ST CLEMENT'S RC CHURCH

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THIRTY THIRD SUNDAY OF THE YEAR – A. 19TH NOVEMBER 2023 WORLD DAY OF THE POOR

Sunday Mass:	11.00 am
Weekday Mass: Tue & Thu:	09.00 am
Wed: St Clement's Feast Mass in the school Hall:	02.00 pm
Sat –Holy Mass in the Convent:	10.00 am

ST. NINIAN'S

Vigil (Saturday):	6.00 pm
Confession (Saturday):	5.15 – 5.45 pm
Sunday Mass:	9.30 am
Weekdays Mass: Mon & Wed	10.00 am
Friday: Funeral Mass	10.00 am

FEAST AND MEMORIAL

Thu 21st Nov: The Presentation of the Blessed Virgin Mary -Memorial Wed 22nd Nov: St Cecilia - Memorial Thu 23rd Nov: St Clement - Feast

Fri 24th Nov: St Andrew Dung Lac & Companions – Memorial

NEXT SUNDAY 26TH NOVEMBER 2023: SOLEMNITY OF OUR LORD JESUS CHRIST, KING OF THE UNIVERSE; YEAR - A

SICK & ANNIVERSARIES:

Please pray for all sick in our parish especially Bishop Robson's mother, Marjory, Mary Butchart, James Henderson Jnr, Monsignor Basil O'Sullivan, Fr Johney's sister Rosily, Esther Sinclair & Pauline Johnson. Our Lady of Lourdes, pray for them.

Please remember in your prayers those who have died recently Grazia Wood and whose anniversaries occur about this time

Eternal rest grant unto them, O Lord, and let perpetual light shine upon them: may they rest in peace. Amen

Contributions:

Sunday Collection: £.371.30 Many thanks and God's blessings to all for your generosity.

200 Club (St Ninian) Winners: 12/11/23 No. 193 G. Dignan.

Tea and Coffee being served today in Hospitality area.

Special Collection for the Catholic Education Service will be taken on next Sunday. Your generous donation is highly appreciated.

Christmas Giving Tree:

It's time, once again, for our **Christmas Giving Tree** It is available in the porch, from today please take a tag (1 or 2). This year we would appreciate donations of sweets, children's toys and vouchers. If you can return your gifts by Sunday 16th December. As usual the gift will be given to the school and distributed to the families who would appreciate our support.

RIP Grazia Wood: Funeral Mass and service will be held on Friday 24th November in St Ninian's at 10.00 am. Interment thereafter in Balgay. She was called for her internal life on 15th November. May her soul rest in Peace!

Thanks: Thanks to everyone who came to the beautiful Month's Mind Mass for Fr John Mundackal. Thanks to all who helped in any way to make it so special.

Thursday Café at CCs: St Ninian's: We will be serving up soup and toasties on Thursday 23rd November at 12.30 and soup and stovies on 30th November. If you would like to join us

for **stovies**, there will be a sign-up sheet at the back of the church next weekend.

Ecumenical Advent Prayer Service and Candle Procession

We come together in prayer, worship and song in preparation for Christmas on Wednesday 6 December at 7pm in St Ninian's. This will be our first parish led Ecumenical Service and part of our Journeying Together programme as we follow the synodal path. We are delighted that visitors from two local Church of Scotland parishes and their ministers have agreed to take part. So please keep this date free so that as many of us as possible can be there to meet and greet our fellow Christians. If you have any family members, neighbours or friends, of another or no religion at all, please invite them along as well and make this a truly service of friendship and belonging as we prepare well to welcome Christ into our hearts this Christmas.

SPUC Christmas Coffee Morning: It will be held on Saturday 25th November from 10.45am – 12.30pm at St Andrew's Cathedral Hall. Please see poster.

LOURDES 2024 NURSING TEAM: We are looking to build a Nursing team to support our Hospital pilgrims in Lourdes next year. Are you a Registered Nurse who could help in a Nursing role, recently retired nurse or have healthcare experience and would like to be part of the team. I would love to hear from anyone who would like to know more about joining the team for next year. Fares for 2024 will be part subsidised depending on monies raised from fundraising. Please email

mrskimberleyblack@hotmail.com message or call- Kimberley 07947837289

Interreligious Dialogue Colloquium: A two-part event on the role of religious experience in interreligious dialogue led by Professor Will Storar. Those who are interested online or residential event please register. See website or scan the QR code given in the poster. Website:

www.interreligiousdialogue.org.uk/colloquim/

Action Required - Response to Scottish Government consultation: Guidance on the Delivery of Relationships, Sexual Health and Parenthood (RSHP) Education in Scottish Schools. You can read and respond using the given online website and link. You can read the revised document here: Delivery of relationships, sexual health and parenthood education in Scottish schools: draft guidance - gov.scot (www.gov.scot) Then to respond online:

Follow this link and complete the consultation on line.

PSALM RESPONSE: O blessed are those who fear the Lord!

If you have anything you wish to include in the Newsletter Please give it to Fr J. Raphael e-mail stclement@dunkelddiocese.org.uk or contact Margaret Taylor 01382 622703, email evenings ciaomargaret@icloud.com by Thursday.

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