#### DIOCESE OF DUNKELD Scottish

Charity No: - SC001810



St Fergus'

94 Glenogil Terrace Forfar Angus DD8 1NG

#### SUNDAY MASSES

Vigil Mass Saturday at 6.00pm Sunday Mass 1115 am

#### WEEKDAY MASSES

Wednesday 10am. Rosary

immediately after Mass

Thursday: Adoration of the Holy Sacrament @ 0930: Mass at 1000 Last Wednesday of the month –

Exposition of The Blessed Sacrament, Rosary and Benediction immediately after Mass.



#### St Anthony's

3 St Mary's Close

Kirriemuir Angus DD8 4GW

**SUNDAY Adoration of the Holy Sacrament at 08-45am** 

Sacrament at 00-45a

Sunday Mass at 9-15

WEEKDAY MASSES

Each Tuesday – 0930 Novena to St Anthony immediately after mass.

#### 1st Tuesday of the month.

Rosary and Exposition of the Blessed Sacrament immediately after Mass.

Friday: Adoration of the Holy Sacrament at 0900: Holy Mass at 0930

Saturday 4.30pm – 5.30pm Sacrament of Reconciliation or on request in Forfar



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## WELCOME TO THE PARISH OF ST FERGUS, FORFAR & ST ANTHONY, KIRRIEMUIR

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28th Sunday of Year C

First Reading:

2<sup>nd</sup> Book of Kings 5:14-17

Naaman returned to the man of God,

and confessed his faith in the Lord.

Psalm 98

The Lord has shown his salvation to the nations

**Second Reading:** 

2 Timothy 2:8-13

If we endure, we will also reign with Christ

**The Gospel Acclamation:** 

Alleluia, Alleluia

In everything give thanks: for this is the will of God in Christ Jesus for you.

Alleluia

The Gospel Luke 17:11-19

No one was found to return and give praise to God

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## Today - Readers & Bidding Prayers:

12th October

28th Sunday

Year C

<u>Liturgy</u>

**Today** 

2<sup>nd</sup> Collection

Children's

9.15am - Margaret Newton 11.15am - Jim Johnston

#### Next:19<sup>th</sup> October 29<sup>th</sup> Sunday 9.15am – Georgie Sampson 11.15am – Anne Cormie

#### **Second Collection dates:**

26/10 – Building Fund

09/11 - Catholic Education Service

23/11 - Building Fund

15/12 - Poor Mission Fund

29/12 - Building Fund

#### Feast, Memorials, Holydays etc.

**Wednesday** – St Teresa of Jesus – Memorial

**Friday** – St Ignatius of Antioch–Mem **Saturday** – St Luke - Feast

## except this foreigner MEMORARE by St Bernard (1090-1153)

**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.** 

# Offertories: 27th Sunday Year C St Fergus/Anthony Vigil £53.00 St Fergus Sunday Mass £131.87 St Anthony Sunday Mass £117.00 Offertories Total £301.87

#### **Donations Total £**

Building Fund – Total £ Special (Second) Collection £150.50 for Missions Sunday.

# Special Collections etc. Collection Vigil Mass and Collection Forfar £94.50 Collection Kirriemuir£56.00 Collection Total £150.50

# Tea/Coffee Forfar £ Tea/Coffee Kirriemuir £ Candles Kirriemuir £ Candles Forfar £ Flowers Kirriemuir £ Flowers Forfar £ Repository Forfar £ Repository Kirriemuir £

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**Parish Safeguarding** Please note that the Parish Safeguarders for Kirriemuir are Kaye Donaldson and at Forfar Zofia Korabiowska-Smith.

Could parents please make sure that any toys or books borrowed from the back of the church are returned after Mass. Thank you.

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**TEA, COFFEE & BISCUITS:** available after both Sunday Masses. Why not come along for a natter and meet up with other visitors, friends and other parishioners alike. There are no strangers here, only friends who have never yet met. A rota list is available at both churches if you would like to assist in the provision of this facility. Donations gratefully accepted.

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Please remember in your prayers those who are sick: Alex Moss, Gerry Quinn, Jim Robson, Charles Blackwell, Duncan Fisher, Andrzej Axenti, Annete Fraserburgh, Yvonne Cargill, John & Margaret Clowes, Tom Doyle, Suzie McGeachy, Alistair Cormie, Mrs Lebida, Dawn Clark, Denis Delaney, Philip Jackson, Margaret McAuley, Luis Rodolfo, Maria Claudia.

The Beloved Recently Departed: Dorothy Brown (98) – a last remaining Aunt.

and those whose anniversaries occur at this time (month of October) Anthony Jolek Ostrowski; Catherine Walker; Ian Piggot; Kazemiez Lebida; Isabella Gordon; Hugh Traynor, Pat Sweeney; Graeme Wright; Leo Donachie; Robert Sangster; Alastair Devlin; Michael Paton; Gerry Donachie; Harry Sime; George Cattanach; Rita Visocchi.

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

#### **Parish Pastoral Council**

The next meeting of the Council will be held this Tuesday 14<sup>th</sup> October at 7-00pm in St Fergus' Church backroom.

#### Notes from The Liturgical Calendar For Scotland

<u>St Teresa of Avila (1515-1582</u>): Also known as Teresa of Jesus (her name in religion), was born in Avila and became a Carmelite nun there. Chosen as mother general of all Carmelite communities internationally, she reformed their rule, established many new convents, was a mystic, and contemplative, who was also highly active and practical. She travelled often to visit convents throughout Spain, besides writing much on spirituality and prayer. She died in Alba de Tormes, near Salamanca.

<u>St Ignatius of Antioch (c.35 – c. 107).</u> Is thought to have been a disciple of Saint John and was the second Bishop of Antioch. On his way to Rome (and martyrdom), he wrote some letters which are extant: They extol the importance of the office of a bishop and warn against Judaism and Docetism, (which held that the human form of Jesus was mere semblance with no true reality).

<u>St Luke:</u> Was the writer of a Gospel and of the Acts of The Apostles. He was a Companion of Saint Paul (on his second missionary journey), and is called by him, 'the beloved physician' (Col 4:14). There is a further mention of him with Paul in Rome, (2Tm 4:11). He is thought to have been a native of Antioch in Syria and to have been an artist. Details of his death (as a martyr?) are unknown.

Children's liturgy. The Children's liturgy will once again take place this Sunday 12th October, during the 1115 Mass where we will talk about the Gospel message and make a craft item. All children welcome. Parents may also attend if necessary. **Health walk.** Many parishioners recently joined others on a health walk organised by Murton staff, where we walked around the loch at Murton. It was lovely to see some new faces from the parish. The next walk will take place this Wednesday, 15th October at 10.15. A chance to join others on a short walk (less than an hour), chat to others and have a free cuppa afterwards. All welcome, Please see Nancy or Angela for details.

#### Offertory By Standing Order - Via Bank of Scotland

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Results Week 8 – 5<sup>th</sup> October

 $\mathfrak{L}_{5}$  - No 93 David Cattanach;  $\mathfrak{L}_{10}$  – No 24 Margaret Fisher;  $\mathfrak{L}_{20}$  – No 26 John Denheen 2 weeks to go for the 'Big Braw Draw' Ensure your chance of a big prize by subscribing by  $18^{th}$  October.

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