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## **FIFTH SUNDAY OF EASTER; YEAR-C: 18<sup>TH</sup> MAY 2025**

**Vigil (Saturday): 5.00 pm**

*Confession (Saturday): No Confession*

**Sunday Mass: 9.30 am**

**Weekday Mass: Monday 10.00 am**

**Wednesday: No Holy Mass**

**Friday: Holy Mass: 10.00 am**

**St Clement's**

**Sunday Mass: 11.00 am**

**Weekday Mass: Tue: 9.00 am**

**Thu: No Holy Mass**

**Sat: Holy Mass in the convent chapel: 10.00 am**

### **FEASTS/MEMORIALS**

## **NEXT SUNDAY 25<sup>TH</sup> MAY: SIXTH SUNDAY OF EASTER: YEAR-C**

### **SICK & ANNIVERSARIES:**

*Please pray for all sick in our parish especially Bishop Robson, May McGeary, Catherine Reid, Kathleen Wilson, Lusie, Brian Murphy, Lizzie Ward, Monsignor Basil O'Sullivan, Betty Saunders, Pamela Herron, Maureen Walker, Rosily (Fr. Johney's sister), Cath & George Adam, Dennis, Mary Mitchell, Mary Falconer Arnie Scott Isobel McKinnis & Karen Martin. Our Lady of Lourdes, pray for them.*

*Please remember in your prayers those who have recently died and whose anniversaries occur this time. Irene Maguire and George Webster.*

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

### **Sunday Collections:**

*Last Sunday Collection: £574.25.*

*Many thanks and God's blessings to all for your generosity.*

**Coffee/Tea.** Please enjoy a coffee/tea and toast after Mass in the church hall on Sundays. Thank you very much for all those who are involved in serving tea/coffee to our faithful.

**200 Club Winners: 03/05/2025, No. 17 P. HERRON.**

**.Diocesan Youth Initiative:** A new diocesan youth initiative – **the Dunkeld Youth Association** – will be launched by Bishop Andrew and Father Michael Ngobili at the **Cathedral during the 6pm Mass on Sunday 25 May**, and thereafter at a social event in the Cathedral Hall. The age group is 18-30 years.

### **CONVERSATIONS IN THE SPIRIT.**

**SYNODALITY** is now the way forward for our church in the 21<sup>st</sup> Century. Bishop Andrew has written to all Parish Priests inviting them to lead 3 conversations in the spirit with parishioners before Pentecost asking for our help so he can plan a way forward towards a more participative,

synodal Diocese where all voices are heard and listened to as together, we build a truly Christian and inclusive community in Dunkeld Diocese with Christ at the centre. A number of Parishes have already begun this process. Fr. Johney has emailed from India to ask Maureen Ruddy to organise dates for our conversations. Our meetings will be on Tuesdays 20<sup>th</sup> and 27<sup>th</sup> May and 3<sup>rd</sup> and 10<sup>th</sup> June. In St. Ninians church hall at 7pm.

Even if you can only manage one conversation that will be wonderful. Text Maureen on 07766886080 or add your name to the list at the back of the church if you wish to join in and if you need transport. **ALL ARE WELCOME.**

Also, for those under 18's considering the priesthood Bishop Andrew will meet in **St Andrew's Cathedral Hall on Friday June 20<sup>th</sup> at 7pm** for a chat about the priesthood and pizza."

**Dunkeld Diocesan Lourdes Pilgrimage:** The pilgrimage has medical team and a group of helpers who assist those pilgrims who would otherwise be unable to go to Lourdes. We unexpectedly have an opening for such a pilgrim to join us from 7<sup>th</sup> to 14<sup>th</sup> of July 2025. If you or someone you know would like to make this pilgrimage and would benefit from our help please contact [dunkeld@pobox.com](mailto:dunkeld@pobox.com) or call Ruth Anne on 07801 227 443.

**Your assistance required - Catholic House of Prayer Iona.** The Catholic House of Prayer on Iona is looking to recruit a general assistant to help run the house from July this year for 2 or more months. Accommodation & good rate of pay provided. The role involves changeovers and cooking. More information from Jane Kindlen [mail@catholic-iona.com](mailto:mail@catholic-iona.com) or 01681 700369"

**Afternoon Tea at CC's – Thursday 22<sup>nd</sup>.**

**Strawberry tarts are back!** Made with fresh local strawberries. Join us for tea, treats, and good company. All Welcome! Text Margret to book your place on 07917461640.

**PSALM RESPONSE: I will bless your name for ever, my God and king.**