

ROSARY ON THE COAST



Many thanks to all those who braved the cold North Sea breeze last Sunday afternoon to be part of a truly wonderful event. We were joined by parishioners from Dundee, Cupar, Montrose, Brechin, Perth and Blairgowrie, as we linked up with thousands around the British Isles, to pray the rosary. Thanks also to the "tea ladies" of St. Thomas' who provided a much needed hot cuppa afterwards in the hall.

IN GOD'S IMAGE Following complete acceptance of the recommendations of the McLellan Commission, the Bishops of Scotland have decreed that the new safeguarding policy, 'In God's Image' will be normative for all dioceses. Bishop Stephen recently signed a decree stating that from 21st May the new document will come into force. Leaflet are available in the churches giving more information about the new procedures. The leaflet can be downloaded from the diocesan website. The document can be accessed via the Bishops' Conference website: www.bcos.org.uk (under the Safeguarding tab). The Scottish Catholic Safeguarding Service website also contains more information: www.scsafeguarding.org.uk

Sixth Sunday of Easter

6th May 2018

*Next Sunday: Seventh Sunday of Easter
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Welcome to the Parishes of
St. Thomas of Canterbury, Arbroath;
St. Anne, Carnoustie
and St. Bride, Monifieth

Sunday Masses

Vigil Mass on Saturday at 5 p.m. in St. Bride's
Mass at 10 a.m. in St. Anne's
Mass at 10.45 a.m. in St. Thomas'
Mass at 11.30 a.m. in St. Bride's

Sacrament of Reconciliation—this week

St. Thomas': Monday 6.15—6.45 p.m.
St. Anne's: on request before Sunday Mass
St. Bride's: Saturday 4 to 4.30 p.m.

MASSES THIS WEEK

Monday 7th May

9.30 a.m. in St. Anne's 10.30 a.m. in St. Bride's 7 p.m. in St. Thomas

Tuesday 8th May

9.30 a.m. in St. Anne's 10 a.m. in St. Thomas' 10.30 a.m. in St. Bride's

Wednesday 9th May

10 a.m. in St. Thomas

Vigil Mass for the Ascension at 6.30 p.m. in St. Mary's Home and 7 p.m. in St. Anne's

Thursday 10th May—Solemnity of the Ascension of the Lord—Holy Day of Obligation

**9.30 a.m. in St. Anne's 11 a.m. in St. Bride's
2 p.m. in St. Thomas' Primary School
4.30 p.m. in St. Bride's 7 p.m. in St. Thomas'**

Friday 11th May

9.30 a.m. in St. Anne's 10 a.m. in St. Thomas' 10.30 a.m. in St. Bride's

Saturday 12th May

9.30 a.m. in St. Bride's 10 a.m. in St. Thomas'

Please pray for those who are sick: Bishop Vincent Logan, Jane Higgins, George Hill, Eddie Lebida, Jessie Low, Alison Oakes, Debbie McArthur, George Kelbie, Cathie McLean, Ailsa McIntosh, James McDonald, John McKee, Laura Bennett, Cathie Walls, Duane Joseph, Father Luke Fong, Frank Osborne, Annie McCormack, Marie Fenton, William Docherty, Annie McKenzie, Helen Lukas, Joan and Mick Gartland, Janet Howie, Helen Blyth, Moira Fallone, Irene Burton, Rea Beattie, Norma McAra, Riley Johnston, Marion Jones, David Allardice, Adam Rennie, Margaret Spink, Tom Tait, Ina Stuart, Teresa Ritchie, Kim Scott, Gerard Lukas, Frances Toshney, Isabel Carroll, Peggy McGhee, Wendy Wilcox, Marjorie Robson (Bishop Stephen's mother), Vera Swifte, Craig and Kerry McFadyen, Father Jim McCrudden, Father Andrew Clark, Carine Hill, Bernard Colvin, Sister Marie Claver LSP, Brian Duncan, Mgr. Kenneth McBride, Baby Emily Irvine, Richard Fish, Tony Sequitin Osorio, Laura Duncan.

those who have died recently: Robert Meikle, David Murphie,

and those whose anniversaries fall at this time: Elizabeth Russell, Graeme Robertson, Catherine Fulton, Stewart Chalmers, Filomena Appolinari, Elizabeth Beattie, Peter Mann, Margaret Marnie, James Cunningham, Mary Gaffney, Angus Burnett, Josephine Dowie, Sarah Cox, Ann Smith, John Gethins, William Gordon, Ken Barnett, Adelaide Foley, May Montgomerie, Hugh Cairnie, Guilia Becci, Violet Fraser.

FORTHCOMING EVENTS

Thursday 10th May: Solemnity of the Ascension of the Lord, Holy Day of Obligation

Tuesday 22nd May: "The Claim", a film about Bl. Oscar Romero shown in St. Bride's Hall

Saturday 26th May at 12 noon: First Holy Communions in St. Bride's

Sunday 27th May at 10.45 a.m.: First Holy Communions in St. Thomas'

Thursday 31st May at 7 p.m.: In Praise of Our Lady—An evening of hymns and reflections in honour of Our Lady, in St. Bride's.

Sunday 3rd June at 3 p.m.: Diocesan Blessed Sacrament Procession, Lawside Convent Chapel and grounds.

Thursday 7th June at 7 p.m.: Annual Education Mass in St. Andrew's Cathedral, Dundee.

Thursday 28th June at 7 p.m.: Ordination to the priesthood of Rev. Andrew Marshall, St. Andrew's Cathedral, Dundee.

Friday 29th June: Solemnity of Ss. Peter and Paul, Holy Day of Obligation.

Saturday 30th June at 10 a.m.: Mass of Thanksgiving offered by newly ordained Fr. Andrew Marshall in St. Andrew's Cathedral, Dundee

Many thanks for your continued generosity in the parishes. The offertory collections last Sunday were: £797 in Monifieth, £427 in Carnoustie and £413 in Arbroath.

ST. ANNE'S CURRY NIGHT Tri parish Social Curry night in St Anne's on **Friday 18th May at 7pm**. Tickets £5, children free, all welcome. Tickets on sale at the back of the church or phone Margaret McKinlay (07729504820 or 01241 852002) or phone Sheena Barnett 07938922717. Raffle prizes for this event will be much appreciated.

HOLY HOUR OF DEVOTION TO MARY, MOTHER AND QUEEN OF FAMILIES will take place in St Andrew's Cathedral, Dundee, on **Sunday, 13th May, at 2.30 p.m.**

LEGION OF MARY in Scotland celebrates its 90th anniversary this year. To celebrate there will be a pilgrimage to Carfin Grotto on **Sunday 20th May**. Archbishop Tartaglia will celebrate Mass at 3 p.m. Buses will leave Ward Road, Dundee at 12 noon. To reserve a place please contact Margaret Caswell on 01382 224098.

ST. ANNE'S PRAYER GROUP We have a small group of ladies who meet on the first Tuesday of every month to pray for our children and families. This is held after morning Mass and lasts about forty minutes. If you are interested please contact Wendy Stewart either in person or just turn up. You will be most welcome.

CHRISTIAN AID COFFEE MORNING Saturday 19th May from 10am until 12 noon in Town Mission, Arbroath. Tickets can be had from Monica Clark and Mary Taylor £1.50. St. Thomas' are looking after the teas/coffees this year, so donations of biscuits and tombola prizes would be much appreciated. There will be a box in St. Thomas' porch for any donations.

ST. THOMAS' CHURCH CLEANING Next church big clean will be Saturday 26th May after morning Mass in readiness for First Communions on the 27th May, a big thank you in advance to those who will come along.

SWIZZLE SISTERS CONCERT The recent concert in St. Thomas' raised £859. Many thanks to all who supported this evening of entertainment. Thanks also to Ronnie Deas and his team for all their hard-work.

HOLY ROSARY During this month of May, the rosary will be recited in St. Thomas' half an hour before each weekday Mass. There is also rosary in St. Bride's every Tuesday at 5.30 p.m. and after Saturday morning Mass.

ST. BRIDE'S HALL Work will begin tomorrow to replace the current flooring in the hall. It is hoped that this work will only take a couple of weeks. The hall will therefore be out of commission during this time.

"THE CLAIM" is a recent Swiss television produced documentary about the life of Blessed (soon to be St.) Oscar Romero of who was the archbishop of El Salvador. The film will be shown in St. Bride's Hall on **Tuesday 22nd May, tea/coffee from 6.30pm, with the film beginning at 7pm. To book a place please email tmcgoldrick@sciaf.org.uk or put your name on the list in one of the churches.**