

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

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

Peter McNulty

Anne Young

Lately dead – may they rest in peace:

Tommy Carlin
John Sinclair
John Martin

Betty Wallace
Joe McCorrison
Catherine Ross

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

Months Mind:

Robert Mellon 3mm

Anniversaries:

Annie Gribbin
Thomas Murphy
Tommy Murphy
Annie McCann
James Connolly
Archie Blair
Archie Malone
Nan Christie
Patrick Murphy Brady

Johnny McNelis
Eilish McNelis
Pat Waters
Tim McMahan Snr
Tim McMahan Jnr
Margaret Malone
Agnes McLaren
Joseph Boland
Maisie McCann

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PARISH BULLETIN

Fifth Sunday of Lent

21 March 2010

As we gather as a community of God's people to celebrate Eucharist together, in today's Gospel we are given an insight into the completeness of God's forgiveness. We pray today in thanksgiving for that forgiveness and for the grace not to judge others.

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.

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.

Peter McNulty RIP Please pray for Peter who died suddenly on Monday morning, please keep his wife Renie and son John in your prayers.

Parochial Hall

The hall is 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.

Second Collection

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

Charity Night with Beatles Tribute Band

Saturday 10th April 7.30pm – Midnight Parish Hall Tickets £10 available from Michael Clinton & Tommy Bolan

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

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 TODAY 21st March. NB NO BRIC-A-BAC**

ROME 2010 Next instalment due by end of March £200 per person

St Andrew's Primary School

The Lenten Mass Celebrations were wonderful many thanks to all who participated