

## Intimations

[Items for the *Parish Bulletin* should be handed in to the Chapel House by *Thursday evening*]

*Of your charity please pray for:*

**Sick:** Mons Peter Smith, Johnny Doherty, Patricia Power, Anna & Rena MacDonald, Mary Starkey, Elizabeth Kelly, Donna McKie, Frank Brady, Roy Christie, Kenneth Flynn, Mandy Lynch (*Cornwall*), Emir Demiral (*Turkey*)

**Good News** Mrs M McGuigan (former *Acting Head Teacher* at *Holy Cross Primary*) has recently become *Head Teacher* at *St Serf's Primary & Nursery, Airdrie*. *Well done!* As *Sr Evelyn* reminded us at a recent *Holy Hour*: "Jesus has a good memory for the prayers we make."

*And for the happy repose of the souls of:*

**Recently Dead:** Mary McNamee [*Craigmarloch*], Robert Lee, Kelly Ann Ramsay, Peter Etherson, Chris Duffy

**6 Months' Mind** Ellen Paton

**9 Months' Mind** Helen Clinton

**Anniversaries:** Annie Clarke, Brian Doherty (senior), Tom Kelly, Lizzy McKeen, Hugh Hamilton, Myles Crainey, Patrick McAtee, Mrs Eileen Paton McAtee, John McAtee, Joe Cairney, Andrew Johnstone, Mary Ann Bolan, Thomasina Bolan, Tommy McCann, Kevin O'Rourke, Alice (née Doherty) O'Rourke, Harry Murphy

*In Good Company*

**Feast days** Monday: *St Anthony*; Tuesday: *St Davnet*; Thursday: *St Richard of Chichester*



# Holy Cross

11<sup>th</sup> / 12<sup>th</sup> June 2016


11<sup>th</sup> Sunday on Ordinary Time [C]

2Sam 12: 7-10, 13; Ps 31; Gal 2: 16, 19-21; Lk 7: 36- 8: 3



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**Holy Mass**

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

Monday to Saturday: 10am

**Sacrament of Reconciliation/ Confession** Saturday after 10am Mass & 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* certified by *USCCB* (or *Chalice* reception) 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, Monday- Thursday between 8-9pm

**Coffee Morning** will be today Sunday, 12<sup>th</sup> June. Proceeds will go to the Chaplain's Fund at *Our Lady's High*.

**Special Collection** Second Collection last week for the *Metal Fence*= £430. This week the Collection will be for *Assisted Parishes*.

**40 hours** Box for flowers & candles raised £40. In addition thanks are due to the anonymous donor of £20 for flowers for *Our Lady's Altar*.

**Choir Loft** *Murrin Upholstery* has padded the Choir loft kneelers. We hope you like them. In addition the carpets in the Church & in the Hall have been professionally cleaned.

**Shrine to Our Lady** at Nethercroy (near the canal). Unfortunately some Graffiti has been appearing. When passing please ensure that the shrine is being respected, and teach children likewise: thank you. We still intend to visit around the Feast of *Our Lady of Sorrows* (15<sup>th</sup> September).

**St Nicholas Care Fund** Board of Trustees, at the March meeting, awarded a total of £40,198.94 to groups & organisations. Latest update will be found at: [www.rcag.org.uk/images/June\\_2016\\_St\\_Nicholas\\_Care\\_Fund\\_Update.pdf](http://www.rcag.org.uk/images/June_2016_St_Nicholas_Care_Fund_Update.pdf)

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**Barbeks** **Play**  
**Development** is a community group recently set up with the sole purpose to regenerate the children's play park in the Barbeks area. An open meeting will take place with a small presentation about their vision on the 20<sup>th</sup> June in *Holy Cross Parish Hall* at 7:30pm.

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**Walk for Vocations** to the *Schoenstatt Shrine* will be next Sunday 19<sup>th</sup> June. Walkers will depart at 12.45pm to arrive at Campsie Glen for 5pm. The terrain involves mostly paths so bring appropriate footwear (& it may be raining!). No unaccompanied children or vulnerable adults. Non-walkers and non-cyclists are welcome to arrive at the *Schoenstatt Shrine* before 5pm (& help shuttle people back!). At 5pm there will be a short *Stations of the Cross* for *Young People* followed by *Rosary* for Vocations to the *Priesthood & Religious Life*. Hot Drinks & Snack Dispensers at the *Shrine* but bring something to eat & plenty water.



**Foodshare** for *Cumbernauld Foodbank* you may leave non-perishable goods after any Mass next Sunday. Uplift around 12.40pm.

**Parish Monstrance** has been newly cleaned & re-gilt (cf above). The base reads: "*From Rev James Dolan 1937- 1941 To Holy Cross Croy*". We hope you like it. In one of the P4 classrooms there was a discussion about how parish money should be spent on objects for the altar. Fr Joe explained that when the *Holy people of God* lived in tents, then the *Ark of the Covenant* was housed in a *Special tent*. Similarly, if we lived in wooden shacks, then the Church Building should be a *special wooden shack*. If parishioners lived in a stone-built houses then the Church Building should be made of *special stone*. If we live in brick houses, then the Church building should be a well-decorated brick building. [cf. Haggai 1: 4]

Imagine someone who wishes to buy flowers for their mother's birthday. Someone who receives £1 pocket money in spending £5 is very generous towards his/ her mother. Someone whose pocket money is £10 is not so generous towards his mother if he/ she also spends £5 on flowers. The amount we should spend on "Churchy things" is similarly proportionate [cf Mk 12: 41-44]

However, in all this discussion we never, ever forget the needs of the poor [cf. Gal 2: 10]. Indeed *St John Chrysostom* recommends that in Christian living *more* is spent on the poor than on "churchy things" [cf. Homily 50, On the Gospel of Matthew]. Many of our taxes support the poor, the sick etc

**Local Derby** for the "Pat Campbell Cup"; *Holy Cross Primary* versus *St Andrew's Primary*; kick-off Friday at 10am at the *Hub*, Croy. Mr Campbell was a Janitor for decades at *Holy Cross Primary*. Who needs *Euro 16*?