



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.

Evening Adoration: St Fergus'

Church Forfar on every Wednesday at

8.00pm to 9.00pm. All are welcome.



St Anthony's

3 St Mary's Close

Kirriemuir Angus DD8 4GW

SUNDAY Adoration of the Holy

Sacrament at 08-45am

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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The next PPC Meeting –

Will be held July 14th at 7-00pm

at St Anthony's Kirriemuir

WELCOME TO THE PARISH OF

ST FERGUS, FORFAR & ST ANTHONY, KIRRIEMUIR

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5th July 2026

14th Sunday YrA

Children's Liturgy

Programme to be
arranged

2nd Collection

None

14th Sunday in Year A

First Reading

Zechariah 9: 9-10

Behold. Your king is coming to you, humble

Psalm 145 (144)

I will bless your name for ever, my God and King

Second Reading:

Romans 8 : 9, 11-13

*If by the Spirit you put to death the deeds of the
body, you will live*

The Gospel Acclamation:

Alleluia, Alleluia

*I thank you, Father, Lord of heaven and earth,
You have revealed the secrets of the Kingdom to
little children*

Alleluia, Alleluia

The Gospel

Matthew 11 :25-30

I am gentle and lowly in heart

Today - Readers & Bidding

Prayers:

9.15am – Gavin Gowans

11.15am– Helen Flight

Next: July 12th

15th Sunday Year A

9.15am – Anne Pender

11.15am– Jim Johnston

Second Collection dates:

12/07 – Apostleship of The Sea

26/07 – Building Fund

Feast, Memorials, Holydays etc.

Monday – St Maria Goretti*

**Friday – St Augustine Zhan Rong and
Companions***

Saturday – St Benedict

**- Optional Memorial*

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: 13th Sunday of Ordinary

Time 2026, Yea A

St Fergus/Anthony Vigil £87.00

St Fergus Sunday Mass £129.90

St Anthony Sunday Mass £58.50

Offertories Total(A) £275.40

Donations Total £ 120.00 F&D Pipe band

Building Fund – Total £

Spec'l Collections/Incidentals £426.04

Total (B) £

Total Banked (A+B) - £701.44

This does not include by Standing orders etc.

Special Collections etc.

Combined Vigil Mass £

St Fergus £95.99

St Anthony £0

Collection Total £ 95.99

--Other Incidentals

Candles Kirriemuir £102.30

Candles Forfar £23.85

Flowers Kirriemuir £

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Repository Forfar £67.65

Repository Kirriemuir £16.25

Total Incidentals £

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.**

**The Parishes of St Fergus & St Anthony are members of a Scottish
Designated Religious Charity. SC001810**



SICK, DECEASED & ANNIVERSARIES



Please remember in your prayers those who are sick: Alex Moss, Gerry Quinn, Jim Robson, Charles Blackwell, Andrzej Axenti, Annete Fraserburgh, Margaret Clowes, Tom Doyle, Alistair Cormie, Dawn Clark, Denis Delaney, Philip Jackson, Margaret McAuley, Mrs Lebida, Luis Rodolfo, Maria Claudia; Peter Harvey. Anne Marie Bray; Duncan Fisher; Alan Smith

The Beloved Recently Departed: Funeral service of Jim (James) Robson will be held on Wednesday 8th July in St Fergus' Church at 12.45pm.

and those whose anniversaries occur at this time (month of July): Mary Bray; Laurence Quinn; John Taylor; Sean Francis Smith; Elizabeth Sturrock; Susan Griffin; Mary Steele; James Griffin; Kathleen O'Donnell; Celia Blackie; Maria Arelly De Jovar; Krystyna Kowacz; Patrick Kilbane, Celia Kilbane, James Burns, Agnes Walker, Ian MacLean, Eunice Doyle, Jozef Korabiowski, John Downey, Victor J Davies, Nora E Smart, Eunice Doyle, Carol Archer, Patrick Rodgers, Filomena Visocchi, Anne Lepine, John Stuart, Bridget Rae-Smith

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

Notes from The Liturgical Calendar

St Benedict (480-547) – was born at nochea, northeast of Rome, where he went to study law. He was appalled by the immorality of the city, and abandoned it, going to subiaco, east of Rome, where he became a religious hermit. Gradually, others were attracted to join him. And communities were set up, which he directed. Local jealousies. Made it unwise for him to stay so he set up anew at Monte Cassino, south of Rome. His influence was widespread: many came from Rome to consult him, and many monasteries were founded elsewhere, so that his way of life and thinking had a huge civilising effect on Europe, which made Pope St Paul VI name him patron of Europe in 1964.

St Maria Goretti (1890-1902) – was born into a poor farming family. Because of their poverty, they had to share with Serenelli family, at, Nettuno, south of Rome. Alessandro Serenelli, Age 20, made persistent approaches, which she always resisted, being a prayerful and spiritual girl. The refusal on the final occasion, led to a frenzied attack with an awl. She died next day, forgiving her attacker. He was sentenced to 30 years in prison,, unrepentant. Maria. Appeared to him while in prison, offering him flowers. This changed him, and on his release his first act was to visit Maria's mother and ask forgiveness.

St Augustine Zhan Rong and Companions – Were 120 Chinese martyrs who suffered between 1648 and 1930. They included European missionaries, such as St Gregory Grassi (1823 to 1930), the Italian born Bishop of North Shanxi martyred during the Boxer Rebellion, and the indigenous Christians, such as St Augustine Zhao Rong, a diocesan priest put to death in 1815. They were canonised by St John Paul II in 2000,

St Anthony – 40th Anniversary

The 40th Anniversary of Establishing a church in Kirriemuir, in honour of St Anthony of Padua falls in 2027. If anyone has an idea of how this could be celebrated, please discuss with Fr Dijo.

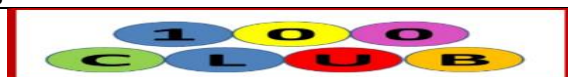
"READ, LEARN AND WIN"

X SECTION: MATTHEW 10:1-42

- 1.How will you become worthy to follow Jesus?
- 2.It is enough for the disciples to be like?
- 3.Where did Jesus send his disciples to preach the Kingdom of heaven?

Answers to last week's Quiz. IX SECTION: MATTHEW 9:1-38

1. The harvest indeed is great but labourers are few.
2. 6
3. Your sins are forgiven.



Results Week 6–28th June

£5 – 32 Maureen Bruce; £10 – 42 Bob Duncan; £20 – 35 Peter Harvey

The draw was made at St Fergus Sunday Mass.

The session is now well underway – subscriptions may be paid direct to Kaye or Geoff or to Fr Dijo in a marked envelope

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