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Season of  
*Lent*

*First Sunday of Lent [Year C]*  
*14th February 2016*  
*[Year of St Luke]*



**This week:**

**Monday:** Mass at 9.30 a.m.  
**Tuesday:** Mass in St Paul's Academy at 8.25 a.m.  
No Morning Mass  
Mass at 7.00 p.m.  
Charismatic Prayer Group at 7.30 p.m.  
**Wednesday:** Mass at 9.30 a.m.  
Eucharistic Adoration from after Mass until 3.00 p.m.  
**Thursday:** Mass at 9.30 a.m.  
Episcopal Ordination of Mgr Brian McGhee in Oban at 7.00 p.m.  
**Friday:** Mass in Lawside Convent at 8.30 a.m.  
Liturgy of the Word & Holy Communion at 9.30 a.m.  
**Saturday:** Mass at 9.30 a.m.  
Vigil Mass for Sunday at 6.00 p.m.  
**Sunday:** Mass at 9.30 and 11.00.



**Next Sunday is the Second Sunday in Lent [C]**  
**The Rite of Election and Presentation of Crosses at 11 o'clock Mass for the children preparing for Reconciliation and First Communion**



**PLEASE PRAY FOR:**

For our recently deceased: Bill Reid, Adelle Wilson, Georgette Kidd, Donald Law, Elaine Robertson, Linda Sorbie & Alan Beattie

And for all whose anniversaries occur at this time: Brigid McGovern, Charles Cabrelli, Vena Smith, Ruby Low, Sheila Murphy, Bob Spence, John Deacon, James & Margaret Dailly, Liz Ross, Lizzie Aitken, Jed Cabrelli, Charlie Kelly, Meg Vance, Margaret Nolan, Anne Hume, Betty Murphy & Irene Kiddie

For those sick in hospital: Margaret McBeth, Maurice Kidd, Mairead McCann, Betty McGarry, Luke Devlin, Paul Kirkwood & Jean Geekie.

And all those who are sick or housebound in our parish and receive the Eucharist each Sunday:  
If someone is sick at home, please let Fr Ken or Deacon Charles know.



**COLLECTIONS for February 7th**  
**£1465 [Gift Aid was £798]**  
**THANK YOU for your generosity**



**Next - Second Collection for the Sick and Retired Priests of the Diocese**

**CHILDREN'S LITURGY**

Continues at 11 o'clock Mass each Sunday

Children preparing for Sacraments should collect their attendance stickers after Mass

**EUCCHARISTIC ADORATION**

Eucharistic Adoration every Wednesday from after Mass until 3.00 p.m.

**FR BEATUS FUND RAISING**

Thanks to all who came to our meeting on Monday and those who sent apologies,. A series of events are planned, beginning with a COFFEE MORNING on Saturday 23rd April in the Hall. To date £4300 has been raised thanks to your generous donations.

**DUNKELD LOURDES**

The Dunkeld Lourdes Service is holding a St Patrick's Night on Saturday 19th march in St Leonard and St Fergus Parish Hall at 7.30 p.m., to raise their profile and funds to assist this year's YELLOW T SHIRTS'. Tickets are £5 and available from 01821 64634, or e mail [ruthanne@popbox.com](mailto:ruthanne@popbox.com).

THE PIONEER TOTAL ABSTINENCE ASSOCIATION invite you to take the short-term pledge for Lent.

**TUESDAY EVENING MASS**

On the Tuesdays of Lent, there will be EVENING MASS at 7.00 p.m., as in previous years. Please note that there will be no Morning Mass or Liturgy of the Word on the Tuesdays of Lent.

**DIVINE MERCY DEVOTIONS**

These will take place in the Blessed Sacrament Chapel on Wednesdays Before Morning Mass. There will also be a LENTEN MERCY PRAYER SERVICE IN Wellburn on the Fridays of Lent at 7.00 p.m.

## ***SOME IMPORTANT DIARY DATES***

Thursday 8th February - Consecration of Mgr Brian McGhee as Bishop of Argyll & the Isles in St Columba's Cathedral Oban, at 7.00 p.m. [Please keep Bishop-elect Brian in your prayers. He studied with me in St Patrick's College, Thurles]

Wednesday 17th February—St Paul's RC Academy Burns Supper in Hall

Sunday 21st February- Rite of Election and Presentation of Crosses to Children preparing for the Sacraments, at 11 o'clock Mass.

Sunday 28th February- BINGO in Hall for Wellburn, at 7.00 p.m. Donations of Prizes gratefully received.

Saturday 5th March - **CATHOLIC EDUCATION COMMISSION OPEN FORUM** in St John's High School from 10.00 to 12.45, with Mass at 10.00 a.m. All parents, teachers and those interested in Catholic Education are invited to meet with Archbishop Tartaglia, Present of the CEC, Bishop Stephen, and Michael McGrath, Director of SCES, to discuss recent developments in Catholic Education in Scotland.

Thursday 17th March - Meeting of Cathedral Chapter in Cathedral with Midday Prayer and benediction at 12 noon.

Thursday 17th and Friday 18th March - HIGH SCHOOL MUSICAL, performed by St Peter and St Paul's Primary in St John's High School, at 7.00 p.m. [More details to follow]

Monday 21st and Tuesday 22nd March— WAY OF THE CROSS led by the school in the Church

Tuesday 22nd March - First Reconciliation Celebration at 2.00 p.m.

Wednesday 23rd March - MASS OF CHRISM in St Andrew's cathedral, at 7.00 p.m.

Saturday 23rd April - PARISH COFFEE MORNING in aid of Fr Beatus

Friday 29th April - RACE NIGHT in Hall for St Paul's and St John's India Project.

Thursday 2nd June - **DIOCESAN EDUCATION MASS**, led by St Peter and Paul's in Cathedral at 7.00 p.m.

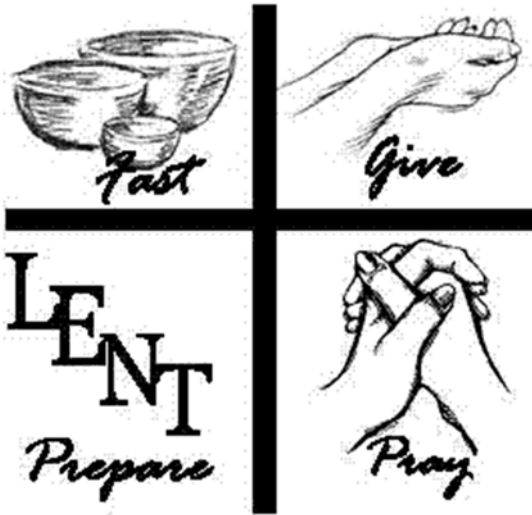
Sunday 5th June - FIRST HOLY COMMUNIONS at 1.00 p.m.

Monday 6th June - CARITAS AWARDS in SECC, Glasgow

Thursday 23rd June - Infant Prize Giving

Friday 24th June - Senior Prizeging

Monday 29th June - Leavers Mass and Presentation of Pope Francis Awards, with Bishop Stephen, at 11.00 a.m.



Three essentials people yearn for are food, independence and affirmation. The need to nourish the body is obvious but the longing to have control over one's life and the longing to be respected as a significant individual, are also very human. Being necessary for survival, these thrusts are so strong in our hearts that any one of them can come to dominate our lives to the exclusion of core values like love and respect for others. The temptation is to give the good instinct unbridled scope and that is the mistake.

Today's gospel is a dramatised report on the struggle for dominance by these human desires in the life of Jesus. The insidious suggestion was that he would misuse divine power to turn stones into bread, exchange personal responsibility over others and tempt providence in search of fame.

Our temptations are less dramatic but they really differ little from those of Jesus in their essentials. Even with half the world hungry, we still want more than our fair share of the good things of life. We may not seek power over nations but we jealously guard our privileges in residential and recreational facilities and never woo the homeless or the travelling people to share them with us. Our need for affirmation often surfaces in our failure to speak the truth in the cause of justice and right, lest others think badly of us.

His 40 days' fast tuned Jesus to be alert to the insidiousness of these instinctual temptations. The danger now is that we are unaware of how much at risk our better personal values are.

Lent is an opportunity to tone up the heart to be sensitive to the call of Jesus in their defence and nurturance.



## SCIAF 2016

### HELPING FAMILIES TO FLOURISH

By giving, reflecting and acting with SCIAF at Lent, our parish is transforming the lives of people like Loko Gufu, a widowed mum of six from Ethiopia. She Said: " My life has begun to flourish like a plant with enough water." You can read her inspiration story at the [www.theweebox.co.uk](http://www.theweebox.co.uk)

Once again, the UK Government has agreed to double donations made to SCIAF WEE BOX BIG CHANGE Lenten Appeal between 5 February and 4th May.

Please make sure you take you Wee Box today if you did not receive it last Sunday. These are returned on Holy Thursday at the Mass of the Lord's Supper.