

St John the Baptist's, Perth

SUNDAY MASS in St JOHN'S
4pm (Saturday Vigil)
& on Sunday
9am, 11am, 6.30pm

WEEKDAYS MASSES (or as announced) □
Monday - 6pm
Tuesday 10am & 7pm
Thursday 10am
Friday 10am

CONFESsion
Tuesday 6pm
Adoration and Confession
(before 7pm Mass)

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08th February 2026

5th Sunday of Year A

First reading: Isaiah 58:6-10

Psalm Response:

A light rises in the darkness for the upright.

Second reading: 1 Corinthians 2:1-5

Acclamation: I am the light of the world, says the Lord; whoever follows me will have the light of life.
Alleluia.

Gospel: Matthew 5:13-16

THOUGHT FOR THE MONTH

“Christians are called, through their Baptism, to see and honour the image of God in each human being...”

EXCERPT FROM: ‘IN GOD’S IMAGE’ 2021
Noreen Hickey Parish Safeguarding Coordinator

PRAYERS

Please remember in your prayers for those who are sick at this time. Please pray for the repose of the soul of Hugh McKenzie who has died recently and for all whose anniversaries occur about this time. **May their souls, and the souls of all the faith departed, rest in peace. Amen.**

EMERGENCY AND SICK CALLS

In the case of emergencies or sick calls – contact Hospital Chaplain – 07842 538056.

Vocations Evening

Do you sense a call to serve God and His people in the Priesthood? If so, please come along to the Vocations Evening in St Andrew’s Cathedral, Church Hall, Dundee DD1 4EA.

Two evenings - Under 18's Sunday 8th February starting at 7pm finishing 8pm; over 18's Sunday 15th February starting at 7pm finishing 8pm. For more information, please contact Fr Jim Walls, Diocesan Vocations Director stmaryslochee@dunkelddiocese.org.uk or 01382 611282.

Mass For The Sick/Anointing

There will be Mass for the sick/anointing on Tuesday, February 17 during the 10am Mass. There will be tea/coffee in the hall after the Mass.

Second Collection

There will be a second collection at all Masses this weekend, 7th/8th February, in support of the Ecclesiastical Students Fund.

Toilets

Children who require to use the bathroom should be accompanied at all times by a parent/guardian. Many thanks for your cooperation.

THIS WEEK'S SCHEDULE

DAY	DATE	MASS INTENTION	FEAST/MEMORIAL	EVENT	TIME
SATURDAY	07/02/26	Molly Miller+	5 th Sunday of the Year A		4pm
SUNDAY	08/02/26	Cissie Houston+ Madge McFadden+ Hugh McKenzie+	5 th Sunday of the Year A		9am 11am 6.30pm
MONDAY	09/02/26	Mora Anyaso	Feria		6pm
TUESDAY	10/02/26	Michael Nwachukwu Chinonso Okwara	St Scholastica	Confession, Exposition/Mass	10am 6-7pm 7pm
WEDNESDAY	11/02/26				
THURSDAY	12/02/26	Frank Carrie+	Feria		10am
FRIDAY	13/02/26	People of the parish	Feria		10am

Foodbank

The monthly collection of non-perishable foods for the Foodbank will take place on the first Sunday of each month. There will also be bacon rolls available after 11am Mass on that day – with a suggested donation £2.50 each, all proceeds going towards food for the Foodbank.

Parish Shop

The Parish Shop is open after the 11am Mass on Sundays, offering prayer books, First Communion and Confirmation cards.

RCIA UPDATE

The Rite of Christian Initiation of Adults (RCIA) is the official process by which the Roman Catholic Church welcomes and integrates adults into the faith. The Parish RCIA programme began on Wednesday 28th January 2026.

If anyone else is interested in learning more, they are invited to attend the next session in the Church Hall on Wednesday evenings at 6.30pm. The point of contact is Bill Millar on 07801 575049. Please note that earlier editions of the bulletin had been supplied an incorrect telephone number.

Dunkeld Lourdes Pilgrimage

15th—22nd July 2026.

Bishop Andrew will lead the Diocesan pilgrimage to Lourdes this summer. This is a diocesan event and your presence would make it all the richer.

Direct flights and transfers, full board and a Diocesan programme are included from £969. There is also plenty of free time to allow you to enjoy the pilgrimage.

Further details and booking can be found here
https://joewalshtours.co.uk/pilgrimages/group_diocesanpilgrimages/dunkeld-diocesan-pilgrimage-to-lourdes/

If you require a little extra support there are also places in the Accueil with an army of volunteers. Please email dunkeld@pobox.com or phone 07801 227 443 for more information.

**Tea and Coffee after
the 11am Mass on Sunday
and 10am Mass on Tuesdays
ALL WELCOME**