

**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 & Thursday @  
 10am.  
 Each Wednesday – Rosary  
 immediately after Mass  
**Last Wednesday of the month –**  
 Rosary, Exposition of The  
 Blessed Sacrament and  
 Benediction immediately after  
 Mass.



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

**SUNDAY MASS**  
 Sunday at 9-15  
**WEEKDAY MASSES**  
 Tuesday & Friday at 09.30am  
 Each Tuesday – Novena to St  
 Anthony immediately after Mass  
**1<sup>st</sup> Tuesday of the month.**  
 Rosary and Exposition of the  
 Blessed Sacrament immediately  
 after Mass.

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

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 If you wish to make a donation or  
 don't have cash for your offertory,  
 this can be done via the QR code  
 with your phone camera and also  
 allows claim for Gift Aid



**WELCOME TO THE PARISH OF**  
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**Items for Newsletter to:** [fergusandanthonynews@yahoo.com](mailto:fergusandanthonynews@yahoo.com)

19<sup>th</sup> January '25,  
 2<sup>nd</sup> Sunday Yr C  
 in Ordinary Time  
**Children's Liturgy**  
 9<sup>th</sup> February & 9<sup>th</sup>  
 March  
**Second Collection**  
**Today -**  
 None

**First Reading:**

**The Prophet Isiah 62:1-5**  
*The bridegroom rejoices over the bride*

**Psalm 104**

*Proclaim the wonders of The Lord  
 among all the peoples*

**Second Reading:**

**1<sup>st</sup> Corinthians 12:4-11**  
*The one and the same spirit, who apportions to  
 each one individually as he wills*

**The Gospel Acclamation:**

**Alleluia, Alleluia!**  
*God called us through the Gospel, so that we  
 may obtain the glory of the Lord Jesus Christ*  
**Alleluia!**

**The Gospel**

**John 2:1-11**  
*This, the first of his signs,  
 Jesus did at Cana in Galilee*

**Today - Readers & Bidding Prayers:**

**9.15am Mass – Alan Draper**  
**11.15am Mass – Anne Cormie**  
**Next Sunday 26<sup>th</sup> January**  
**3rd Sunday Year C**  
**9.15am Mass – Anne Pender**  
**11.15am Mass – Frances Hampton**  
**Second Collection dates:**  
 26/01 – Building Fund  
 09/02 – Ecclesiastical Students Fund  
 23/02 – Building Fund  
 09/03 - Papal/Episcopal Charities  
 23/03 – Building Fund  
 30/03 – Sciaf Sunday

**Feast, Memorials, Holydays etc.**  
**Tuesday - St Agnes – Memorial**  
**Friday – St Francis de Sales – Memorial**  
**Saturday – The Conversion of St Paul -**  
 Feast

**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.**

**Offertories The Baptism of Our Lord, Yr C**

<b>St Fergus/Anthony Vigil</b>	<b>£172.55</b>
<b>St Fergus Sunday Mass</b>	<b>£104.20</b>
<b>St Anthony Sunday Mass</b>	<b>£94.50</b>
<b>Total (1) =</b>	<b>£371.25</b>

**Donations Total (3) £**

**Fundraising – Total (4) £**

**Total Banked (1,2,3,4) = £671.20**

**Special Collections etc.**

<b>Building Fund Total (4) £</b>	
<b>Second Collection Forfar</b>	<b>£116.50</b>
<b>Second Collection Kirriemuir</b>	<b>£89.51</b>
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<b>Tea/Coffee Forfar</b>	<b>£</b>
<b>Tea/Coffee Kirriemuir</b>	<b>£</b>
<b>Candles Kirriemuir</b>	<b>£50.44</b>
<b>Candles Forfar</b>	<b>£</b>
<b>Flowers Kirriemuir</b>	<b>£</b>
<b>Flowers Forfar</b>	<b>£</b>
<b>Repository Forfar</b>	<b>£</b>
<b>Repository Kirriemuir</b>	<b>£43.50</b>
<b>Missal Sales both Parishes</b>	<b>£</b>
<b>Other Monies Total (2) =</b>	<b>£0.00</b>

**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.**

**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.

**Gift Aid - Please Note** 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 sufficient to cover the donation. Offerings made under Gift Aid allows the church to claim 25p for every £1.00 donated from HMRC. The extra revenue greatly benefits our churches. If you wish to claim, 'Gift Aid', then ask Father to register for Gift Aid and receive envelopes to use every week. Thank you.

 **SICK, DECEASED & ANNIVERSARIES** 

**Please remember in your prayers those who are sick:** Alex Moss, Gerry Quinn, Bruce & Aaron Durning, Irene Moore, Jim Robson, Charles Blackwell, Duncan Fisher, Eileen Morgan, Anne Simmonds, Andrzej Axenti, Annete Fraserburgh, Robin Mathew, Yvonne Cargill, John & Margaret Clowes, Tom Doyle, Doris Donnelly, Suzie McGeachy, Angela McLaughlan.

**The Beloved Recently Departed:** Ann Gunning, Margery Flight

**and those whose anniversaries occur at this time** (month of January) Martin Quigley, Sister Joan Keitch, Helen Philip, William Mitchell, John Gunning, Magda Korabiowska, Colin Johnstone, Margaret Kane, Denis Delaney, Sadie Callan. Jane Divers, Francesco Gargaro, Michele Visocchi, Patrick Regan. Edward Kowalczyk, Helen James, Andrew Simson, Patricia Kowalczyk, Terecia Davidson, Norman Duncan, Agnes Kowalczyk, Charles Lyell.

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

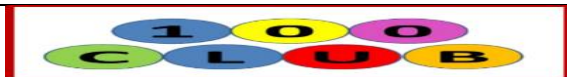
**Children's liturgy** There will be children's liturgy on 9th Feb and 9th March. This is an opportunity for children to listen to the Gospel message at their level and participate in an activity- usually craft. Children go to the back room after the entrance hymn and rejoin their family at the Offertory. All welcome and look forward to seeing you. Parents welcome with anyone feeling a little unsure.

**Angela.**

**Sacramental preparation** Classes have re commenced and will run each Thursday during term time. If weather is looking poor, we will aim to cancel by lunchtime. Please check your WhatsApp messages for cancellations. We are aware that weather conditions vary out with Forfar, and if unable to travel into Forfar due to poor weather, please let us know in plenty of time so we can make a decision regarding cancelling the class. Thank you. **Angela and Karolina.**

**Father Dijo for Home Vacation** Father will be travelling home to India for a holiday on January 28<sup>th</sup> and will be back in the Parish February 28<sup>th</sup>. Coverage for Masses has not yet been finalised but will be published in the Newsletter for 3<sup>rd</sup> Sunday in Ordinary Time, January 26<sup>th</sup>.

**Parish Council Meeting.** The next meeting of the PPC will be held January 21<sup>st</sup> at St Anthony's Hall, Kirriemuir at 7-00pm. All Welcome.



## Results Week 10 – 12th January

(Drawn at St Anthony's)

**£10 No.48 Maureen Charlton; £20 No.41 Zo Korabiowska-Smith ; £25 No.15 Bill Flight;  
£50 No.101 Sheila Kennedy; £100 No.37 Jacquelin Starck;**