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## **SIXTH SUNDAY OF EASTER; YEAR-C: 25<sup>TH</sup> MAY 2025**

**Vigil (Saturday):** 5.00 pm  
**Confession (Saturday):** 04.15-04.45pm  
**Sunday Mass:** 9.30 am  
**Weekday Mass: Mon, Wed & Fri:** 10.00 am  
**Wed: Ascension Vigil Mass:** 05.00 pm  
**Thursday: Ascension Mass** 09.30 am  
**Sat: First Holy Communion Mass:** 11.00 am

### **St Clement's**

**Sunday Mass:** 11.00 am  
**Weekday Mass: Tue:** 9.00 am  
**Thu: Ascension Mass in the School Hall:** 02.00 pm  
**Sat: Holy Mass in the convent chapel:** 10.00 am

### **FEASTS/MEMORIALS**

**Mon 26<sup>th</sup> May: St. Philip Neri – Memorial**  
**Thu 29<sup>th</sup> May: The Ascension of the Lord – Solemnity**  
*(Holy Day of Obligation)*  
**Sat 31<sup>st</sup> May: The Visitation of the Blessed Virgin Mary - Feast**

## **NEXT SUNDAY 1<sup>ST</sup> JUNE: SEVENTH SUNDAY OF EASTER: YEAR-C (WORLD Communications Day)**

### **SICK & ANNIVERSARIES:**

*Please pray for all sick in our parish especially Bishop Robson, May McGeary, Catherine Reid, Kathleen Wilson, Lusua, 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. Our Lady of Lourdes, pray for them.*

*Please remember in your prayers those who have recently died and whose anniversaries occur this time especially.  
 Eternal rest grant unto them, O Lord, and let perpetual light shine upon them: may they rest in peace. Amen*

**Fr. Abraham Joseph CST** has come to our diocese for pastoral ministry. He belongs to the same Society of Fr Johney & Fr. Dijo. Most welcome and Best wishes!

### **Sunday Collections:**

*Last Sunday Collection: £604.79  
 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.

**First Holy Communion:** Seventeen children from St Ninian's and three from other schools are getting ready for their First Holy Communion on Saturday 31<sup>st</sup> May at 11 am. Your prayers and presence are highly valued.

**Special Collection for 'The Apostolate of Communications'** will be taken up next weekends.

**CCs:** The next date for Afternoon Tea is Thursday 29<sup>th</sup> May. Strawberry tarts are back! Made with fresh local strawberries. Join us for tea, treats, and good company. All Welcome! Text Margaret to book your place on 07917461640

### **Synodality: Conversations in the Spirit**

Thank you to the 12 parishioners from both parishes who came along to hear about the process of the 3 'Conversations in the Spirit' Bishop Andrew has asked every parish priest to hold before Pentecost. These conversations will help us grow in faith and understanding as we, missionary disciples, travel the road together towards the Kingdom. Twenty two parishioners have already signed up for the first conversation on **Tuesday 27 May at 7pm** in the Church Hall to listen, pray and dialogue in groups. The question for discussion is: **What is the Holy Spirit (who speaks to us in our hearts and through other people) asking of the Church in our diocese? Please feel free to join us if you would like to take part.**

**Children's Liturgy of the Word:** *During the summer months you may find the Children's Liturgy group outside in the Mary Garden at 9:30 Mass. Should you arrive late then please bring your child round to join us.*

**CC Juniors:** *Cc Juniors will be meeting at 3:15 on Thursday 19th June when the Park Ranger will be coming to visit us! Should be lots of fun!*

**St Mary's Restoration Fundraising Event:** An Evening with Johnny Mack, Music from the 50's to the 00's, A St Mary's Restoration Fundraiser, Saturday 7th June@ 7.30pm, Tickets £7 on sale at St Mary's Loch, or through Eventbrite via QR Code given in the poster.

**Vocations to Priesthood:** 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."

**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.

**Diocese of Dunkeld Education Mass:** This takes place on Thursday 5th June, in St. Andrew's Cathedral, Dundee, at 7pm.

**Dunkeld Diocesan Lourdes Pilgrimage:** The Dunkeld Diocesan Lourdes Pilgrimage Committee will hold their pre-Lourdes Mass in St Leonard & Fergus Church on Tuesday 24<sup>th</sup> of June at 7pm. There will be refreshments in the Church Hall after Mass and all are welcome.

### **PSALM RESPONSE:**

*Let the peoples praise you, O God; let all the peoples praise you.*