

ST FRANCIS ABERDEEN. 10TH MARCH 2024. 4TH SUNDAY OF LENT. SC005122.

Mond 11th March: Mass at 10.00am.

Tuesd 12th March: Mass at 10.00am.

Wedn 13th March: Mass at 10.00am.

Thurs 14th March: Mass at 10.00am. *Alpha* 7.00pm to 8.00pm. Knowing God even better.

Frid 15th March: Mass at 10.00am. Station Mass *Sacred Heart Torry*. Preacher Deacon Douglas.
(Confessions 6pm. Stations of the Cross 6.30pm. Mass at 7.00pm)

Satur 16th March: Mass at 10.00am. Confirmations.

Sund 17th March: Masses at 11.00am and 6.00pm.

Offertory: £985. Sunday 03rd March. Charity Box: £150. Very Many thanks. And thanks to those who gift-aid their contribution. If you are a taxpayer, 20% of your contribution can be reclaimed.

Between this Sunday and until Lent begins, monies now raised in the wooden box will go *SCIAF*.
Scottish Catholic International Aid Fund.

We continue with our *Alpha* presentation on Thursday 7.00pm till 8.00pm. Topic: David Payne
Knowing the Father's Love.

On Friday 22nd March St Francis Parish celebrates the final *Lenten Station* Mass.

We are keen to have young people reading at Mass. Please let *Gloria Adebo* know if you would like to volunteer or you may put your names and details on the notice-board. We hope to set up a rota.

Robert Gordon's University have a Catholic Mass every Wed in Riverside Building. Details from Fr. Emmet O'Dowd on eod@rcda.scot. Or Instagram rgucathsoc.

See *poster* in church: You may wish to send a postcard (free at back of church) to your M.P., asking them to support a law change to lower the abortion time limit

Mother's Day Song

1. O what can I give to my mother, O what would she like for a gift,
Today I will lighten her burdens, Ill brighten her day with a kiss.

Chorus: My mum, my mum, she's just like an angel to me, to me,
My mum, my mum, she never stops thinking of me

2. O what can I give to my mother, she's just like the angels above,
I'll give her a bouquet of flowers, these blossoms will show her my love. Chorus
3. At night I kneel down in the evening, after I've climbed up the stairs,
My mother joins me at the bedside, That's how she taught me my prayers. Chorus.

*For those wishing to make a **Sunday Offering**, you may wish to pay directly to the Bank.
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Sort-Code 80-05-17. Many thanks to those who do Gift-Aid. You may make a direct debit, or
put the envelopes into the Offertory Collection. There are gift-Aid envelopes for single use
donations at the back of the church.*

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