailto:StAndrew@dunkelldiocese.org.uk) for more details or simply come along to the Cathedral to the rehearsal on **Tuesday 29 November** at 7pm.

**Advent Vespers**

There will be Solemn Sung Vespers in the Cathedral at 4pm on Sunday 27 November to mark the First Sunday of Advent and the beginning of the new liturgical year. All are welcome.

**DIOCESE OF DUNKELD**  
Scottish Charity No: - SC001810

**20<sup>th</sup> NOVEMBER 2022**  
**CHRIST THE KING – YEAR C**

WELCOME TO THE PARISH OF  
ST FERGUS, FORFAR & ST ANTHONY'S, KIRRIEMUIR  
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St Fergus  
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FORFAR  
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**SUNDAY MASSES**  
Vigil Mass on Saturday – 6.00pm  
Sunday - 11.15am  
**WEEKDAY MASSES**  
Wednesday 10.00am  
Thursday 10.00am

Saturday 4.30 – 5.30pm  
**Sacrament of Reconciliation, or on request**

**SUNDAY MASS**  
Sunday - 9.15am

**WEEKDAY MASSES**  
Tuesday 9.30am  
**Novena to St Anthony**  
immediately after Mass  
Friday 10.00am



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

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

**09.15 Mass**  
Irene Miller

**First Reading**  
Samuel 5: 1 - 3

**11.15 Mass**  
Frances Hampton

**Response to the Psalm 121**  
*I rejoiced when I heard them say*  
*"Let us go to God's house."*

Irene Miller

**Second Reading**  
Colossians 1 : 12 - 20

Frances Hampton

**Gospel Acclamation** *Alleluia, alleluia*  
*Blessings on him who comes in the name of the Lord!*  
*Blessings on the coming kingdom of our father David!*  
*Alleluia.*

**Gospel**  
*Luke 23: 35 - 43*

Irene Miller

**Bidding Prayers**

Frances Hampton

READERS & BIDDING PRAYERS  
SUNDAY 27<sup>th</sup> NOVEMBER 2022  
1<sup>ST</sup> SUNDAY OF ADVENT – YEAR A



**MEMORARE**

REMEMBER, O most gracious Virgin Mary, that never was it known that anyone who fled to your protection, implored your help, or sought your intercession was left unaided. Inspired with this confidence, I fly to you, O Virgin of virgins, my Mother; to you do I come; before you I stand, sinful and sorrowful. O Mother of the Word Incarnate, despise not my petitions, but in your mercy hear and answer me. Amen.

COLLECTIONS FOR SUNDAY 13 November 2022	
St Fergus -Vigil	£118.11
St Fergus -Sunday	£123.79
St Anthony -Sunday	£84.00
<b>TOTAL</b>	<b>£325.90</b>
Teas / Coffee – Forfar	£
Teas / Coffee – Kirriemuir	£
Building Fund – Donation	£13.00
Donation – GA	£10.00
Donation (Funeral service)	£200.00
Candles - Kirriemuir	£
Repository - Kirriemuir	£
Repository – Forfar	£78.05
<b>TOTAL</b>	<b>£626.95</b>

**Thanks  
Gift Aid!**

**PLEASE NOTE** that the Gift Aid Scheme is completely **CONFIDENTIAL**. It is a requirement of **LAW** that anyone who completes a **Gift Aid Form** must ensure that they pay tax and that it must be enough to cover the donation. If you do, then the church would receive 25p for every £1.00 donated to the church funds. This extra revenue would greatly benefit our church. If you wish to do so, then ask Father for Gift Aid envelopes to use every week. Thank you

**SICK  
DECEASED &  
ANNIVERSARIES**  
**Please remember  
in your prayers**

Those who are sick:  
**Sheena Gallagher, Eileen Morgan,  
Anne Simmonds, Andrzej Axenti,  
Annete Fraserburgh, Gerry Quinn,  
Thelma Ellis, Robin Mathew**

the recently deceased:  
and those whose anniversaries occur at this time

*George Mudie*

*May their souls and the souls of the faithful departed through the mercy of God rest in peace.  
Please insert names into the book on or before the Sunday at the beginning of the week in which the anniversary occurs so that the name can be noted or email name to [bctj02@outlook.com](mailto:bctj02@outlook.com)*

**Safeguarding Children and  
Vulnerable Groups:**



Being arranged



**CATECHISM  
CLASS**  
Monday at  
4.15pm in  
St Fergus

**DATES FOR YOUR DIARY**

- ❖ Today there will be a special collection for the **CATHOLIC SERVIEC**.
- ❖ A meeting will take place tomorrow, Monday 21<sup>st</sup> November, at 7.00pm in St Fergus Hall to establish a new Parish Council. All parishioners are invited to attend and may put their names forward for a position on the committee, if they so wish.

**TEAS AND COFFEES**



Tea, Coffee and Biscuits are available after both Sunday morning Masses. Please support the parishioners who provide this and meet parishioners and visitors alike.

**TEAS AND COFFEES**

A list is available at the back of St Fergus Church for those willing to help, on a rota basis, to make the teas and coffees. Thank you.

**PARISH WEEKLY NEWS ITEMS**

Next Sunday, 27<sup>th</sup> November, a special collection will be taken up for the Poor Mission Fund.



**DONATIONS FOR VOUCHERS**

A box is available at the back of the church for donations to buy vouchers for food for people less fortunate than ourselves and it is hoped that we can make a difference for them.