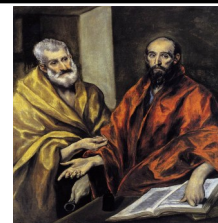




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9th November 2025

**[Dedication of the Lateran Basilica]
REMEMBRANCE SUNDAY**

[Next Sunday is the 33rd Sunday of the Year]



This week's services:

Today: Mass at 10.00 a.m. [Dedication of the Lateran Basilica]

Monday: Mass at 9.30 a.m. [St Leo the Great]

Tuesday: Mass at 9.30 a.m. [St Martin of Tours]

Wednesday: Mass at 9.30 a.m. [St Josaphat]

Adoration until 11.00 a.m.

Thursday: Liturgy of the Word & Holy Communion at 9.30 a.m.

Friday: Liturgy of the Word & Holy Communion at 9.30 a.m.

Mass at 9.30 a.m.

Saturday: Vigil Mass at 6.00 p.m.

Sunday: Mass at 10.00 a.m. [33rd Sunday of the Year]

Next Sunday is World Day of the Poor

Next Sunday begins Catholic Education Week

**There is Mass on Saturday mornings in St Mary's, Lochee
and St Andrews Cathedral at 10.00 a.m.**

Hospital Chaplaincy and Visitation

If you or a loved one is in hospital and wish a visit, the chaplain can be contacted by pager [07821 624124] or through the hospital switchboard on 01382 660111.

Of your charity pray for our recently deceased:

And for all whose anniversaries occur at this time: Catherine McCaffrey, Doreen Brown, John Smith, George Slane & Helen Garvie

and our Sick: Fr Malcolm, Linda & Sam Ewart & Margaret McFarlane

SUNDAY TEAS/COFFEE

Each Sunday after 10 o'clock Mass tea and coffee and cake are available in the parish Centre. The group who organise this see it as opportunity for parishioners to meet for a chat and any

COLLECTIONS

Last Sunday's Collection was £850 with Gift Aid at £304
Second Collection for Catholic Education at Masses next weekend

Gift Aid: Please consider Gift Aiding your collection and/or paying by Standing Order (forms available in the sacristy). Gift Aid donors are reminded that they need to ensure that they have paid sufficient tax to cover claims.

CHILDREN'S LITURGY OF THE WORD

Our Children's; Liturgy of the Word is celebrated each Sunday at 10 o'clock Mass. During the school term

For children from Primary 1 to Primary 4.

Please note the Liturgy is for children who are in P1 to P4 only and they must be registered. Children who are late for Mass should not come to the Liturgy as the leaders will have started . If late, children should remain in the main church.



Mary Meg Wilson reports more on the spiritual adventure of the Diocesan Synodal Team in the Vatican City....

Our tartan scarves (proudly worn) were a great hit and an effective means of making initial introductions to many members of Synodal Teams from other countries. In the Paul VI hall it was inspiring to hear Pope Leo

taking a universal approach in responding to prepared questions from representatives from the 7 continents. There was a great sense of unity and communion with our brothers and sisters from across the world as our pilgrimage took us through the Holy Door into St Peter's Basilica. Participation in the Workshops and Seminars filled us with hope, enthusiasm and inspiration. **WE ARE A MISSIONARY CHURCH.**



CHURCH CLEAN

Thanks to those who clean the Church. The next clean will be Monday 17th November after 9.30 Mass

MARY'S MEALS FOREIGN CURRENCY COLLECTION

A box is at the back of the church for any unused foreign currency that will be donated to Mary's meals.

NEW BANK DETAILS

The Diocese has recently moved all bank accounts to the Bank Of Scotland. The new details for our parish is:

Bank of Scotland— Direct Business Banking

Account :St Peter and Paul

Sort Code is 802260

Account : 28042063 02

All Direct Debits will be transferred automatically, If our have Standing Order, please speak to Fr Ken or Ben for more details.

DIOCESE OF DUNKELD SOCIAL MEDIA

Stay connected with our Diocese!

Follow the Diocese of Dunkeld Facebook page for the latest news, events, updates, and stories from across our parishes and communities. It's a great way to keep in touch with what's happening in the wider Diocese and to share in the life of the Church together.

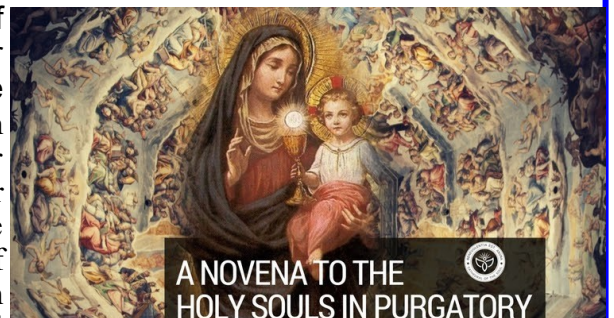
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NOVEMBER - MONTH OF THE HOLY SOULS



November is the month of the Holy Souls. November Lists and envelopes are now available. Please return the list with your November offerings. The names of our beloved dead will be remembered in a novena of Masses throughout the month of November. Since the dead



can no longer pray for themselves it is important that we, their relatives, friends and benefactors pray for them that they are at peace.

Please join SPUC Dundee for a Christmas Coffee Morning in St Columba's hall (Derwent Ave) after the 9am Mass on Saturday 22nd November. Tombola, bottle stall, Christmas crafting table, Christmas cake raffle and lots more. We're open til 11.45am. Adults £1, kids 50p

BINGO BINGO BINGO

St John's High invite you to Bingo in our Parish Centre on Tuesday 18th November. Eyes Down at 7.00 p.m. In Aid of school Funds. Donations of prizes welcome



CHILDREN'S SACRAMENTS

"And people were bringing children to him that he might touch them, but the disciples rebuked them. When Jesus saw this he became indignant and said to them, 'Let the children come to me; do not prevent them, for the kingdom of God belongs to such as these. Amen, I say to you, whoever does not accept the kingdom of God like a child will not enter it.' Then he embraced them and blessed them, placing his hands on them" (Mark 10:13-16). When Pope St. Pius X lowered the age for First Holy Communion from twelve to the age of discretion (around seven) in 1910 he expressed his hope that children who have received First Holy Communion would be regularly PARTICIPATING IN THEIR PARISHES.

We need to be mindful of the needs of our children. Not only are they the future of our Church, they are her present. Children celebrating their first sacraments is an opportunity for parents to look at their lives and see what they want for themselves and their children.

If you are not going to be a practicing Catholic family there does not seem much point to force your kids through all the preparation involved for the sacraments. It would appear a contradiction in your lives. Saying one thing but doing the opposite. The sacraments are for those who have faith in Jesus and live that faith with others in the community. We go to mass not because we are obliged but to celebrate the resurrection of Jesus, his presence among us giving us strength to continue the mass in our daily lives. As part of their preparation for the sacraments the children must be participating at mass.

The parish and school community want to make it very clear; if your child is a candidate for any of the sacraments in 2026 they must be participating regularly at Mass now and not watching on line. A meeting of parents will be notified shortly.

PARISH Instruction in the faith (RCIA)

In the Little Chapel, for all those who have already approached Deacon Jim or Fr Ken and any others who are considering becoming Catholics.

The invitation is also extended to those who wish to develop and deepen their knowledge and understanding of their faith.

And those who may wish to become catechists and would like to help with the classes in future.

The next meeting is this Tuesday from 6.00 to 7.00 in the Little Chapel.

Any questions please speak to Deacon Jim.

MASS AND PRAYERS FOR VOCATIONS

There is a Mass offered each month to pray for an increase of priestly and religious vocations and for our priests, and a Holy Hour before it.

It is in the Immaculate Conception, Lochee on 2nd Tuesday of the month - Holy Hour 6pm, Holy Mass, 7pm.

The next one is this Tuesday 11th November. All are most welcome

ANNUAL MASS FOR THE DECEASED BISHOPS, PRIEST AND DEACONS
St Andrew's Cathedral
Friday 21st November
1.00 p.m.

Our school are closed for in service this Thursday and Friday.
The priests are also having in service this week in St Mary's, Kinnoull.