

Your Charitable Prayers are Requested

For those who are sick at home or in hospital:

Nicky McKendrick
May Fitzsimons
Annie Turkington

Jim Lochrie
Jim McGee
Margaret Campbell
Hugh O'Donnell

We extend our sympathy and assurance of our prayers to the bereaved of those who have died from our Parish:

Lately dead – may they rest in peace:

Jamie Canavan
Norah McCluskey

Jean Smith

In our charity, we remember those whose anniversary occur around now:

Months Mind:

Kleen Egan 6mm

Anniversaries:

John McCann
James Differ
Hugh Differ
Anne Watters
Pat Daley
Hannah Waters

Peter McAtee
Kathleen McAtee Limond
Pat Reynolds
Annie McKay
Annie Christie Lovat

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PARISH BULLETIN

Fifth Sunday of Lent

29 March 2009

As we gather together as a community of God's people to celebrate Eucharist together, like the Greek in the Gospel reading today 'we want to see Jesus'. We pray that we may be inspired by Christ's love and guided by his example.

Holy Mass

Saturday Vigil:	6:00pm
Sunday:	9:30am & 11:40am
Monday to Saturday:	10:00am
Holidays of Obligation:	Vigil: 7:00pm, 10:00am & 7:00pm
Confession:	Saturdays after 10.00am & 6:00pm Mass or by arrangement.

Season of Lent

On Mondays to Fridays of Lent there will be an additional Mass at 8.15am. We have a fine tradition in Croy Parish of making the effort of going to Mass during Lent. Please encourage your family to keep this tradition alive !

On the Fridays of Lent after 10am Mass Station of The Cross. On Monday evenings of Lent Night Prayer and Benediction 7pm.

SCIAF

SCIAF Boxes are available in the porch for their Lenten Campaign. Boxes can be returned anytime after Holy Thursday.

Second Collection

The second collection today is for the Sick and Retired Priests of The Archdiocese.

CEILIDH NIGHT—The Friends of Blairs

In support of Fr Martin Chambers' Ecuadorean Mission. Friday 24 April 7.30-Midnight Holy Cross Hall, Crosshill Glasgow.

Tickets only £7 Includes Buffet. BYOB Tickets from Brian McGuire 737785

New Parochial Hall

The hall is now open for bookings .It is your hall and is there for you to use. It is suitable for family functions, birthday parties, wedding receptions etc. Unfortunately, it will not be available for 18th or 21st birthday parties.

For full terms and conditions and booking application form contact the Parochial House.

Hall Committee

Meeting Thursday 2nd April 7.00pm Parochial House.

Lentfest

The Play **Paul** will take place in the new Parochial Hall on Saturday 4 April after Mass. Tickets on sale now only £5.A few tickets are still available please contact Fr Paul. The Archbishop is coming to Croy to see the play.

Easter Duties

Ash Wednesday begins the period during which the faithful are required to fulfil their “Easter Duty “

Once admitted to the blessed Eucharist, each of the faithful is obliged to receive Holy Communion at least once a year.

This precept must be fulfilled during paschal time, unless for a good reason it is fulfilled at another time during the year.

The Waterways Trust Scotland

Walk and learn – find out about your local area and get exercise, free guided walks for all the family Forth and Clyde 2009. Interesting walks with guest speakers who are knowledgeable about the local area, its history and wildlife. See poster in porch for further details.