

Your Charitable Prayers are Requested

For those who are sick at home or in hospital:

Nicky McKendrick
Helen Clinton
Mary Daly
Lily Bennett
Teresa Murray

Moira Crainie
Jim McGee
Larry Differ
William Morrison
Anne Young

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:

Sadie Cox

Pat McKell

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

Months Mind:

Anniversaries:

Annie McCann
John Cairns
John Robinson
Elizabeth Robinson
Peter Quinn

Billy Gillfilan
Hannah Waters
Hugh Dempsey
Eddie O'Donnell
Joseph Kay

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PARISH BULLETIN

Fourth Sunday of Lent

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SCIAF SUNDAY It is a sad but true reality that there are millions of people in our world who live in a kind of daily darkness of hunger, poverty and violence because of the injustices and inequalities imposed on them by others.

The continued existence of poverty and gross inequality in our world doesn't just happen. It is caused, and kept going, by decisions taken in our name.

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.

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.

Second Collection today is for SCIAF.

HAPPY MOTHER’S DAY TO ALL OUR WONDERFUL MOTHERS

Mary’s Meals

Work with some of the poorest people in Third World Countries. They offer help by collecting unwanted / unused clothing and bedding (all textiles) **Van here for morning Masses on 21st March. NB NO BRIC-A-BAC**

200Club

Many Congratulations to the recent winners of our Monthly Draw.

£100 Annie McNelis £50 Pat Johnston £30 Mary Rae £20 Noel Brady £10 Betty Conner Helen Clinton Mary Brady May Fitzsimmons Liz Myles.

First Confession

Many Congratulations to the children from our feeder Primaries who received the Sacrament of Reconciliation for the first time last Monday.

Charity Night with Beatles Tribute Band

Saturday 10th April 7.30pm – Midnight Parish Hall Tickets available soon

St Andrew’s Primary School

Fr Paul will celebrate Mass in the School on Friday 19th 1.30pm (Feast of St Joseph) All Welcome

Charity Race Night for Macmillan Cancer Support

Saturday 27th March at 7.00pm Parish Hall Tickets only £5 Please contact Gary Durick 07837298208 or Derek Martin 07812679510 for Tickets

Holy Cross Primary School

Fairtrade Coffee Morning after 10.00am Mass Friday 19th March All Welcome