

Intimations

Baptismal Blessings recently bestowed on *Connor McGowan*. May he "...race for the finish, for the prize to which God calls us... to receive in Christ Jesus" [Phil 3: 14].

Wedding Bells recently rang out for *Robert Scullion* and *Kirsty Roberston*. "Do not let your love be a pretence but sincerely prefer good to evil." Rom 12: 9

Of your charity please pray for:

Sick: Johnny Doherty, Patricia Power, Adele Sharkey, Anna & Rena MacDonald, Mary Starkey, Elizabeth Kelly

And for the happy repose of the souls of:

Recently Dead: Franca Fioretti [formerly *Camposanto*, near *Modena*; Wednesday at 2.15pm, *Holytown Crematorium*], Margaret (*née* O'Neill) Deerin [*Croy*], Paul Hunter [*Canada*], John Hagan, Caroline Lynch [*Galway*], Robert Wood, Rachel Devlin, William Groden, Elizabeth (Betty) Durkan, Margaret Basler, Heather Shamlaye [*Seychelles*]

Month's Mind Paddy McCrae, Hugh Bradley, William (Willie) Brady, Mrs Mary Dillon, Mary Morrison

6 Months' Mind Catherine Connor

Anniversaries: John Cairns, Hugh Dempsey, Maria Celino, Pat Waters, Sonny (James) Doolan, Jane Friel, Patrick Friel, Peter McNulty, John McNeil, Jackie Robinson, Josephine Robinson, Elizabeth Robinson, Cathie & Bill Ross, Mary Phillips, Andrew Brown, Nan Christie, Tim McMahon (senior), Helen McMahon, Tim McMahon (junior), Hannah Waters, Jimmy McCarroll [*USA* formerly *Croy*], Margaret Malone, Annie Malone, Anne McAleer, Annie Gribbin, Joseph & William Starrs, Agnes McLaren, Joseph Boland, Annie McCann, Maisie McCann

In Good Company

Feast days Monday: *St Enda*; Wednesday: *St Turibius of Mongrovejo*; Thursday: *St Macartan*



Holy Cross

19th / 20th March 2016

Palm Sunday [C]


Is 50: 4-7; Ps 21; Phil 2: 6-11; Lk 22: 14- 23: 56



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Holy Mass

Saturday Vigil: 6pm; Sunday: 9.30am & 11.40am

Monday to Friday: 8.15am; Monday to Saturday: 10am

Sacrament of Reconciliation/ Confession Saturday after 10am & 6pm Mass

Holy Rosary daily at 9.30am

Novena in honour of *Our Lady of the Miraculous Medal* at the end of Mass on Tuesdays. *Tea & Toast* after Mass in Parish Hall.

Day Visits the Church building is open during the day.

Additional Support Transport to 11.40am Mass please 'phone: 07946 610381

Wheelchair- access ramp begins halfway down *Our Lady's Shrine* side of Building

Wheelchair- accessible Toilet: ask a *Pass-keeper* for a key to the *Parish Hall*

Large print Bulletins available on request from a *Pass-keeper*

Low Gluten Hosts (or reception from the *Chalice*) available: see Fr Sullivan

Hearing: Loop System is present

Hall Bookings See *Website* for details, then email: hall@holycrosscroy.com or *Booking Secretary*, Tel 07910 532605, Mon- Thursday between 8-9pm

Children's Liturgy "Its purpose is to allow the children to hear the *Gospel* at their own level and enable them to discuss this in simple ways. We teach some of the mass responses & encourage reverence & participation through listening to the *Word of God* & saying the prayers of intercession. We are seeking new helpers. We would like people who can relate well to children & are happy to share their faith with them. If you are interested & wish to find out any more information, please pass your name & telephone number to Fr Sullivan." A PVG Certificate will be sought.

Special Collection *Second Collection* will be for *Sick & Retired Clergy* (last week= £548). Please hand in any *SCIAF Boxes* by *this Thursday* (this will be the Collection at the *Mass of the Lord's Supper- the mandatum*).

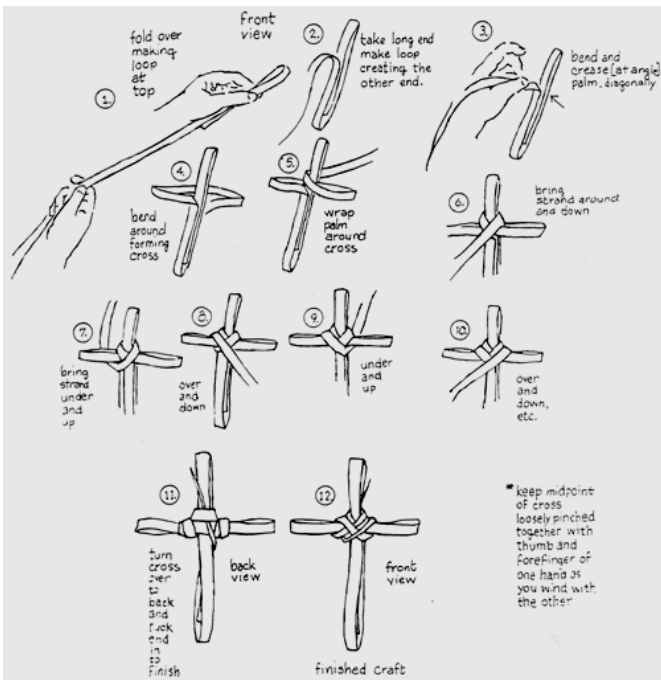
First Reconciliation/ Confession Monday 21st March at 7pm for P3 from *Holy Cross Primary*. Please "add a prayer" for all P3 receiving this Sacrament.

Parish Penitential Service with visiting Priests will be on Monday of *Holy Week* (21st March) at 8pm.


Special Ministers of Holy Communion if you missed the recent meeting

please uplift a leaflet & booklet from the *Credence (Side) Table* at the *Sanctuary*.

"Open Bethlehem" film showing at 7pm on Wednesday 30th March, in the Chapel House. The film is designed to encourage discussion regarding the situation there, without prejudice. Sponsored by *Justice & Peace Group*.



Holy Week

Monday	8.15am & 10am <i>Holy Mass</i> Reconciliation/ Confession afterwards 8pm <i>Reconciliation/Confessions</i>	
Tuesday	8.15am & 10am <i>Holy Mass</i> Reconciliation/ Confession afterwards 7pm <i>Lenten Devotions</i>	
Wednesday	8.15am & 10am <i>Holy Mass</i> Reconciliation/ Confession afterwards 11am <i>Way of the Cross- Holy Cross Primary</i>	
Holy Thursday	10am <i>Morning Prayer</i> 11am <i>Chrism Mass in St Andrew's Cathedral, Glasgow</i> 7pm Mass of the Lord's Supper <i>Holy Communion</i> under both kinds The Church will remain open until... 10pm <i>Night Prayer</i>	
Good Friday	<i>Day of Fasting and Abstinence</i> 10am <i>Morning Prayer of the Church</i> 12 noon Service for U-13s & those who look after them Collection: <i>Holy Places in & around Jerusalem</i> 3pm Celebration of the Lord's Passion Collection: <i>Holy Places in & around Jerusalem</i> Novena to the <i>Divine Mercy</i> may begin privately	
Holy Saturday	10am <i>Morning Prayer of the Church</i> Until 11am <i>Sacrament of Reconciliation/ Confessions</i> 7pm Easter Vigil Mass (Alleluia)	
Easter Sunday	9.30am & 11.40am Easter Morning Mass (Alleluia)	

Altar Servers please turn up 10 minutes before normal this coming week.

Holy Land Pilgrimage will take place this year from 19th-27th September. It will be held as part of the 200th anniversary celebrations of *St Andrew's Cathedral*, and will be led by Cathedral Administrator, Monsignor Chris McElroy. Includes visits to all the great sights of Christendom: Bethlehem, Nazareth, the Sea of Galilee and Jerusalem. Cost= £1095 for 9 days. Info: Alex Mosson on 0141 954 3360.